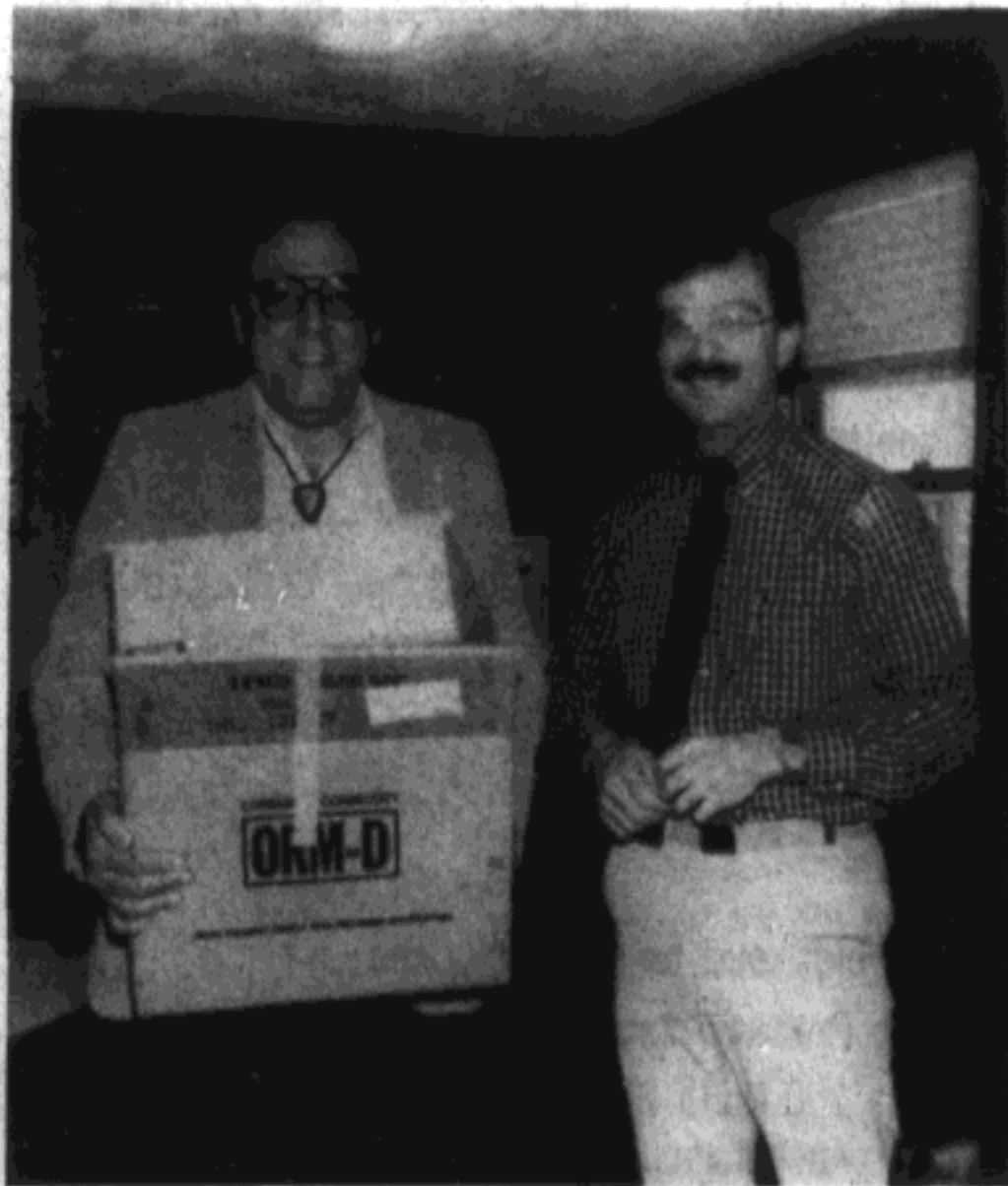


Vaccine delivered

Fifty thousand dollars worth of Hepatitis B vaccine was delivered to Area Director G.H. Ivey of Alaska Area Native Health Service as a donation from the University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry.

Dr. William M. Valenti, Assistant Professor of Medicine and Hospital Epidemiologist at the University of Rochester traveled to Anchorage April 4 to deliver the vaccine in person.

The University received more vaccine than was needed to vaccinate their hospital employees and a former Bethel physician now at the University, Dr. Frank Domurat, an Internist, suggested the surplus vaccine would be put to good use in Alaska. The donated vaccine will be used in the joint Indian Health Service/State of Alaska Hepatitis B program and will be administered to Alaska Natives



Area director G.H. Ivey (left) accepts surplus Hepatitis B vaccine from Dr. William Valenti.