

September 18, 1967

Dr. Michael C. Barry
Assistant Medical Director
White Laboratories, Inc.
Kenilworth, New Jersey

Dear Dr. Barry:

Both Dr. Itil and I are grateful for your consideration of our request to undertake a study of fluphenazine in high dosage in the populations in Istanbul and St. Louis. Your willingness to file the necessary forms for an IND with the Food and Drug Administration will be most helpful.

Our estimate of the supplies necessary to undertake the study in Istanbul is as follows: For 20 patients, 10 weeks observation at 400 - 600 mgm/day will require 700 gms fluphenazine. To provide for loss and drop-outs we will ask a supply of 1000 gms.

The best form would be in liquid concentrate, at the maximum palatable concentration, but not less than 20 mgm/cc. If the concentration is 20 mgm/cc, the amount will be 50 liters.

If tablets are more feasible, then 50 and 100 mgm tablets should be considered, and the supply requested would be 3000 tablets of 50 mgm and 7000 tablets of 100 mgm.

As we discussed, we will try to obtain the funds necessary for this study by diversion from other study programs, but this source is limited, and we would ask White Laboratories to consider an additional grant-in-aid in the amount of \$1,000.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely yours,

Max Fink, M.D.
Professor of Psychiatry

MF:kp

cc: Dr. Itil
Dr. Polvan