Humans in Medical Experiments: Issues of Social Justice

Exhibit highlights eleven instances of human experimentation from 1796 to 2013. Displays include early experiments on digestion and X-rays, WWII experiments by the Nazis and Japanese, experiments for the Manhattan Project, Atomic Energy Commission, and Holmesburg Prison. Panels and materials provided by the University Human Subjects Office describe the past, present and future of Protection of Human Research Subjects.

William Beaumont, 1822-1833

William Morton and the X-ray, 1896-1905

Holmesburg Prison, 1951-1974