Guide to the Older Women's League, San Diego County Chapter Records

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The Older Women’s League (OWL) is a national membership organization addressing the special concerns of midlife and older women. Furthering public policy changes through research and education, OWL works to improve the image and status of the older woman, to provide mutual support for its members, and to achieve economic and social equity.

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II. Issues and Concerns

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Scope and Contents

The collection includes publications, minutes, clippings, and scrapbooks. It is arranged in six series: Organizational Records, Issues and Concerns, Publications / Meetings / Conferences / Programs / Workshops, News Clippings / Photographs / Miscellaneous, and Scrapbooks.

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