

September 10, 1970

Miss Carol Mintz
Administrative Assistant
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Department of Medical Education
American Heart Association
44 East 23rd Street
New York, New York 10010

Dear Miss Mintz:

This is a recommendation for the candidacy of Dr. Burt Hamrell of the University of Vermont for an AHA Teaching Award.

Dr. Hamrell is an outstanding younger physician. His training is solid in clinical, epidemiological and basic science disciplines. His scholarship is continuous, and he has a remarkable competence in clinical medicine, basic physiological investigation and teaching, as well as, a broad experience in organization.

I am delighted that he is interested in devoting energies to medical education. His attributes of insight, patience and academic soundness should make him almost effective teacher at post-graduate and undergraduate levels. I have had a close professional relationship with him for four years and can recommend him enthusiastically, without qualification, for a teaching position. An award to Dr. Hamrell would be a credit to the American Heart Association.

Sincerely,

Henry Blackburn
Professor

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