## ORAL HISTORY COLLECTION

**MAIN ENTRY:** Cobos, Everardo

**DATE OF INTERVIEW:** June 23, 2000

**LOCATION OF INTERVIEW:** University Cancer Center, Lubbock, Texas

**INTERVIEWER:** Wallis Sanborn

**FORMAT:** File on Server, Cassette Tape, Digital8 videotape

**IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:** 

**LENGTH OF INTERVIEW:** 59 minutes

**SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE:** Dr. Everardo Cobos is a medical doctor at The

University Medical Center. He is originally from Mexico; he addressed his thoughts about different

cultures and ethnicities.

**ABSTRACT:** 

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Introduction

Background 0:00

Ancestry

Moved to El Paso

The only black school in El Paso

University of Texas at El Paso

Medical School; University of Texas at San Antonio 0:10

Hospital affiliated with Texas Tech

Military obligation

Dreams as a child

Decided to work in health care

Tension in school

Medical School

Love for helping people

Director of cancer center Identifying with patients Obligation Satisfaction Faculty members and students Ignorance 0:20 Bridge between students and patients Clinical studies Training and education Research Cancer Agriculture field Racial Harmony Misconceptions and stereotypes Fear of the unknown Multiracial country Labels Hispanic 0:30 Mexican Spanish-American Chicano Identifying with a culture Anglos 0:40 Asians Mass Media Acknowledging ancestry Representation Lubbock media 0:50 Little minority representation Interest in Chicano writing Interview ends

## DATE OF BIRTH OF INFORMANT:

**GENDER OF INFORMANT:** Male

ETHNICITY OF INFORMANT: Mexican American