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Dear Joe,

The study of cyclazocine as an anti-depressant in the Mental Hygiene Clinic has begun. The initial patients are now receiving imipramine and will shortly (about February 6) begin active cyclazocine treatment.

The supply of cyclazocine which was shipped on October 26, contains 400 tablets of .25 mg. We will begin with this supply but I am writing to ask that you make available an additional supply of .25 mg cyclazocine and equivalent placebos. I would ask 1,000 tablets of each to start.

My St. Louis friends have sent me another report on their study and it is most heartening. I am very anxious to get this study under way.

Sincerely yours,

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