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Mr. Jeffrey Epstein
The Jeffrey Epstein VI Foundation
St. Thomas, The U.S. Virgin Islands

Dear Jeffrey:

I am honored by your interest in my work at Chi Wellness Clinic. Your friend, Gina Offenstine came to see me ten years ago for her pains. Recently she brought her husband, Herb and son, Adam for treatments. I am deeply impressed when Gina mentioned your amazing achievements in investment and philanthropy. I admire and appreciate especially your vision in supporting cutting edge scientific research and education.

On the morning of September 11, 2001, I started up the holistic healthcare clinic in Longwood Medical Areas. It currently provides services in Boston, Somerville and Waltham in MA.

Gina mentions you are coming to Boston in ten days. I appreciate if you let me to take you to an exciting dinner and walk around cool area in Boston. As Chi Wellness enters its 15th year, I look for my first long-term partner to create a school for training blind and sighted students together to diagnose and treat various tension-driven health conditions based on my tensiology research and development; expand clinical services to other regions of the United States; and create a research institute for clinical evaluation of safety and efficacy of holistic care therapies.

I grew up in Xiamen, Fujian Province in China. Historically known as Amoy, Xiamen was the world's premier tea port where four ships sailed to Boston in 1773, which led to the Boston Tea Party and the American Independence Revolution. In childhood, I had apprenticed in herbal medicine and carpentry. After graduating from high school at 16, I was a rice farmer for 4 years in a primitive village in Nanping, a major tea producing region of Mount Wuyi in China.

In 1982, I graduated from Xiamen University with a BS degree in oceanography and published my first research paper with the discovery of color vision in a marine shrimp. I came to the US in 1983 and attended the University of Rhode Island Graduate School of Oceanography in Narragansett for a MS in marine ecosystems. I decided to switch my study from oceanography to neuroscience at Marine Biological Laboratory in Woods Hole. I went on to California Institute of Technology in Pasadena for a MS in computation & neural systems in 1987, and later to University of Southern California for a PhD in neurobiology of learning and memory in 1993.

Before I founded Chi Wellness, I was a neuroscientist at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge. My research focus was in the mechanisms of learning, memory and awareness in the mammalian brain. I studied deficits in synaptic plasticity and learning/memory behaviors in various gene-knockout mice. My research results had been published in Science, Cell, Neuron, and Annual Reviews of Neuroscience. I had presented my tensiology findings in a medical symposium on degenerative diseases in Boston. Please see the attachment for my CV for more information.

All the best,
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EDUCATION

- 1982. B.S. in Marine Biology. Xiamen University, Xiamen, Fujian, China.
- 1985. M.S. in Biological Oceanography. University of Rhode Island, Narragansett, RI, USA.
- 1987. M.S. in Marine Biology (Boston University). Marine Biological Laboratory, Woods Hole, MA, USA.
- 1990. M.S. in Computation & Neural Systems, an interdisciplinary program to investigate complex problems in the brain. California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA, USA.
- 1993. Ph.D. in Neurobiology, an interdisciplinary program to study mechanisms of learning and memory in the brain. University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, USA.

EXPERIENCE

Marine Biology Research

- 1981–1982. Undergraduate Researcher. Xiamen University, Xiamen, China. Studied color vision of compound eyes in marine shrimp using extracellular recording technique.
- 1983-1985. Graduate Researcher. Marine Ecosystems Research Laboratory (MERL), Narragansett, RI. Studied the effect of hydrogen sulfide on the metabolism of coastal bivalves, *Solemya velum* and enzymes of sulfide oxidation in gill tissue.
- 1985–1987. Graduate Researcher. Marine Biological Laboratory, Woods Hole, MA. Studied biophysical changes in neuronal excitability in photoreceptor underlying learning and memory in sea slug, *Hermisenda crassicornis* using intracellular recording.

Neuroscience Research

- 1987–1990. Graduate Researcher. Computation and Neural Systems Program, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA. Modeled and simulated biological vision, learning and memory through computer neural network (software) and analog VLSI silicon chip (Vary Large Scale Integration Circuit).
- 1990–1993. Doctorate Researcher. University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA. Studied synaptic plasticity using extracellular recording technique underlying associative learning of conditioned eyeblink response in rabbits.
- 1992–1993. Post-Doctorate Fellow. Salk Institute for Biological Studies, La Jolla, CA. Studied synaptic plasticity using patch clamp technique.
- 1993–1998. Research Scientist. Howard Hughes Medical Institute, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA. Studied the molecular, physiological and behavioral deficiencies in gene-knockout mouse models of psychiatric and motor dysfunctions. Studied genetic, molecular cellular and behavioral mechanisms underlying learning & memory in mice.

Holistic Health Care

- 2001–Present. Founder/Director, Chi Wellness Clinic, Boston, MA. Research, development and administration in providing holistic healthcare and wellness to patients with chronic conditions. Currently three offices in Boston, Somerville and Waltham, MA.
- 2005–2006. Research Fellow, Center for Interventional Radiology (Elvira Lang, MD), Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center and Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA. Research and development of complementary therapies as an alternative to pharmacologic agents in relief of pain and anxiety during minimally invasive procedures.
- 2006–2007. Adjunct Professor, Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Boston, MA. Lectures in holistic health care, and mind and body medicine.
- 2007–2012. Co-Founder/Co-Director, Chi NeuroHealth Clinic, Manchester, NH. Providing both holistic care and conventional neurological services (Ken Logan, MD) to patients with neurodegenerative diseases including MS, Parkinson's.

Other Experience

- 1973–1975. Apprentice Herbalist. Nanping Medical and Pharmacy Company, Nanping, China. Learned traditional methods of processing and formulation of Chinese Herbs.
- 1975–1978. Farmer. Kengjia Village, Xiqin Commune, Nanping, Fujian, China. Engaged in traditional farming of rice, vegetables, peanut and sweet potatoes.
- 1999–2004. Filmmaker. Produced and directed the documentary film, *Healing Touch of the Blind* about 30,000 blind massage therapists who enjoy respect for their gifted tactile sense and 90% employment rate in China. 20 minutes length. In DVD format.

SYMPOSIUMS

1995. The 28th Annual Winter Conference on Brain Research, January 22, 1995. Steamboat Springs, Colorado. Workshop: *Electrophysiological Role of 5-HT in Behavior: In vitro Analysis of Behavioral Effects*.
1995. The 12th British Brain Research Association Annual Meeting, March 31, 1995. Oxford, United Kingdom. Plenary Lecture: *Gene Knockout Mice for the Analysis of Learning and Memory Mechanisms*.
1995. The 3rd Symposium on Long-term Potentiation: A Debate of Current Issues. May 11, 1995. Carry-le-Rouet, France. Lecture: *Mechanisms of Synaptic Plasticity and Memory in the Mammalian Brain: the Gene Knockout Approach*.
1996. The 19th International Symposium on Brain Sciences of the Taniguchi Foundation, March 14–17, 1996. Nara, Japan. Lecture: *Gene Targeting and New Development in Neurobiology*.

2008. Chen, C. Zhang, Y. & Logan, K. BioSymposium on Sporadic Neurodegeneration : Genes, Environment and Therapeutic Strategies. May 13, 2008. Poster presentation: *Tuina Therapy as Novel Therapeutic Strategy for Neurodegenerative Diseases*. Organized by Robert Brown, MD, professor of neurology, and director of Day Neuromuscular Research Laboratory, Massachusetts General Hospital. Boston, MA.

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mice. *Behav. Neurosci.* 110(5): 1177-80.

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Li, Y., et al. 1994. Whisker-related neuronal patterns fail to develop in the trigeminal brainstem nuclei of NMDAR1 knockout mice. *Cell* 76, 427-437.

Aiba, A., et al. 1994. Reduced hippocampal long-term potentiation and context-specific deficit in associative learning in mGluR1 mutant mice. *Cell* 79, 365-375.

Aiba, A., et al. 1994. Deficient cerebellar long-term depression and impaired motor learning in mGluR1 mutant mice. *Cell* 79, 377-388.

Kano, M., et al. 1995. Impaired synapse elimination during cerebellar development in PKCgamma mutant mice. *Cell* 83, 1223-1231.

Malmberg, AB, et al (1997). Preserved Acute Pain and Reduced Neuropathic Pain in Mice Lacking PKC γ . *Science* 10 October 1997: 279-283.

Shibuki, K. et al. 1996. Deficient cerebellar long-term depression, impaired eyeblink conditioning and normal motor coordination in GFAP mutant mice. *Neuron* 16, 587-599.