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Dear Bill:

Thanks for the LCU schedule. We have a problem with regard to our new doctor (Dr. Robert Reeves) who will be relieving Dr. Knudsen. We are most anxious that he participate in the Fall survey, but we are not certain exactly when he will be available. As near as we can figure it will take at least 10-14 days to clear his appointment at BNL-AEC, and then he will need about 3 months to close down his practice. This would add up to about the latter part of September. Based on this, the following schedule is suggested for our medical surveys including a change in the Spring survey:

Sept. 27 - Leawe Kwaj, and Utirik - 29 - Oct. 4; Rong. Oct. 6-11; Bikini - medical only - Oct. 11-13; Plane on 13th remove medical team and bring in BNL radiological team (2 people) and University of Washington (4 people) - LCU leave Bikini Oct. 20. Arrive Kwaj. Oct. 22

Maintainance Oct. 20-25.
University of Wash. - PRNC Oct. 26-Nov. 17.
Maint. Nov. 18 - 24.
Medical visits, University of Hawaii Utirik, Rongelap,
Bikini, Nov. 25-Dec. 17.
Maint. Dec. 18-Jan. 7.
LLL, Univ. of Hawaii, Jan. 8-Feb. 19.
Maint. Feb. 20-Mar. 14.
Medical Survey Mar. 15-Apr. 6.
Maint. Apr. 7-14.
LLL Apr. 16-May 14
Maint. May 16-June 2.
Medical visits, June 4-20, Univ. of Hawaii 20-27-Bikini.

Of course, schedule changes will have to be reconciled with the other groups using the LCU.

I have also been considering a visit to Eniwetak for orientation purposes. Greenhouse and Houghie, key men in our radiological program also want to go. Perhaps we might take the MAc flight Wednesday, October 9 to Eniwetak and be removed by Army plane that brings the LLL group to Bikini October 13, Greenhouse and Houghie remaining at Bikini, and the resident physician returning with me to Kwajalein.

As soon as I have more info on Dr. Reave's time of availability, I will let you know.

Sincerely,

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