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National Digestive Diseases Information Clearinghouse (NDDIC)—www.digestive.niddk.nih.gov/ddiseases/pubs/diverticulosis/