



# National Museum of Health and Medicine

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## Otis Historical Archives

### OHA 46

#### Museum Records: Education/Public Programs, Levinson Office Files

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**Series/Scope and Content Note:** Richard (Dick) Levinson served as the Medical Museum's Community Relations Specialist or Public Affairs Officer from 1989 to 1995. Levinson produced press releases and coordinated relations with the media. The records include material on the campaign to relocate the Museum to the National Mall, a proposed study of Abraham Lincoln's DNA to determine if he had Marfan's Syndrome, alternative medicine activities at the Museum, exhibit information, activities of Museum director Marc Micozzi, and other Museum publicity and events. The final box contains audiotapes and videotapes, primarily documenting media coverage of the Museum.

## BOX AND CONTENT LIST

### Box 001:

- 00001: Abrams
- 00002: Adam
- 00003: AFIP brochure committee
- 00004: Age of Cancer conference



00005: AIDS activities at NMHM  
00006: AIDS exhibit, 1988  
00007: AIDS exhibit, 1994  
00008: Alien autopsy  
00009: Alternative medicine  
00010: Alternative medicine conference, May 1993  
00011: Alternative medicine conference, May 1993, Micozzi's remarks  
00012: Alternative medicine conference, May 1993, press releases  
00013: Alternative medicine congress, May 1995  
00014: Alternative medicine video encyclopedia  
00015: American Association of Neurological Surgeons (Dr. Armbrustmacher's exhibit)  
00016: American Health Foundation  
00017: American Health magazine  
00018: American Heritage  
00019: American Medical Association conferences  
00020: American Medical Association: museum press briefing  
00021: American Medical Association: Polymerase Chain Reaction  
00022: American Medical News (Dr. Todd)  
00023: American Medical Writers Association  
00024: American Society of Preventive Oncology meeting, 1992  
00025: Annual Report, 1994 (draft)  
00026: Armed Forces Radio & Television Service Association of Science-Technology  
Centers  
00027: Army Community Service  
00028: ARP (American Registry of Pathology)  
00029: Assassination politics  
00030: Associated Press story  
00031: Association of Science/Technology Centers  
00032: Australian Embassy visit  
00033: Baltimore museums  
00034: Bassick, Jane  
00035: Blackburn policy statement  
00036: Black cemetery  
00037: Blanck, Ronald  
00038: Board meeting, Apr. 24  
00039: Body Perfect release  
00040: Booth testimony  
00041: Borun, Minda



00042: Brochure distribution service  
00043: Brown, Chip - alternative medicine article  
00044: Brown & Powers  
00045: Bulletin board message about exhibits  
00046: Butler-Hagan Civil War project  
00047: Cadet Nurse Corps  
00048: Caplan, Arthur  
00049: CAP Today clippings  
00050: Carmichael, Ann, conference  
00051: Carnegie Institution  
00052: Carnegie lectures  
00053: CBS Newspath  
00054: Chan, Gabriel E.  
00055: Children's Burn Awareness Program  
00056: Chris White Design  
00057: Civil War Journal  
00058: Civil War medicine (book excerpts)  
00059: Civil War Trail Association  
00060: Clark, Mary Higgins (Milton Helpern collection)  
00061: Cleveland Health Education Museum  
00062: Clinton health care briefing and health care benefits roundtable  
00063: Closing in on Cancer  
00064: CNN  
00065: Collections draft statement - anatomical specimens  
00066: College of Physicians tea  
00067: Columbus conference  
00068: Combined Federal Campaign (Stripe)  
00069: Community outreach program  
00070: Cornwell, Patricia  
00071: Corporation for Public Broadcasting  
00072: Correspondence, 1991-1993  
00073: Correspondence, 1993-1995  
00074: Correspondence, misc.  
00075: Corsello show  
00076: Cullison, Alan  
00077: Curator magazine  
00078: Davis, Cullom  
00079: Davis, Red (General Sickles)



00080: Death conference  
00081: "Death: The Trip of a Lifetime"  
00082: Deep River Publishing  
00083: DeFazio, Peter  
00084: Dept. of Defense press pack  
00085: Dept. of Energy grant  
00086: Dept. of Interior  
00087: Depression exhibit and program, Fall 1991  
00088: Depression exhibit list

**Box 002:**

00001: Detroit Free Press  
00002: Deutsches Hygiene-Museum  
00003: Devine, Leigh  
00004: Director's comments - NMHM newsletter  
00005: Director's schedule  
00006: Discover  
00007: "Diseases of the Prehistoric People"  
00008: Docent program  
00009: Donald, David Herbert  
00010: Donnelly, Dave  
00011: Eckart, Dennis  
00012: Einstein's brain  
00013: Eisenburg article - unconventional medicine  
00014: Emergency plan  
00015: Enola Gay controversy  
00016: Epps, Roz (Medical Society of D.C.)  
00017: Erlich, Julie  
00018: "Evaluation of Cast Methods..." (Laurie's publication)  
00019: Evolutionary medicine  
00020: Executive Committee minutes, July 1991  
00021: Exhibit designer resumes  
00022: Exhibit prototypes  
00023: Falsetti, Tony - alcoholism  
00024: Fanning, Odum  
00025: FDA statement on industry-supported activities  
00026: Federal bioethics panel



00027: Florentine Films  
00028: Foreign tourist contacts  
00029: Forensic capabilities  
00030: Forum, "Planning the Future of a NMHM," 1988  
00031: Forest Glen painting label  
00032: Forgotten films release  
00033: Foundation for Cartilage and Immunology Research  
00034: Freeman  
00035: From Darkness to Light release  
00036: Frontiers in Science  
00037: Fugh-Berman, Adriane  
00038: Garland, Neil, conference  
00039: Genentech/Burston-Marsteller  
00040: George Washington University  
00041: German medical exhibit - publicity  
00042: German medicine documentary  
00043: German museum photographs  
00044: Ghost-written pieces  
00045: Gifts of Health  
00046: "Global Responses: AIDS Posters and Printed Ephemera"  
00047: Goethe Institut  
00048: Goler, Rob  
00049: Grant application and annual report, 1991  
00050: Greener, Bill  
00051: Grob, Gerald N., release  
00052: Grupenhoff, John  
00053: Harkin/Hatfield hearing  
00054: Harris, Evelyn  
00055: Hausman, Sandy  
00056: Headache art exhibit  
00057: Health & Human Services task force  
00058: Health care reform  
00059: Health education exhibit  
00060: Health in the workplace  
00061: Health Science News - Micozzi interview  
00062: Healthy People 2000  
00063: Heart script  
00064: Helpern collection



00065: Henig, Robin - Alzheimer's article  
00066: Herbs for Health conference, Sept. 1991  
00067: Hieronimus, Zoh - new TV products  
00068: Hill & Knowlton  
00069: Historical societies, ethnic organizations, etc.  
00070: History Channel  
00071: History Factory  
00072: History of the museum - Armbrustmacher and Micozzi  
00073: Holocaust conference  
00074: Home & School Connection (Ernie Ryles)  
00075: Human Body/Human Being, 1993  
00076: Human Body/Human Being evaluation  
00077: Human Body/Human Being photographs  
00078: Human Growth Foundation  
00079: "Human Reproduction, Growth, and Development" advertising  
00080: Human rights conference  
00081: IBM tour  
00082: Indiana University conference  
00083: Insight travel guide  
00084: International Platform Association  
00085: Iron and cancer  
00086: Iron overload diseases  
00087: Islamic medicine  
00088: Italian American Foundation

**Box 003:**

00001: Jackson, Beverly  
00002: JAMA (Journal of the American Medical Association) - "Lincoln, Kennedy, and the Autopsy"  
00003: JAMA - Pulse  
00004: Japan  
00005: Jarvis Science Award/Afro-American Presence in Medicine reception  
00006: Jarvis Science Awards, 1991  
00007: Jarvis Science Awards, 1995  
00008: Jewish race science review  
00009: Jindal Aluminium  
00010: Job description



00011: Jobst, Kim - acupuncture article  
00012: Journal of Alternative and Complementary Medicine  
00013: Keepers of the Gate  
00014: Kellogg breakfast, May 13, 1994 [1 of 2]  
00015: Kellogg breakfast, May 13, 1994 [2 of 2]  
00016: King Ayi  
00017: Kirk, Mary Ann  
00018: Kirchnel, Gary  
00019: Knowledge Project  
00020: Koop, C. Everett  
00021: Koop - intriguing adventures release  
00022: Kraut, Alan  
00023: Leeches press release  
00024: Letterhead choices  
00025: Lifetime Medical Television (Tom Rockwell)  
00026: Lincoln - American Medical News article  
00027: Lincoln - AMWA Atlanta  
00028: Lincoln - French Anderson  
00029: Lincoln - autopsy articles  
00030: Lincoln - blood and bone pictures and measurements  
00031: Lincoln - briefing paper on testing program  
00032: Lincoln - Burlingame debate  
00033: Lincoln - correspondence  
00034: Lincoln - correspondence and articles  
00035: Lincoln - Glen Davidson  
00036: Lincoln - exhumation  
00037: Lincoln - Linda Fritts paper  
00038: Lincoln in the News, April 1995  
00039: Lincoln - Internal Medicine World Report  
00040: Lincoln - London Times article  
00041: Lincoln - Marion book  
00042: Lincoln - Dr. McKusick's article  
00043: Lincoln - media contacts  
00044: Lincoln - Micozzi letter to George Will  
00045: Lincoln - Minnesota  
00046: Lincoln - Le Monde article  
00047: Lincoln - National Marfan Foundation  
00048: Lincoln panel - Cetus-Roche Panel II



00049: Lincoln panel - Congressman Porter's charge  
00050: Lincoln panel - O'Leary remarks  
00051: Lincoln panel - Reilly questions  
00052: Lincoln panel - resumes and list  
00053: Lincoln panel - schedule  
00054: Lincoln panel - statement  
00055: Lincoln panel II - press clippings  
00056: Lincoln - phase II  
00057: Lincoln - Post articles and response  
00058: Lincoln - press clippings [1 of 2]  
00059: Lincoln - press clippings [2 of 2]

**Box 004:**

00001: Lincoln - press clippings [1 of 2]  
00002: Lincoln - press clippings [1 of 2]  
00003: Lincoln - Dr. Reiber's translation  
00004: Lincoln - Self-Destruction in the Promised Land  
00005: Lincoln - Smith script  
00006: Lincoln - special articles  
00007: Lincoln - Springfield conference  
00008: Lincoln - standard response to Congressional inquiries on Lincoln testing  
00009: Lincoln - thank you letters  
00010: Lincoln - Ed White  
00011: Lipkin, Jan - Medicine for the Public  
00012: Lippert-Martin, Kristen  
00013: Listings  
00014: Long, Huey  
00015: Lorten, Lou - proposal  
00016: Lockett, Ann (Lincoln shawl)  
00017: MacNeil/Lehrer  
00018: Marfan Syndrome  
00019: McClanahan, John  
00020: Media contacts  
00021: Medical College of Virginia, Richmond Forum (Lincoln program)  
00022: Medical Moments  
00023: "Medical Museums," Physicians Travel & Meeting Guide  
00024: Medical Technology and Practice Patterns Institute





00025: Memoranda  
00026: Mengele documentary  
00027: Mental health at NMHM  
00028: Mental health brochures  
00029: Metro  
00030: Metro Teen AIDS  
00031: Micozzi - biography and resume  
00032: Micozzi - commencement  
00033: Micozzi - correspondence on public relations  
00034: Micozzi - Executive Health Report  
00035: Micozzi - Health and Disease in the New World  
00036: Micozzi - A Health Care Model for the Next Century  
00037: Micozzi - mental health letters  
00038: Micozzi - miscellaneous writings  
00039: Micozzi - Pathways interview  
00040: Micozzi - photographs  
00041: Micozzi - public activities  
00042: Micozzi - Scientific Advisory Board letters  
00043: Micozzi - Viewing the Body script  
00044: Micozzi - World Book article on Gulf War  
00045: Miles advertisement  
00046: Mintz, Sidney, program  
00047: Mission statement  
00048: Mohr, Larry, reception  
00049: National Aids Exhibit Consortium  
00050: National Aids Exhibit Consortium - breakfast letters, 1992  
00051: National Aids Exhibit Consortium - breakfast, Oct. 1993  
00052: National Aids Exhibit Consortium - exhibit opening  
00053: National Aids Exhibit Consortium - Jan. 1992 meeting  
00054: National Aids Exhibit Consortium - media strategy  
00055: National Aids Exhibit Consortium - post Jan. 1992 activities  
00056: National Aids Exhibit Consortium - press clippings  
00057: National Aids Exhibit Consortium - press conference letters  
00058: National Aids Exhibit Consortium - press conference list  
00059: National Aids Exhibit Consortium - proposal 1993 and other business  
00060: National Foundation for Brain Research  
00061: National Health Council  
00062: National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke



- 00063: National Museum of Civil War Medicine
- 00064: "National Museum of Health and Medicine (NMHM): A Key Member of the Federal Health Community"
- 00065: NMHM articles
- 00066: NMHM articles, original
- 00067: NMHM as meeting site
- 00068: NMHM attendance
- 00069: NMHM brochures
- 00070: NMHM brochures - requests
- 00071: NMHM Foundation mission
- 00072: NMHM Foundation trustees photographs
- 00073: NMHM hours

**Box 005:**

- 0001: NMHM legislation
- 0002: NMHM planning - long term
- 0003: NMHM profiles - clippings
- 0004: NMMH restructuring
- 0005: NMHM signage
- 0006: National Telecommunications and Information Administration Grant – Libby/Adrienne
- 0007: National Youth Leadership Program
- 0008: Neergaard's AP story on museum
- 0009: New health network
- 0010: Newman, Don M. - charge to NMHM
- 0011: New Mexico media list
- 0012: New museum
- 0013: New Jersey health commissioner
- 0014: New York Botanic Garden
- 0015: New York Times op-ed background material
- 0016: NHK Television
- 0017: Nostalgia Television
- 0018: Novo Nordisk
- 0019: Nude posture photo scandal
- 0020: Nutrition project
- 0021: Oates, Stephen B.
- 0022: Office of Substance Abuse Prevention



0023: OMNI magazine  
0024: Patients give advice to NMHM  
0025: Patient is Abraham Lincoln exhibit  
0026: Patient is Abraham Lincoln exhibit enhancement  
0027: Paul, Ellen  
0028: Pentagon exhibit  
0029: Performance appraisals  
0030: Phillips, Stephen J.  
0031: Phoenix Park Gazette  
0032: Physicians for a Violence-Free Society  
0033: Porter, John  
0034: Post Digital Ink Company  
0035: Potential employees  
0036: Powderhouse Productions  
0037: Powter, Susan  
0038: President's Committee on the Arts and Humanities  
0039: Press release mailing list  
0040: Prof-Net  
0041: Program committee  
0042: Projects in Knowledge  
0043: Prostate cancer  
0044: Psychological groups - master list  
0045: Public program coordinator search  
0046: Public programs outline, 1995  
0047: Puerto Rico health education program  
0048: Quantum Australian science series  
0049: Quark, December 1994  
0050: Rabin, Ken  
0051: Record museum attendance  
0052: Reed, Walter, and yellow fever notes from Henry  
0053: Research activities at NMHM  
0054: Roche  
0055: Rodhams visit  
0056: Roth, Martin  
0057: Ruder-Finn  
0058: Saudi Academy  
0059: Scientific Advisory Board (SAB) - museum collections  
0060: Scientific American



0061: Scientists' Institute for Public Information  
0062: Self-help at NMHM  
0063: Sensenbrenner, F. James  
0064: Sensitive issues workshop  
0065: Shrunken men  
0066: SIDS  
0067: Silliphant Hall  
0068: Sixt, Dr. Dieta  
0069: Sledzik, Paul  
0070: Sledzik, Paul - vampire project  
0071: Smith, Dale - program  
0072: Smithsonian article on medicinal plants in China  
0073: Snake Hill  
0074: Soviet diplomat family tour  
0075: Soviet Lockheed delegation  
0076: Spark, Ron  
0077: "Splendid Hoax: Lincoln's Cabin" (Allison's program)  
0078: Stahl, Susan  
0079: St. Elizabeth's  
0080: St. Mary's City (lead coffins)  
0081: COL Stocker memo on warehouse  
0082: Street fairs/community festivals  
0083: Student applications  
0084: Sullivan (Undersecretary of Defense) visit  
0085: Taylor, Zachary  
0086: Teratology collection  
0087: Teratology collection  
0088: Todd, James - biography  
0089: Top Doctors  
0090: Toxic Death  
0091: To Your Health  
0092: Triple play media strategy  
0093: Trustees - J. Richard Munro and Joshua Lederberg  
0094: Trustees list  
0095: Trustees press releases  
0096: Under the Skin  
0097: Van Oss, Alex  
0098: Video Edition



0099: Video Ventures  
00100: Videotape proposal  
00101: Vitamin information  
00102: Washington Area Stroke Society (Dr. Ackerman)  
00103: Washington Convention and Visitors Association  
00104: Wellness summit (Jesse Jackson, Janet Smith)  
00105: WETA-TV  
00106: What about AIDS?  
00107: Will, George F.  
00108: Willcox, Allison  
00109: Women's health exhibit  
00110: World Aids Day  
00111: World Conference on Sexology, Rio  
00112: World from Within exhibit, May 1993  
00113: World from Within - Hirshhorn DuBuffet exhibit  
00114: World from Within - photos  
00115: World from Within release  
00116: WOR Radio  
00117: WTOP weather cancellation  
00118: Yellis, Ken

**Box 006:**

**Videotapes** (VHS format unless otherwise stated):

00001: National Museum of Health and Medicine, with C. Everett Koop; NMHM Foundation, 1992 (3 copies, one 3/4", one Beta)  
00002: Medical News Network feature on Lincoln, with Dr. Micozzi (2 copies)  
00003: WETA's Around Town, 5/6/93, announces "World from Within"  
00004: Armed Forces Digest, "Military Develops DNA Dogtag" (4/23/91), and CNN story on DNA  
00005: News stories on Lincoln - CBS, ABC, CNN, Tribune, most from 2/91  
00006: German medicine exhibit interview with Dr. Micozzi  
00007: Nightline 11/13/92, "The Mystery of St. Mary's" (Project Lead Coffins) - 2 copies  
00008: Tribune Broadcasting story on Lincoln's DNA  
00009: CNN News piece on NMHM's Lincoln exhibit, with Dick Levinson, 1992  
00010: Armed Forces Radio and Television Service Americana Series "Be Thankful," 10/15/91, with NMHM artifacts  
00011: CBS Newsline story on Lincoln panel with Dr. Micozzi



- 00012: CNN story on Lincoln 2/8/92
- 00013: Globo Comunidade, Brazil, 11/28/92, on AIDS
- 00014: CNN news 10/22/88, "Iron & Cancer" with Dr. Micozzi
- 00015: Eyewitness News, 1993, WUSA TV, Bob Althage's story on New England vampires with Paul Sledzik
- 00016: We the People bicentennial of the Constitution "moments," 1989
- 00017: Channel 7 News story on AIDS exhibit, 2/17/95 (2 copies)
- 00018: Hard Copy, Special Report: The Invisible Killer, on viruses with Marc Micozzi, 3/9/95
- 00019: Entertainment Tonight, "Outbreak" segment with NMHM footage and Marc Micozzi, 3/19/95
- 00020: America's Talking, Marc Micozzi interview, nd
- 00021: MIN Washington, "Teens and AIDS," 9/8/95 (in Arabic language)
- 00022: News Channel 8, story on teen AIDS program at NMHM, 7/28/95
- 00023: WJLA-TV story on AIDS exhibit, 2/8/95
- 00024: CNN interview with Marc Micozzi on iron and cancer, 10/22/88 (on tape with "How to Raise a Street Smart Kid" and "Suleyman the Magnificent")

**Audiotapes:**

- 00025: Test tape for Scientific Advisory Board, 11/10/92
- 00026: NPR Weekend Edition Saturday 12/5/92
- 00027: A Second Opinion, Dr. Corselo, National Wellness Coalition, 5/22/93
- 00028: WAMU talk show with Dr. Micozzi, 2/14/91 and 12/27/91
- 00029: Lincoln Panel meetings, May 1-2, 1991 (9 tapes)
- 00030: All Things Considered, review of "Fight Syphilis" and "Know For Sure," 12/1/94 (3 copies)
- 00031: Kellogg Breakfast, 5/13/94 (2 copies)
- 00032: Rob Goler introducing "Fight Syphilis" and "Know For Sure" (Forgotten Films program), 12/2/94

**Disks:** (primarily MultiMate documents)