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Summary information

Repository:	McGovern Historical Center, Texas Medical Center Library
Title:	Griff Ross, MD papers
Reference code:	MS 077
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Date:	1984 (creation)
Physical description:	0.25 cubic feet (1 box)
Dates of creation, revision and deletion:	October 7, 2010

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

Griff Terry Ross was born 17, 1920 at Mount Enterprise, Rusk County Texas. Ross graduated from Stephen F. Austin State Teachers' College in 1939, attended graduated school at the University of Texas at Austin briefly, then graduated from UTMB in 1945. He began his career as a "country doctor". Ross spent 1955 to 1957 in the Air Force and then earned a Ph.D. from the Mayo Graduate School of Medicine. He began working for the National Institute of Health in 1960 as a medical officer and senior investigator and stayed twenty-one years before returning to Texas to take a position at the University of Texas Medical School. His specialty was endocrinology. He died of cancer in Houston on July 1, 1985.

For the record, his father was Griff [no middle name] Ross, MD (29 December 1880 - 15 December 1948) and his son is Griff Terry Ross, Jr., (28 December 1968 -), not a doctor.

Custodial history

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Scope and content

The Griff Ross, MD papers contains two bound volumes of the 1984 oral interview transcript with Dr. Ross. The first volume contains Dr. Ross's interview; the second contains interviews with four of his colleagues. In the interview, Dr. Ross discusses both his personal and professional life. The collection consists on one box equaling 0.25 cubic feet. Materials are in good condition.

Notes

Physical condition

Materials are in good condition.

Immediate source of acquisition

On July 30, 1986, the audiotapes were sent to Dr. John Ribble, Dean, UT Medical School-Houston, from the office of Mr. J. Hickox, Executive Director of the Harris County Medical Society. This copy of the interview was presented to HAM-TMC Historical Research Center in March 1987.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged into one series, Oral History Transcript.

Restrictions on access

No restrictions to access.

Conditions governing use

This material is unrestricted.

Finding aids

Finding aid is available.

Accruals

No accruals are expected for this collection.

Note [General]

Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published

Access points

- O'Malley, Bert (subject)
- Carlson, Victor (subject)
- Knobil, Ernst (subject)
- Steiner, Alton (subject)
- University of Texas. School of Medicine
- oral histories (documentary form)
- transcripts (documentary form)
- Interviews (documentary form)
- Internal Medicine (subject)

Bibliography

Series descriptions

Series MS077-S1 : Series I: Oral History Transcript;

Date: 1984 (creation)

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File / item list

Reference code	Title	Dates	Physical description
gi203706941	File - Interview with Dr. Ross <i>Physical storage:</i> Box: 1 <i>Physical storage:</i> Folder: 1	1984	
gi203706942	File - Interviews with Dr. Bert O'Malley (colleague), Dr. Bill Ross (brother), Dr. Victor Carlson (colleague), Dr. Ernst Knobil (colleague), and Dr. Alton Steiner (colleague) <i>Physical storage:</i> Box: 1 <i>Physical storage:</i> Folder: 2		