TABLE 9.4 Types and Archaeological Indicators of Cannibalism

| TYPES OF CANNIBALISM | DEFINITION |
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| Exocannibalism | Eating non-group members |
| Endocannibalism | Eating group members |
| Ritual cannibalism | Eating people, usually in very small or symbolic portions, as part of a ritual |
| Vengeance cannibalism | Eating enemies |
| Aberrant behavior | Deranged individuals eating people |
| ARCHAEOLOGICAL INDICATORS OF CANNIBALISM | EXAMPLES |
| Modification to human bone | Butchery marks on human bone |
| | Artificially enlarged foramen magnum |
| | Charring or burning of human bone |
| Coprolites | Human coprolites containing human remains |
| Context | Human bone found mixed with food refuse |

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