

Cours de matière medicale par monsieur Alphonse Leroy

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Summary Information

Repository	University of Pennsylvania: Kislak Center for Special Collections, Rare Books and Manuscripts
Title	Cours de matière medicale par monsieur Alphonse Leroy
Call number	Ms. Codex 1817
Date	between 1770-1780
Extent	1 volume
Language	French
Language Note	In French.
Abstract	Volume containing lecture notes in French by an unknown student probably between the years 1770 to 1780. The lecture course in materia medica was taught by Alphonse Vincent Louis Antoine Leroy.

Cite as:

Cours de matière medicale par monsieur Alphonse Leroy, between 1770-1780, Ms. Codex 1817, Kislak Center for Special Collections, Rare Books and Manuscripts, University of Pennsylvania

Scope and Contents

Leather bound volume containing lecture notes in French by an unknown student probably between the years 1770 to 1780. The lecture course in materia medica was taught by Alphonse Vincent Louis Antoine Leroy, a Parisian professor of medicine and physician of obstetrics and pediatrics. The lecture notes comprise studies of acids, air, astringents, earth, electricity, honey, metals, oil, plants, purgatives, and soaps and their effects on the body. There are discussions regarding the body concerning bile, digestion, formation of the body, sweat, and thirst. The numbered pages and the table of contents at the end of the volume appear to be in a different hand. They were probably written by Doctor Bodson of Liège whose inscription is facing the title page: Bodson docteur n Médecine à Liège 1786. "Cours de matie medicate" is stamped on the spine.

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Custodial History note

Inscription facing first page: Bodson docteur n Médecine à Liège 1786

Source of Acquisition

Sold by Leo Cadogan Rare Books (London, England), 2017.

Controlled Access Headings

FORM/GENRE(S)

- Codices (bound manuscripts)
- Lecture notes
- Manuscripts, French--18th century

PERSONAL NAME(S)

- Leroy, Alphonse Vincent Louis Antoine, 1741?-1816

SUBJECT(S)

- Materia medica--Early works to 1800
- Medicine--France--Study and teaching--18th century

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