

April 24, 1959

Dr. Milton C. Winternitz
The Jane Coffin Childs Memorial Fund
333 Cedar Street
New Haven 11, Connecticut

Dear Dr. Winternitz:

As a proper reply to Dr. Waters' letter of March 9th required a number of statements reflecting the policy of this Medical School, I have asked Dean Alway to formulate a statement on behalf of the Genetics Department and the School of Medicine. This material is in support of my letter of February 24, asking that the Childs Fund consider a five-year program of support of this department in an amount up to \$300,000. I trust that Dr. Alway's comments, which accompany this letter, will furnish the information you need for the consideration of my application with, I need hardly add, I hope will be a favorable conclusion.

Yours sincerely,

Joshua Lederberg
Professor and Executive
(Genetics)