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**Utica State Hospital Statements and Transcripts Relating to
Incidents Involving Alleged Staff Misconduct or Neglect of
Duty B1593**

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Overview of the Records

Repository:	New York State Archives
Summary:	This series documents official investigations into complaints of charges of misconduct or neglect of duty by staff members. The complaints originate from patients, former patients, and staff members. Record types include correspondence from former patients and notifications of hearings, personnel suspensions, and terminations. Types of incidents include escapes, accidents, injuries to staff members and patients, intoxication on duty, gambling, inappropriate use of force in restraining patients, and other inappropriate conduct.
Creator:	Utica State Hospital (N.Y.)
Title:	Utica State Hospital statements and transcripts relating to incidents involving alleged staff misconduct or neglect of duty
Quantity:	0.1 cubic feet
Quantity:	(circa 30 files)
Inclusive Date:	1926-1929
Series:	B1593

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Arrangement

Roughly chronological by date of incident or investigation.

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Scope and Content Note

This series consists of roughly 30 incident reports, documenting official investigations into complaints of charges of misconduct or neglect of duty by staff members. The complaints originate from patients, former patients, and staff members. Record types include correspondence from former patients and notifications of hearings, personnel suspensions, and terminations.

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Use of Records

Access Restrictions

Records identifying patients are restricted in accordance with Mental Hygiene Law, Section 33.13, relating to confidentiality of clinical records. Access is permitted under certain conditions upon approval by the Office of Mental Health.

Access Terms

- Oneida County (N.Y.)
- Administering psychiatric hospitals
- Accidents--New York (State)
- Transcripts
- New York (State)
- Mental health facilities--New York (State)
- Mentally ill--Abuse of--New York (State)
- Reports
- Utica (N.Y.)
- Psychiatric hospitals--Employees--New York (State)
- Memorandums
- Investigating
- New York (State). Office of Mental Health
- New York (State). Department of Mental Hygiene