

7. Letters

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William T. McKinney, M.D.
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Dear Dr. McKinney,

I am pleased to write this letter of recommendation on behalf of Oliver Nikolovski, M.D.

I have known him since 1967 (or 1968) when he joined my staff at the New York Medical College as a staff research psychiatrist. He was assigned to the out-patient department where he has served since. He participated in ~~a number of~~ clinical studies, particularly evaluations of new psychoactive substances in the treatment of the mentally ill. His work has ~~always~~ been exemplary, *as* He is a methodical, reliable, and careful worker. He is liked by his patients and ~~is able to create~~ a cheerful atmosphere with his co-workers.

When I relinquished the role as chief of the clinic, he remained *asa* therapist, and from time to time, participated in *ongoing* ~~my~~ experimental studies. He has always been willing to assist in studies and my co-workers have called upon him after I left the College in 1972.

He has been unhappy at the College since he has not received the professional advancement that he *wished* ~~hoped for~~. I would recommend him for any clinical position similar to those which he has held, and believe him qualified in clinical *psychopharmacology* and psychopathology. Unfortunately, I have not had the opportunity to assess his teaching *ability* ~~roles~~ as these are under the supervision of others at the College, *psychiatry*

I trust these remarks are helpful.

Sincerely yours,

Max Fink, M.D.
Professor of Psychiatry

*read as Benjamin Sadoor, M.D.
& read Alfred Friedman, M.D.*