

Records of the United States Army Surgical Research Team (WRAIR), Japan

Title: Records of the United States Army Surgical Research Team (WRAIR), Japan, 1968-1969

Author/Creator: United States Army Surgical Research Team (WRAIR), Japan

Collection number: 13

Size: 3 folders

Inclusive dates: 1968-1969

Repository: Walter Reed Army Institute of Research Archives, Gorgas Memorial Library, Silver Spring, Maryland, 20910.

Abstract: The records include correspondence and reports.

Restrictions: There are no restrictions on these records.

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Status: This collection is processed.

Historical note

United States Army Surgical Research Team (WRAIR), Japan (SRTJ), established in 1968, was located with the 249th General Hospital in Japan. Its mission was to conduct surgical research studies on patients evacuated from Vietnam. Operational control of the team was maintained by the Walter Reed Army Institute of Research. SRTJ was given professional control over the Surgical Research Team (Trauma Study Section) located with the US Army Medical Research Team in Vietnam (USAMRT-Vietnam). The Team was disestablished in 1972.

Scope and content of the collection

The records include correspondence and some accompanying reports.

Processing information

Processed by: Lara D'Agaro

Processing note: Original order was retained wherever possible. The correspondence files were originally arranged in reverse chronological order in the individual folders, but are now in chronological order. Exact duplicates have been removed and discarded. Most metal staples, paper clips and metal binders were removed. All records have been rehoused in acid-free folders.

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Arrangement of collection: The collection is organized as 1 series.

Series I: Correspondence

Detailed description of the collection

Series I: Correspondence Files, 1968-1969 (3 folders)

The bulk of the correspondence is from Team Chief Edward Quarantillo and Assistant to the Director for Field Operations Dale Wykoff. There are some reports and newsletters mixed in with the correspondence when sent as enclosures. The correspondence is arranged chronologically.

Folder	Title	Date
1	Correspondence, 1968	
2	Correspondence, January-June 1969	
3	Correspondence, July-December 1969	

Related Material

For more information, see the Records of USAMRT-Vietnam, 1963-1983 in the Gorgas Memorial Library.