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Dear Dr. Blackburn:

I am delighted that you will be able to give the Alexander D. Langmuir Lecture at the Annual EIS Meeting at the Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta, Georgia on Wednesday, April 21, 1982, on some aspect of the epidemiology of cardiovascular diseases. As I mentioned to you on the phone, the lecture is in the middle of the annual week-long EIS Meeting at CDC, which will be held April 19-23 this year. The group who attends this meeting will include active duty officers of the Epidemic Intelligence Service, EIS Alumni and scientific staff from CDC. The lectures have alternated between an infectious disease and non-infectious disease topic and have focused on the epidemiology of an important health problem. A lecture on some aspect of the epidemiology of cardiovascular diseases would be extremely interesting and important, especially since none of the previous speakers on non-infectious disease topics have spoken about cardiovascular diseases.

The lecture is sponsored jointly by the EIS Alumni Association and the Sigma Zi Chapter of CDC. Your travel, per diem and an honorarium will be provided by these organizations. I will ask Dr. Philip Brachman's secretary at CDC to send you a copy of the program for the EIS Meeting when it is available and to help you with arrangements for travel and accomodations in Atlanta.

I am delighted you will be able to give the Langmuir Lecture at look forward to seeing you in Atlanta in April.

Sincerely yours,

Kenrad E. Nelson, M.D.
Professor and President
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cc: Dr. Philip Brachman