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A significant relationship was found between student stress in the clinical setting and performance (Smith, 2018).

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