



CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY

August 9, 1999

Jojo Chokalingam  
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Dear Mr. Chokalingam:

It is with regret that we must inform you that our 1999 entering class is filled and committed. On August 9, 1999, the Class of 2003 registered to pursue medical studies in the School. Therefore, we must inform you that there is no possibility that we can offer you a place this year.

The complexity of the problem which we faced this year is indicated by the fact that we received 6,500 preliminary applications for the Class of 2003. Of these, approximately 3,000 individuals completed final applications for the places available. Again this year, we were faced with the perplexing situation of many more applicants who are qualified than could possibly be accommodated within the constraints of the 138 entering places.

We are greatly disappointed that we could not accept all outstanding candidates who demonstrated an interest in this School. It is our sincere hope that you are able to achieve your career goals.

We appreciate your interest in Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine and hope you are successful in pursuing your medical studies.

Sincerely,

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April, 1999

Mr. Jojo Chokalingam  
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Dear Mr. Chokalingam:

We have completed the final selection of students for the class entering in August, 1999. We are offering you a place on our alternate list in anticipation of persons currently on our class roster withdrawing between now and the date of matriculation. The number of such changes is quite unpredictable so that we have no way of determining your chances of acceptance.

If you are holding a place in another medical school, do nothing which would jeopardize that position. If you would like to remain on our alternate list, we will consider your application up to the date of your scheduled matriculation at another school. If the place you are holding is one of your choice, we request that you withdraw your application here by notifying us in writing. If you do not have a place at another medical school, we will give consideration to your application until our classes begin.

If you have not been accepted by a medical school by June 15, and you wish to apply to enter in 2000, we suggest you proceed to re-apply through AMCAS. Even though a possibility exists that you still might gain acceptance this year, delay in applying to any school is not in your best interest.

We appreciate your continuing interest in our school and your patience through the very difficult application process. Please return the enclosed postcard no later than May 1, 1999, indicating your response to this letter. Please inform us of your current mailing address.

Sincerely yours,

Albert C. Kirby, Ph.D.  
Associate Dean for Admissions and Student Affairs

Enclosure: Card