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MEDICINE OF THE ANCIENT EGYPTIANS

A slide lecture by Prof. Eugen Strouhal, PhD

Wednesday, March 28, 2012 at 6:30 PM
Bohemian National Hall, 321 E 73 Str., 3rd fl.

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The lecture will explore the beginnings of scientific medicine in ancient Egyptian civilization. Thirteen ancient medical papyri recorded the level of the empiric knowledge of anatomy, patho-physiology and therapy. Prof. Strouhal will present the amazingly advanced surgical practices in ancient Egypt while the internal medicine and gynecology still relied mostly on religious rituals and remedies of plant, animal and mineral origin.

Prof. Strouhal is a leading expert on Egyptian medicine. He has degrees in medicine, archeology and anthropology. He worked for 24 years at the Náprstek Museum in Prague and now, lectures paleo-pathology and history of medicine at Charles University Medical School in Prague, and anthropology at West Bohemian University in Pilsen.

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