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Dr. E. A. Weinstein  
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Dear Ed:

It has been just a year since I have come to Missouri, and since this time, there have been many changes in the laboratory here. We now have four wards with 66 patients; EEG and animal pharmacology laboratories and a library operational. It has been a lot of work, and despite many headaches, a lot of fun.

You may well imagine the administrative demands in equipping and staffing a center; planning projects and obtaining finances have been great. After considerable thought, I presented the problem to the Director of the Division and both of us agreed that our mutual interest would be best served if I assumed a full time research position. The laboratories here are uniquely equipped to carry out my research interests in brain function and behavior.

I am, therefore, making an application to the National Institutes of Mental Health for a career appointment and I am taking the liberty of submitting your name as one of my references. I should be grateful for your recommendations when the committee inquires. (I am also taking the liberty of enclosing a copy of my Curriculum Vitae which may be of help to your secretary).

My best regards.

Sincerely yours,

Max Fink, M. D.  
Director

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