

This research guide is the primary source and research materials regarding nurses and nursing in World War II (WW2) held at the Bates Center. All collection guides can be located at nursing.upenn.edu/history/archive-collections/ and selecting Finding Aids and Inventories.

[Doris R. Schwartz papers](#)

Contains a folder with letters sent home during service, diary during the war, articles about nursing and World War 2, and photographs taken while in service. There is also an interview taken by Susan Reverby where Doris Schwartz discusses her experience in the war.

[Mary C. Brennan papers](#)

This collection has photographs taken during the war along with documents and career information during her years of services in the army.

[Lillian Sholtis Brunner papers](#)

In this collection there are assorted articles collect about nursing in World War 2.

[Jeanne Quint Benoliel papers](#)

Dr. Benoliel's collection documents her years in the Army, including her military files and correspondence received during service. Within publications and speeches, she also discusses her experience as a nurse overseas.

[Rose Anna Tram papers](#)

This collection contains numerous photographs taken during the war along with army documentations.

[Marietta H. Madden papers](#)

In this series are files relating to her army career, such as letters of appointment and promotions; discharge certificate; several manuals pertaining to military training and uniform regulations; and an article Madden co-authored titled "Two Weeks of Active Duty" in the American Journal of Nursing (1954).

[Barbara G. Schutt papers](#)

A reflection piece, "The Impact of World War II On My Career."

[Presbyterian School of Nursing records](#)

A scrapbook of memorabilia from nurses who participated in World War II. In addition, annual reports may also have information about nurses in the war.

[Joan E. Lynaugh papers](#)

Research notes on World War II.

[International Council of Nurses Nurse Refugee files](#)

During the post war years of World War 2, the International Council of Nurses provided a means of establishing and verifying credentials for over 3,000 displaced nurses throughout the world. This collection contains the ICN's nurse refugee files.

[Postcard collection](#)

A series of cartoon images of the nurse during World War II.

[Alumni Association of the Albert Einstein Medical Center School of Nursing records and historical collection](#)

Nurses shared their experiences of wartime duty in the association's bulletins. The Board of Director's meeting minutes also reference nurses during the war.

[Methodist Episcopal Hospital \(Philadelphia\) School of Nursing records](#)

Records of Financial Contributions to the U.S. Cadet Nurse Corps Fund.

[Edith Nunan collection](#)

Research materials collected on individual nurses.

[Alumni Association of the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing collection, MC 184](#)

Recruitment pamphlets, Navy Hospital Ship WWII (description of layout, image of nurse), Battle of the Bulge (1944)- Memories by Mickey Gilberg De Fontes (HUP 1940), The HUP 20th General Hospital Burma/Assam, a history, uniforms from the Army, Navy, Cadet Corps, personal letters, photographs, pamphlets, and articles from newspapers, military discharge badge and pin.