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Dear Dr. Robitscher:

Since our discussions in Puerto Rico I have sought, in vain, to set up a study of Sordinol which you described so well. Unfortunately, the population available to me at a neighboring state hospital does not lend itself to long term studies.

As I mentioned, we are interested in undertaking evaluations in adult acute mentally ill and have available populations of depressives as well as acute psychotics. If there are other studies of interest to Ayerst Laboratories, I would be pleased to have you call on me.

My best regards.

Sincerely yours,

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