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John F. Mahoney, Medical Director
Director, V. D. Research Laboratory
Staten Island 4, New York

Dear Dr. Mahoney:

We are having to order large quantity of dilantin in order to protect ourselves. They had started treating the epileptics at the asylum with intravenous magnesium sulfate which caused thrombosis of the veins so that we are begining to be unable to get blood samples. Out of self interest we agreed to furnish dilantin to treat all of the patients in whom we are interested.

Sincerely,

John C. Cutler
Surgeon, USPHS