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Willard Psychiatric Center Director's photograph and news clipping file B1475

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Overview of the Records

Repository:	New York State Archives
Summary:	This series consists entirely of news clippings and photographs from the office of the Director of Willard State Hospital (later Willard Psychiatric Center). The topic of the bulk of the clippings is an investigation of alleged patient abuse and administrative irregularities (1977-1978). Photographs depict various staff, patient, and hospital unit activities. One group of photographs has captions attached; these appear to have been collected for a brochure promoting the facility.
Creator:	Willard Psychiatric Center (N.Y.)
Title:	Willard Psychiatric Center Director's photograph and news clipping file
Quantity:	2 cubic feet
Inclusive Date:	1970-1979
Bulk Date:	(bulk 1977-1978)
Series:	B1475

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Arrangement

Arranged roughly by type of record.

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Scope and Content Note

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Related Information

Related Material

B1442Series B1442, Willard Documentary Images, contains other photographs from Willard State Hospital.

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Use of Records

Access Restrictions

Patient identification photographs are restricted in accordance with Section 33.13, Mental Hygiene Law, relating to confidentiality of clinical records. Access permitted under certain conditions upon application to and approval by the Office of Mental Health.

Administrative Information

Custodial History

These records were transferred to the State Archives from Willard Psychiatric Center at the time of its closure in April, 1995.

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Access Terms

- Willard (N.Y.)
- Administering psychiatric hospitals
- Mentally ill--Care--New York (State)
- New York (State)
- Mental health facilities--New York (State)

- Psychiatric hospitals--New York (State)--Administration
- Photographs
- Clippings (information artifacts)
- Publicizing
- Mentally ill--Abuse of--New York (State)
- Seneca County (N.Y.)
- Documenting patients
- Willard State Hospital (N.Y.)
- New York (State). Office of Mental Health
- New York (State). Department of Mental Hygiene