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Dear Dr. Miller,

I am pleased to submit this note in support of the application of Dr. Paul Helms for hospital privileges at Sacred Heart General Hospital. I worked with Paul during the past few years while he was an attending psychiatrist on the in-patient service at University Hospital.

He is a well trained and experienced psychiatrist. His evaluations of patients and recommendations for treatment were excellent. He is well able to identify patients in need of electroconvulsive therapy. On a number of occasions, when I was absent from the University, he took over the ECT unit and treated the roster of patients with skill and without mishap. I believe that he is capable of treating in-patients with all the disciplines that we have available, and heartily recommend him for such privileges.

Sincerely yours,

Max Fink, M.D.  
Attending Psychiatrist