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Dear Henry:

I am serving as a co-editor of the next edition of Maxcy-Rosenau's Public Health and Preventive Medicine, along with John Last. I am writing to solicit your willingness, along with Russ, to update and resubmit your chapter for the new edition. I think it is very nicely done, and I'm hoping you would be able to incorporate the new preventive and public health findings from the last five years. If you are willing, I would also like to request that you shorten the chapter, perhaps by 20 percent. This is because of pressure from the publisher, as the textbook has gotten extremely large in recent years, making it less accessible due to its cost. Also, for your information, there will continue to be a separate chapter on hypertension.

I very much appreciate your willingness to consider this effort and will look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

Robert B. Wallace, M.D.
Professor and Head

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cc: Dr. Russell Luepker

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Bob: Delighted you
are Co-Editor!
Tentative yes. Will
get back to you soon.