



New York State Archives

Manhattan State Hospital Patient Identification Cards B2406

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Overview of the Records

Repository:	New York State Archives
Summary:	This series gives basic identifying information for Manhattan State Hospital patients.
Creator:	New York (State). Department of Mental Hygiene
Title:	Manhattan State Hospital patient identification cards
Quantity:	10 cubic feet
Inclusive Date:	1945-1965
Series:	B2406

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Arrangement

By gender, then alphabetical.

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Scope and Content Note

This series gives basic identifying information for Manhattan State Hospital patients. Information given changes slightly over time but includes name, identification number, date of admission, date of birth, male or female, race or color, birthplace, occupation, height, weight, eye color, hair color, complexion, build, residence, address, distinguishing features, and finger print impressions. Diagnosis is also sometimes given.

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Use of Records

Access Restrictions

Restricted in accordance with Section 33.13, Mental Hygiene Law, relating to confidentiality of clinical records. Access permitted under certain conditions upon approval by the Office of Mental Health.

Access Terms

- Treating mentally ill patients
- Mentally ill
- Documenting psychiatric hospitals
- Psychiatric hospital patients
- New York (State)
- Mental health facilities
- New York (State). Office of Mental Health
- Middletown State Hospital (N.Y.)