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The Joan Carson Wargo Collection:  
Mercy Hospital School of Nursing, Class of 1952

Collection Description

**Extent:** 1 folder; 3 books; physical artifacts

**Provenance:** Joan Carson Wargo, RN

**Access:** The collection is unrestricted. It is a teaching collection.

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**Collection Contents:**

Oversize Box 5:

1. Mercy Hospital School of Nursing, Class of 1952 composite photograph
2. *Spirit: A commitment to nursing*. Anniversary edition, Fall 1999. [Mercy Medical Center Development Department]. [unpaged magazine]
3. Class of 1952 Fiftieth anniversary reunion, May 5, 2002. 1-page "what I did the last 50 summers" statements from class members, with recent photos. Includes photocopy of JCW entry as submitted, and correspondence with reunion committee members.
4. Joan Carson graduation photograph, 5x7", color
5. Joan Carson Wargo with husband Don Wargo and another couple, apparently at Mercy Hospital 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Class of 1952. 4x6", color.

**Books and Physical Artifacts:**

1. Mercy Hospital School of Nursing graduation uniform (white cotton, pearl buttons); wool cape (blue with red lining; 28" length); nurse cap (white organdy with pleated edge).
2. Mercy Hospital Nursing Procedure (circa 1948). Looseleaf notebook, leather bound, 9¾ x 9". Produced from carbon typescript by unknown copy/printing process. [[table of contents, pages 1-40 are scanned for CON classroom use](#); permission letter is filed in Oversize Box 5]
3. Faddis, M.O., & Grime, H.E. (1948). *The mathematics of solutions and dosage, including simple arithmetic* (3<sup>rd</sup> ed.) Philadelphia: J. B. Lippincott.
4. Student dissection kit: stainless steel instruments – 1 scalpel, 3 probes, 1 forceps, in fabric/leather folding case. [size 2½ x 7" when folded]

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