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Dr. S. Clyde Strickland
Merck Sharp & Dohme
West Point, Pennsylvania 19486

Dear Clyde,

Would it be possible for you to provide clinical supplies of penicillamine (Cuprimine) for clinical trial? May I request 1000 capsules (200 mg)?

If placebo penicillamine is available, it would be most helpful for us to have an equivalent amount for induction purposes.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Max Fink, M.D.
Professor of Psychiatry

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