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RESEARCH FOCUS:

- Lay representations of health and illness
- Treatment delay behavior
- Social influence processes in health behaviors
- Symptom perception and personality

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