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Chapter in edited book

Howe, D. (2002). Psychosocial work. In R. Adams, L. Dominelli & M. Payne (Eds.), *Social Work: Themes, Issues and Critical Debates*. (2nd ed. pp. 81-87). Basingstoke: Macmillan.

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