

HISTORY OF MEDICINE

CREDIT MAIN TOPICS

Medical treatment in ancient Mesopotamia

The golden age of Hindu medicine

Traditional Chinese medicine

Ancient Greek medicine and the humoral theory

Ancient Perso-Arabic Medicine

Medical studies in the Middle Ages; the Salernian school

Pandemic diseases in the Middle Ages and in Modern Times

Early modern negations of Galen's theories

Early modern surgery, anatomical and blood circulation studies

Iatrochemistry

Inoculation

The beginnings of obstetrics as medical discipline

Bacteriology and medicine in the 19th century

The introduction of anaesthesia

Industrialisation and public health ca. 1750-1950

Early studies in tropical medicine

Early advances in antimicrobial chemotherapy

The discovery of penicillin and its application through to the 1960s

Nazi concentration camp experiments and their scientific values

Advancement in endocrinology and metabolism at the turn of the 20th century

19th-20th –century studies on the importance of vitamins

The beginnings of clinical heart transplantation