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Patient's Name
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Dear Patient's Name

Our practice has been chosen to be part of a new study by the National Institutes of Health. The purpose of this study is to learn more about kidney and heart diseases, and what factors appear to be important in how these diseases are treated. This study may contribute to a better understanding of how kidney function can be better preserved in patients who are at risk for kidney diseases. As a current patient in the practice you can participate in this project.

A member of the research team will call you within the next two weeks unless you contact us (see below). You will be told more detail about the study and asked a few questions about yourself. You are free to decide whether or not to answer the questions. Your medical services, as always, will continue whether you decide to answer the questions or not.

If you have any questions, you can call Wanda Seamon, recruiter for the study at the University of Pennsylvania at 215-662-4555.

If you do **NOT** want someone to call you, please turn over to the back of this letter, fill it in, and return it (an envelope with a stamp is provided for you; only do this if you **DON'T** wish to be called) to:

Wanda Seamon, BS
University of Pennsylvania
3400 Civic Ctr Blvd Suite G – 232
Translational Res Ctr – Bldg 421
Philadelphia, PA 19104 - 5161

If we do not hear from you in 10 days, we will assume it is all right to contact you. Best regards.



Michael D. Cirigliano, MD
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Please fill this in and send it back in the enclosed envelope if you do not wish to be contacted.

Signature _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

I do not wish to be contacted by the research study
