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Dear Dr. Fauci,

Thank you for your useful [editorial](#) published in NEJM last week, it helps confirming that the situation does not need to be as grim as the panic that most people are experiencing.  
I am writing an editorial and hoping to submit it to The Lancet soon. Differently from NIH/US Government institutes, I have more room for reflection in my viewpoint.

For that reason, I was wondering if I can have a call with you to get your opinion/advice on the direction of my editorial. I know how busy you are and I can understand if you do not have the time, but if by chance you are willing to have this call, I'll be happy to share my editorial's draft first.  
As a background, I am an EIS graduate (class of 2009), and trained by Robert T. Chen.

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