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Characters

Deborah Spencer: an American doctor of Chinese medicine  
Mark Latto: a British doctor  
Tony Martinez: a detective in the Santa Cruz Police  
Sylvia Koning: worked with Deborah Spencer  
Ray Molinaro: worked with Deborah Spencer  
Matthew Crocker: works at Keiffenheim Laboratories  
Max: works for Matthew Crocker

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