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**Krewe of Aesclepius**



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## 711 Krewe of Aesclepius 2000-2014

2.5 linear feet

The Krewe of Aesclepius began at LSU Medical Center in 1990. Named for Aesclepius, the Greek god of healing, the krewe is comprised of medical professionals throughout the Ark-La-Tex. Members represent health related vocations including physicians, nurses, pharmacists, engineers, educators, administrators, technicians and more. The krewe hosts an annual parade focused toward children and it works with other area krewes to promote the growth of local Mardi Gras celebrations. Aesclepius is active in sponsoring and providing volunteers for a variety of charity functions benefiting pediatric wings, burn units, nursing homes and cancer patients to name a few. This small collection contains programs, invitations, DVDs and souvenir coins.

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Box 1

Invitations to Bal Masque - 2003; 2009; 2011; 2012

(not complete)

Programs –Royalty Coronation - 2003 (3) (not complete)

Cookbook – undated

Coins – 2000 (2)	2010 (1)
2002 (2)	2011 (2)
2003 (4)	2012 (3)
2004 (2)	2013 (2)
2008 (2)	2014 (1)
2009 (3)	(not complete)

Box 2

Programs – Bal Masque 1998; 2000-2003; 2005; 2007-2009; 2011-2014 (not complete)

Box 3 – VHS tapes and DVDs

VHS – 1996 (4); 1998 (1); 2005 (1)

DVDs – Bal Masque – 2006; 2011 (3)

Box 4 – Tapes – unidentified and undated

On shelf: Framed photograph: *“Presented to **Krewe of Aesclepius** in Appreciation of your Dedication and Support of Children and Arthritis Network June 9, 2006”*