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Dear colleague:

It was a pleasure to be at the first Japanese seminar in cardiovascular epidemiology in Akita with you and so many of our younger colleagues. I was most impressed with the quality of the training and the good spirit of the faculty and students.

Please extend my greetings and congratulations to all involved.

I am hoping that you can work out our visit for next fall for the US - Japan Treaty at a time near the Japanese Public Health Conference. I'm also hoping you can visit us following the World Congress of Preventive Cardiology to be held from June 17-21, 1989 in Washington.

Cordially,

Henry Blackburn, MD  
Professor and Director

P.S. I hope you can encourage the sustaining collaboration between Iso and Jacobs, at a more convenient, later time.

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