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Dr. James Fujimoto
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Dear Dr. Fujimoto,

Thank you for the opportunity to read your report of the metabolite of naloxone. It is clear and I do not think that any additional data be included in the report, except the following:

"Five gallons of pooled urine from patients were sent to this laboratory by Drs. Max Fink and Arthur Zaks of the New York Medical College. The patients were participants in a study of naloxone in the treatment of opiate dependence and were receiving between 1.0 and 1.8 grams naloxone daily in single oral doses. The dosages used were higher than those previously reported (3) and were administered to determine if higher dosages would extend the duration of effective antagonism to heroin."

This paragraph could be used instead of the first two sentences on page 2.

I would also appreciate an acknowledgement to my co-worker, Dr. Arthur M. Zaks, if you feel it necessary to acknowledge our cooperation any further than already done on page 2 (i.e., . . . with Drs. Max Fink and Arthur Zaks of the . . .).

It is kind to suggest co-authorship but the work is clearly your own, and such acknowledgement as may be conventional, is already included on page 2.

Good luck !

Sincerely yours,

Max Fink, M.D.
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