Guide to the George Horace Coshow: Medical School Materials Collection
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## Summary Information

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<th>Repository</th>
<th>Oregon Health &amp; Science University Historical Collections &amp; Archives</th>
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<td>Creator - Actor</td>
<td>Coshow, George Horace, MD, 1903-1989</td>
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<td>Date [inclusive]</td>
<td>1926-1928</td>
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<td>Abstract</td>
<td>Medical student George H.Coshow's class notebooks at University of Oregon Medical School from the period 1926-1928 have been added to the archives.</td>
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### Preferred Citation

George Horace Coshow Medical School Materials Collection, Accession # 2009-015, Historical Collections & Archives, Oregon Health & Science University
Biographical/Historical note

Coshow was a 1930 graduate of the University of Oregon Medical School. After graduation, Coshow relocated to California and apparently spent the remainder of his career in Carpinteria. He practiced at the Santa Barbara Cottage Hospital and was in part responsible for the establishment of its Reeves Library. We have a letter sent from Coshow to Bertha Hallam and Margaret Hughes in 1974 sharing his joy at the opening of the G. Horace Coshow, M.D. Room. The Carpinteria Valley Museum of History also has a room named after Coshow. Coshow died in 1989.

Scope and Contents

The collection consists of five bound black notebooks, and a small envelope of loose materials. Some of the notebooks are handwritten, some typescript, some a mix.

Arrangement

The notebooks have been arranged chronologically, with the earliest on top.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

Oregon Health & Science University Historical Collections & Archives 2009

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Acquisition

Received from an anonymous donor via mail from the Santa Barbara Cottage Hospital, PO Box 689, Pueblo at Bath St. Santa Barbara, CA 93102, 2009 July 27.

Related Materials

Related Archival Materials


Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- Jones, Arthur Carhart, MD, 1896-1983
- Menne, Frank Raymond, M.D., 1915-1971
- Myers, Harold Bunce, M.D.
- Osgood, Edwin Eugene, MD, 1924-1969
## Collection Inventory

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<td>Notebook #1: &quot;Notes on Infant Nutrition&quot; by McKim Marriott used by Dr. A.E. Goudreau and Dr. L. Howard Smith of UOMS Pediatrics with McKim's permission. 1926-1928</td>
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**Arrangement**

This is typescript one sided, with much room for handwritten notes. Sometimes if no notes are added it appears as 2 blank pages. Some printed instructions are interleaved with the pages.

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<th>Notebook #2: History 1926-1927</th>
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It is signed by Coshow who dated this notebook as 1927-28, and that he was a member of medical fraternity Alpha Kappa Kappa. However, this notebook is odd in that the date in the beginning of the book is Oct. 5, 1927, and goes into February 1928; but at the end is dated Oct. 27, 1926. It is also handwritten and hand drawn, double-sided. It also includes notes from Dr. Allen on Neurology and Dr. Bellinger on Tuberculosis.

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<th>Notebook #3: Pathology with Dr. Menne 1927-1928</th>
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**Arrangement**

This notebook is handwritten.
### Notebook #4: Pharmacology with Dr. Harold Myers 1928

**Arrangement**

This notebook is handwritten.

### Notebook #5: "Diseases of the cardiovascular system" with Dr. Edwin E. Osgood 1928

**Arrangement**

Typescript, single-sided notes of Dr. Osgood's, with Coshow's handwritten notes. Also includes notes for Dr. W.H.Bueerman's "Surgical Diagnosis of Lesions of the Gastro-intestinal Tract", and Physical Therapy with Dr. Arthur C. Jones. At the end is a reprint from v6 1923 Archives of Surgery on an"Outline of the Treatment of Fractures".