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Dear Doctor Blackburn,

Thank you very much for your recent letter from which I realized that you had very close contact with Dr. Howard Burchell for which I have greatest esteem as well as a person, as well as teacher and as a man with an extreme knowledge in the cardiovascular field from the physiologic and clinical standpoint.

I am very disapointed that I had not the possibility to meet you personally when you gave your talk in the Kantonsspital of Zurich.

I can only say that the problem of cardiac rehabilitation and prevention is extremely important just for us in Zurich and Senning, our surgeon, is one of the great promotors of a rehabilitation center. Therefore if you have the possibility to come again to Zurich, we certainly would be interested in discussing problems of organization of such a cardiac rehabilitation center.

I am looking forward with great interest to your next visit to Zurich. If you write to Dr. Burchell please give him my best regards.

Sincerely yours,

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Prof. W. Rutishauser

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