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John I. Gallin, M.D., is the NIH Associate Director for Clinical Research and Chief Scientific Officer Clinical Center, having recently completed 22 years as Director of the Clinical Center. The Clinical Center serves the clinical research needs of 17 NIH Institutes and is the largest clinical research hospital in the world. During his tenure as Director Clinical Center, Dr. Gallin oversaw the design and construction of a new research hospital for the Clinical Center; established a curriculum for clinical research training and development of new information systems for biomedical translational and clinical research. Previously Dr. Gallin was Scientific Director, NIAID from 1985-1994. He also was the founding Chief of the Laboratory of Host Defenses, NIAID and currently is the Head of the

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