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Descriptive Summary

Title: Rhea Carolyn Ackerman Papers,
Date (inclusive): 1913-1969
Collection number: 1056
Creator: Ackerman, Rhea Carolyn, 1896-
Extent: 2 boxes (1 linear ft.)
Repository: University of California, Los Angeles. Library Special Collections.
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Abstract: Rhea C. Ackerman (1896- ) worked at Los Angeles Juvenile Hall (1929-43), the Children's Hospital of Los Angeles (1943-51), and was the director of public relations at Cedars of Lebanon Hospital (1954-59). The collection consists of correspondence, clippings, and memorabilia related to Ackerman's career as a hospital administrator.

Physical location: Stored off-site at SRLF. Advance notice is required for access to the collection. Please contact the UCLA Library Special Collections Reference Desk for paging information.

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Biography
Ackerman was born in 1896; began working at Los Angeles Juvenile Hall, 1929; assistant superintendent, Los Angeles Juvenile Hall, 1929-36; superintendent, 1936-43; assistant administrator of Children's Hospital of Los Angeles, 1943-51; director of public relations, Cedars of Lebanon Hospital, 1954-59.

Scope and Content
Collection consists of correspondence, clippings, and memorabilia related to Ackerman's work at Cedars of Lebanon Hospital, Children's Hospital of Los Angeles, and as Supervisor of Los Angeles Juvenile Hall.

Indexing Terms
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog.
Ackerman, Rhea Carolyn, 1896--Archives.
Cedars of Lebanon Hospital (Los Angeles, Calif.).
Children's Hospital of Los Angeles.
Los Angeles County Juvenile Hall.
Women correctional personnel--California--Los Angeles--Archival resources.

Related Material
Juvenile Hall Superintendent [oral history transcript] / Rhea C. Ackerman, interviewee. UCLA Oral History Department interview, 1968. Available at UCLA Library Special Collections, Charles E. Young Research Library.

Rhea Carolyn Ackerman Papers, ca. 1913-1969.

Physical Description: (2 boxes, ca. 300 pieces.)

Scope and Content Note
Correspondence, clippings, and memorabilia relating to Miss Ackerman's work at Cedars of Lebanon Hospital, Children's Hospital, and as Supervisor of Los Angeles Juvenile Hall, 1929-1943.