

September 5, 1979

Paul L. Adams, M.D.  
1207 Summit Avenue  
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Dear Paul:

I am delighted about the news of a Kentucky Council of Child Psychiatry and am enclosing a copy of the Academy By-Laws which state the purpose and membership requirements of the Assembly, (pages 14-18). 11-14

*See Assembly note in ED report*

There is no minimum requirement on the number of local members necessary to become a member of the Assembly.

The annual dues of \$100. have been adjusted for smaller councils. The dues support the expense of the Assembly and its five representatives on Council.

Membership in the Assembly allows a regional council to grant American Medical Association credit for its scientific programs in Category I of the Physician's Recognition Award.

In the past, there has been some discussion about the benefits of a state boundary in establishing a group. Such a limitation dispenses with the problem of two voices of child psychiatry in one state. The Assembly has no firm guidelines on this.

I also am enclosing the minutes of the last two Assembly meetings, a list of members and copies of other regional councils' by-laws. We welcome your interest and your name will be added to our Assembly mailing list. May I also invite you to send a representative to our next Assembly meeting to be held 7:30 a.m.-12:00, Wednesday, October 24, 1979, at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Atlanta, Georgia, as part of our 26th annual meeting.

If I can be of any further help to you, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Virginia Q. Bausch  
Executive Director

VQB/rb  
Encls. (Tenn. & Va. by-laws)  
cc: Donald Gair, M.D.