



FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY
U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

IN REPLYING
ADDRESS THE SURGEON GENERAL
U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

Your application for admission to a United States Public Health Service hospital for treatment has been approved. You are, therefore, authorized to proceed to the United States Public Health Service Hospital, Present this letter to the Medical Officer in Charge or his designated representative as authority for your admission. You will be admitted to this hospital any day on or before

You must understand that, since you have signed an application for voluntary admission to a United States Public Health Service hospital, you have impliedly agreed to submit to confinement for the period estimated by the Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service as necessary to effect a cure, or until you are cured. One year is the maximum time estimated as necessary to effect a cure in the average case.

This letter is no authority for you to secure narcotics from a physician, nor is it an expression of an opinion by the Public Health Service that you need narcotics pending your entrance into the hospital.

Sincerely yours,

Administrative Officer
Mental Hygiene Division

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