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Extended Medical Care in
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On August/during a telephone conversation with Walter Weyzen, I was informed that nothing as yet has been done. However, he believes there is going to be Congressional pressure to give further medical care at least within the groups that have directly or indirectly been involved with fallout in one way or another. Pressure is arising from within both the House of Representatives and the Senate to do something, and he will keep us informed. As of the moment, there is nothing for us to do. Weyzen thoroughly understands that it will take a substantial additional amount of money and that we cannot do it out of existing budget and manpower.

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