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Title: Mechanisms of adhesive small bowel obstruction and outcome of surgery; a population-based study

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Reviewer: Jeroen Hol

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