This Modern World  
by Tom Tomorrow

The Tech received a copy of this letter addressed to MIT Medical Director, Arnold Weinberg.

Weinberg's Statements Were Inaccurate

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Next you say that I was "Drunk and abusive when he demanded to get into the Medical Center and the nurse who let him..." I had absolutely nothing to drink all night. I had three beers in two and a half hours. This does not mean that the measures constitute incaution in a 250-pound man.

Next, I was not demanding to get in. The man who drove us there demanded that the nurse open the door when she questioned him after he explained that there were two students with knives who needed treatment. He became frustrated at what he perceived to be his incompetence on her part. He simply wanted to see something being done about his friends, which I think is understandable. I said nothing until a CP officer asked if I had been stabbed, which I thought was self-evident. "Awed?" Yes. In what way does that constitute abuse?

I can understand that the nurse may well have been frightened by an unfamiliar situation that involved two bleeding men, but I deliberately remained calm to facilitate some sort of treatment. I can back this up with statements from the police and that I "was in absolutely no danger." This makes me wonder whether or not there was bleeding in any way does that constitute abuse? I hope you can handle the situation in a mature way because I have something to say...

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