

History of medicine lantern slides

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Collection Overview

REPOSITORY: Medical Historical Library, Cushing/Whitney Medical Library
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TITLE: History of medicine lantern slides

DATES: circa 1900-1940

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 1.25 linear feet (4 boxes)

LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY: The collection includes 183 lantern slides used for lectures on the history of medicine that were transferred to the Medical Historical Library at an unknown date. Slides are black and white images from manuscripts, printed materials, and works of art related to the history of medicine. Many of the slides are labeled "Made by James Huntington, 610 St. John's Place, Brooklyn, N. Y."

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Requesting Instructions

To request items from this collection for use on site, please use the request links in the HTML version of this finding aid, available at <https://hdl.handle.net/10079/fa/med.ms.0116>.

Key to the container abbreviations used in the PDF finding aid:

b. box

Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Transferred to the Medical Historical Library from the Yale School of Medicine, date unknown.

Conditions Governing Access

The collection is open for research.

Conditions Governing Use

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Preferred Citation

History of medicine lantern slides. Historical Library, Harvey Cushing / John Hay Whitney Medical Library, Yale University.

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b. 1, item 10-11	Lecture VII.
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b. 1, item 12-50b. 2, item 51-63	Lecture VIII.
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b. 2, item 64-100b. 3, item 101-150b. 4, item 151-183	Part 2
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Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

Subjects

Medicine -- History
Medicine -- Study and teaching

Genres / Formats

Lantern slides
Photographs

Acquired From

Yale University. School of Medicine