

EDITH M. STERN (1901-1974) PAPERS ARCHIVES FINDING AID

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BIOGRAPHY

Edith M. Stern was a writer on various psychiatric subjects, especially magazine articles, and the author of several books including: *Mental Illness: A Guide for the Family*, *The Handicapped Child: A Guide for Parents*, and *You and Your Aging Parents*. She also wrote three novels. Edith Stern served on the Maryland State Board of Mental Hygiene from January 1947 until June 1949, when it was abolished. She received several awards including the American Psychiatric Association Robert T. Morse Writer's Award in 1966.

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The papers of Edith Stern came to the Archives of the American Psychiatric Association from her estate through the efforts of Robert L. Robinson. These papers are only a small part of her collection, the rest being on deposit with National Graduate University's Library. The collection totals .25 linear feet and is comprised of one series: Miscellaneous correspondence. This correspondence represents Mrs. Stern's work with the Maryland State Board of Mental Hygiene, the American Psychiatric Association and other matters.

SERIES: Miscellaneous correspondence

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1. Maryland State Board of Mental Hygiene, August 1946-August 1947
2. Maryland State Board of Mental Hygiene, September 1947-August 1948
3. Maryland State Board of Mental Hygiene, September-December 1948
4. Maryland State Board of Mental Hygiene, January 1949-February 1950 and Kenneth Jones correspondence., 1954-1962
5. Maryland State Board of Mental Hygiene, Rosewood Training School, 1946-1972
6. American Psychiatric Association, 1949-1959
7. American Psychiatric Association, 1960-1968
8. Psychiatry in America, Story of, Harper and Row, 1965-1968

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