Manuscript #013

1. Title (length 26):
Diet and Atherosclerosis

2. Writing Group (list individual with lead first):
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3. Timeline:
Cannot be done until dietary data is scored.

4. Rationale:
Cross-sectional associations of diet and cardiovascular disease are weak. They may be stronger with atherosclerosis. Also, the Willett Questionnaire has not been widely used in cardiovascular studies.

5. Main Hypothesis:
Dietary fatty acid composition is related to ultrasound findings.

6. Data (variables, time window, source, inclusions/exclusions):
Ultrasound wall thickness vs. Willett data.

*Added at 8/29/89 Str Com meeting.