Many histories have been written about medical care during the American Civil War, but the participation and contributions of African Americans as nurses, surgeons and hospital workers have often been overlooked.

Binding Wounds, Pushing Boundaries: African Americans in Civil War Medicine looks at the men and women who served as surgeons and nurses and how their work as medical providers challenged the prescribed notions of race and gender.

OPENING RECEPTION DATE
Wed. March 21st
4:30 – 6:00 PM
LOCATION
Wayne State University
Shiffman Medical Library
320 E. Canfield, Detroit Mi
Atrium and Stapleton Room

Description
* 6-Panel Exhibit on Loan from National Library of Medicine
* WSU Tour 3/19 – 4/28/2012
* Learn the History of African Americans in Civil War Medicine
* Guest Speakers & Visual Displays
* Audience: WSU Community – Faculty, Students, Staff, Guests
* Light Refreshments, Limited Space
* More Info at www.lib.wayne.edu/bw

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