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  - Basic research
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  - Outcomes
  - Burn centre organization
  - Prevention
  - Nursing
  - Psychosocial
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  - Burn camp
  - New ideas and innovations
  - Tissue engineering
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  - PAM – special interest session
  - Scar treatment
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  - Infection
  - Enzymatic debridement
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  - Results
  - Conclusion
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