

National Archives and Records Administration  
REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION AUTHORITY

Records Schedule Number: DAA-0330-2016-0018

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## General Information

Agency or Establishment	Office of the Secretary of Defense
Record/Scheduling Group	0330 - Records of the Office of the Secretary of Defense
Records Schedule Applies To	Agency-wide
Schedule Subject	Vietnam Vascular Registry
Additional Schedule Information	<p>The Vietnam Vascular Registry (VVR) was established in 1966 to provide a longitudinal medical study of U.S. military service members who suffered injuries to arteries or veins during the Vietnam War. A primary purpose was to evaluate the long-term success of surgery to repair these blood vessels. Injured military members were included in the study during the period from 1966 to 1973, and their medical histories were tracked through 1978.</p> <p>The VVR was conducted by the U. S. Army and later transferred to the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences (USUHS).</p>
Is There a Classified Version of This Schedule?	No
Is consultation and coordination with Tribal Governments required?	Predate requirement

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## Item Count

Total number of disposition items: 3

Number of Temporary disposition items: 0

Number of Permanent disposition items: 3

Number of Items with Disposition Not Approved: 0

Number of Inactive disposition items: 1

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Outline of Records Schedule Items for DAA-0330-2016-0018

Item #	Title	Disposition
0001	Vietnam Vascular Registry case files (hard copy)	Permanent
0002	Vietnam Vascular Registry electronic index	Permanent
0004	Vietnam Vascular Registry case files (electronic copy)	Permanent

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Records Schedule Items

DAA-0330-2016-0018-0001		STATUS: INACTIVE - NOT FOR USE
ITEM GENERAL INFORMATION		
Item Title	Vietnam Vascular Registry case files (hard copy)	
Item Description	Case files comprising the Vietnam Vascular Registry, relating to the medical condition and treatment of U.S. military service members who suffered injuries to arteries or veins during the Vietnam War. These are hard copy files. The files primarily consist of textual records such as clinical records, correspondence, and follow-up questionnaires. Files may also include a few medical charts, photographs, and 8 ½ inch by 11 inch X-rays. There are approximately 7,500 case files, arranged by case file number. The records date from 1966 to the early 1980s.	
Is this item media neutral?	No	
Media limitation	Paper/analog only	
Is this item a Big Bucket?		
SUPERSEDED AGENCY DISPOSITION AUTHORITIES AND GRS DEVIATIONS		
Does this item supersede existing disposition authorities?	No	
Is this item a deviation from the GRS?	No	
DISPOSITION INSTRUCTION		
<b>DO NOT USE. This item is inactive because NARA accessioned the records. The Transfer Request number is TR-0330-2020-0047</b>		
Final Disposition	Permanent	
Are there multiple instructions for this item?	No	
Transfer Instruction	Transfer to the National Archives immediately after approval of this schedule.	
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		
Approximate first year of records covered by this authority	1966	
End year of records covered by this authority	Year: 1984	
Date span of the initial transfer	From: --/--/1966 To: --/--/1984	

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Are any of the records covered by  
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exemption?

DAA-0330-2016-0018-0002		STATUS: Active
ITEM GENERAL INFORMATION		
Item Title	Vietnam Vascular Registry electronic index	
Item Description	Electronic index to the Vietnam Vascular Registry (VVR). Each record contains the VVR case number, name of the injured U. S. military service member, and blood vessel(s) injured.	
Is this item media neutral?	No	
Media limitation	Digital only	
Is this item a Big Bucket?		
SUPERSEDED AGENCY DISPOSITION AUTHORITIES AND GRS DEVIATIONS		
Does this item supersede existing disposition authorities?	No	
Is this item a deviation from the GRS?	No	
DISPOSITION INSTRUCTION		
Final Disposition	Permanent	
Are there multiple instructions for this item?	No	
Transfer Instruction	Other: Transfer a copy of the electronic index to the National Archives upon approval of this schedule.	
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		
Approximate first year of records covered by this authority	1966	
End year of records covered by this authority	Year: 1973	
Date span of the initial transfer	From: --/--/1966 To: --/--/1973	
Are any of the records covered by this item subject to a FOIA exemption?		

DAA-0330-2016-0018-0004		STATUS: Active
ITEM GENERAL INFORMATION		
Item Title	Vietnam Vascular Registry case files (electronic copy)	
Item Description	Scanned (electronic) copies of the Vietnam Vascular Registry case files covered by item 0001. X-rays are not included in these electronic copies.	

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Is this item media neutral?	No
Media limitation	Digital only
Is this item a Big Bucket?	
<b>SUPERSEDED AGENCY DISPOSITION AUTHORITIES AND GRS DEVIATIONS</b>	
Does this item supersede existing disposition authorities?	No
Is this item a deviation from the GRS?	No
<b>DISPOSITION INSTRUCTION</b>	
Final Disposition	Permanent
Are there multiple instructions for this item?	No
Transfer Instruction	Transfer to the National Archives immediately after approval of this schedule.
<b>ADDITIONAL INFORMATION</b>	
Approximate first year of records covered by this authority	1966
End year of records covered by this authority	Year: 1984
Date span of the initial transfer	From: --/--/1966 To: --/--/1984
Are any of the records covered by this item subject to a FOIA exemption?	

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Signatory Information

Action	User	Date
Approve	David Ferriero	12/06/2018