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Homes and Residential Facilities Reports, Hearing and Press
Clipping Files 11586**

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Overview of the Records

Repository:	New York State Archives
Summary:	In 1975, Governor Hugh Carey invoked Section 6 of the Executive Law (Moreland Act), and by Executive Order #2 he appointed Morris B. Abram as commissioner to investigate state management of non-governmental nursing homes or facilities that received direct or indirect federal, state, or local aid, or provided care or services to any individual receiving such aid. The series consists of typescript copies of the commission's various reports, copies of public and executive session hearing testimony, and press clipping files.
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Title:	Moreland Act Commission on Nursing Homes and Residential Facilities reports, hearing and press clipping files
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Arrangement

Arranged by type of record, then roughly chronological.

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Administrative History

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Specifically, the commission was authorized to study, investigate, review, and make recommendations on the affairs of any state department, board, bureau or commission that exercised direction, supervision, visitation, inspection, funding or other control of any non-governmental nursing home, residential facility, or home providing residential health or allied services.

With the appointment of Dr. Isadore Rossman, Peter A.A. Berle, Aminda Wilkins, and Dorothy B. Wadsworth as commissioners, Morris Abram was designated chair of the commission.

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Scope and Content Note

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Other Finding Aids

Available at Repository

Container list is available at the repository.

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Use of Records

Access Restrictions

All investigative materials in Moreland Act commission records are indefinitely restricted pursuant to Executive Law sect. 6 and 63.8 and Civil Rights Law sect. 73.8. Requests for access to such materials are referred to the Governor's Office.

Access Terms

- Clippings (information artifacts)
- Public health
- Nursing homes--New York (State)
- Reports
- Managing public health
- Long term care facilities--New York (State)
- Governmental investigations
- Older people--Medical care--New York (State)
- New York (State)
- Investigating nursing homes
- Institutional care--New York (State)
- Testimonies