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Guide to the Warshaw Collection of Business Americana Subject Categories: Hospitals

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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives Center, National Museum of American History
Title:	Warshaw Collection of Business Americana Subject Categories: Hospitals
Identifier:	NMAH.AC.0060.S01.01.Hospitals
Date:	1801-circa 1965
Extent:	0.94 Cubic feet (consisting of 2 boxes, 1 folder, 1 oversize folder, plus digital images of some collection material.)
Creator:	Warshaw, Isadore, 1900-1969
Language:	Collection is in English with some items in German.
Summary:	A New York bookseller, Warshaw assembled this collection over nearly fifty years. The <i>Warshaw Collection of Business Americana: Hospitals</i> forms part of the Warshaw Collection of Business Americana, Subseries 1.1: Subject Categories. The Subject Categories subseries is divided into 470 subject categories based on those created by Mr. Warshaw. These subject categories include topical subjects, types or forms of material, people, organizations, historical events, and other categories. An overview to the entire Warshaw collection is available here: Warshaw Collection of Business Americana

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Hospitals is a portion of the Business Ephemera Series of the Warshaw Collection of Business Americana, Accession AC0060 purchased from Isadore Warshaw in 1967. Warshaw continued to accumulate similar material until his death, which was donated in 1971 by his widow, Augusta. For a period after acquisition, related materials from other sources (of mixed provenance) were added to the collection so there may be content produced or published after Warshaw's death in 1969. This practice has since ceased.

Materials in the Archives Center

Archives Center Collection of Business Americana (AC0404)

Forms Part Of

Forms part of the [Warshaw Collection of Business Americana](#).

- [Series 1: Business Ephemera](#)
- [Series 2: Other Collection Divisions](#)
- [Series 3: Isadore Warshaw Personal Papers](#)
- [Series 4: Photographic Reference Material](#)

Processing Information

Oversize material is unprocessed.

Processing Information

In 2016, with funding provided by the Smithsonian Institution's Collections Care and Preservation Fund, the Archives Center at the National Museum of American History implemented the use of minimal level processing standards to increase information about and facilitate access to more of our collections. A large portion of stored material from the original acquisition received minimal level processing, which resulted in additions to this Subject category. This effort included basic arrangement and replacement of non-archival housing for long-term stability, but staples and other fasteners have not all been removed. Revisions to the encoded finding aid were made to reflect the added content in context to the previously processed material.

Minimal level processing and enhancement of the machine-readable finding aid completed by Nicole Blechynden, September 2017.

Preferred Citation

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Scope and Contents

This material consists primarily of receipts, scattered correspondence on letterhead stationery, annual reports, pamphlets, brief histories, reports of cases treated, and announcements from various hospitals, dispensaries, sanitariums, and infirmaries. A number of the institutions are pictured on their publications or correspondence. The material dates from 1801 to 1958, but the bulk is late nineteenth century.

Materials in box one and a portion of box two are arranged alphabetically by name of the institution with the location and dates when available. Also included in box two are miscellaneous materials such as forms from suppliers of hospital equipment. There are also blank hospital forms printed in German.

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

Hospitals
Medicine
Patent medicines

Types of Materials:

Business ephemera
Ephemera

Container Listing

Business Records, Marketing Material, and Other, 1801-circa 1965

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