

## The Many Faces of Polio



President Franklin Delano Roosevelt  
This is the only known photograph of  
President Roosevelt in a wheelchair.

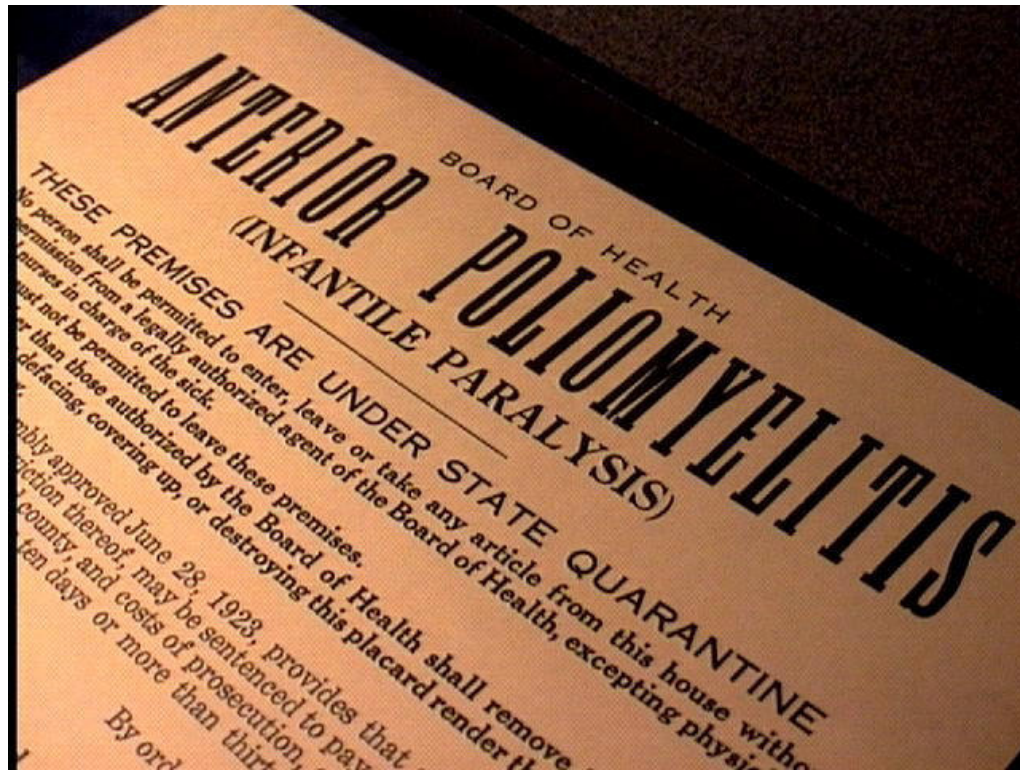


March of Dimes coin banks.  
These banks were placed near  
the cash registers of retail  
merchants, restaurants, and  
theaters to receive donations for  
the fight against polio.



Respiratory Polio Ward  
Rancho Los Amigos National Rehabilitation Center , Downey, California

## The Many Faces of Polio



Polio Quarantine Sign



Egyptian stele depicting Siptah, an Egyptian Pharaoh, who many historians believe had polio. Notice his atrophied leg and his walking stick.



Leg braces, common in the era of polio epidemics, and still used by some polio survivors to this day.



# The Many Faces of Polio

Hollywood and the Sports World Helped in the Fight Against Polio



Danny Kaye and Bing Crosby



Elvis Presley



Marilyn Monroe



Arnold Palmer

## The Many Faces of Polio



At times there were so many polio patients that hospitals erected tents to provide additional space for care and treatment.



At left and below: Children in line to get their shot of the Salk polio vaccine.

