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Dear Alice,

I have read the latest issue of the Psychopharmacology Bulletin, and following your invitation on page 3, I am writing to suggest some additional titles for the Recurrent Bibliography.

EEG (Electroencephalography): I sought this item since the effects of psychoactive drugs are clearly defined in EEG measures. At first I thought there were no such articles to be indexed, but when I found three among the citations that would clearly be so indexed, I assumed the class was not in the master index file.

Convulsive therapy (ECT; Electroshock therapy): It is fairly clear that the effects of ECT are operative through biochemical mechanisms that are similar to those which are invoked as explanations for the effects of antidepressant drugs. The index includes reference to ECS, the animal equivalent of ECT when done properly, but not to ECT.

Other items of interest that seem lacking are:

Mianserin (GB-94)
pharmacokinetics, drug
pharmacodynamics, drug
plasma (blood) levels

I trust these comments are of some use. My regards.

Sincerely yours,

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