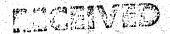


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January 10, 1975

Robert H. Moser, M.D. Editor The Journal of the American Medical Association 535 North Dearborn Street Chicago, Illinois 60610

Dear Bob:

On behalf of my colleagues, I would like to submit the enclosed paper "Duration of Hospitalization in 'Uncomplicated Complete Acute Myocardial Infarction."

This material is essentially the sum and substance of a report made by the above Ad Hoc working group to the Secretary for HEW and will presumably be incorporated in PSRO regulations recommendations or whatever.

It was the opinion of all that the text should be submitted to the Journal of the American Medical Association for consideration both from the stand-point of dissemination to practicing physicians and hopefully as a meaning-ful vehicle for cooperative relationships with the health delivery planners.

Best regards,

- J. Swan/6B

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