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**A Finding Aid to the
Orthodox Jewish Home for the Aged
(Cincinnati, Ohio) Records**

Manuscript Collection No. 801

Collection Summary

Title	Orthodox Jewish Home for the Aged (Cincinnati, Ohio) Records
Dates	1957-1978
Collection Number	MS-801
Repository	The Jacob Rader Marcus Center of the American Jewish Archives
Creator	Orthodox Jewish Home for the Aged (Cincinnati, Ohio)
Extent	1.4 linear feet (1 record carton, 1 Hollinger box)
Language of the Material	English

Administrative Information

Biographical Sketch	In 1906, the Ladies Benevolent Society of Cincinnati proposed the establishment of an Orthodox Home for the Aged. It was to be merged with the Avondale Old Home (later Glen Manor), but due to a disagreement over whether the food needed to be kosher or not, the merger fell through. Instead, on September 15, 1914, the Orthodox Jewish Home was opened as an additional facility to complement the more religiously liberal Glen Manor (founded in the 1880s). Numerous proposals followed over the next eighty years to unite the two homes, but they remained separate. In the 1990s, the migration of the Jewish community to the northern suburbs necessitated the removal of both homes to a new location. These moves served as impetus for a merger in March 1997, and the new Jewish home of Cedar Village was created, which serves senior citizens of all Jewish denominations. Cedar Village offers social activities, physical and mental health services, dietary services, and housekeeping to all of its residents. The institution is staffed by both an Orthodox and a Reform rabbi, and an Orthodox synagogue and Reform temple offer worship services side by side.
Scope and Content	The collection contains board and annual meeting minutes, together with various committee minutes from 1957-1978.
Arrangement	This collection is arranged in one (1) series: A. General.
Terms of Access	The collection is open for use; no restrictions apply.
Preferred Citation	Footnotes and bibliographic references should refer to the Orthodox Jewish Home for the Aged (Cincinnati, Ohio) Records and the American Jewish Archives. A suggestion for at least the first citation is as follows: [Description], [Date], Box #, Folder #. MS-801. Orthodox Jewish Home for the Aged (Cincinnati, Ohio) Records. American Jewish Archives, Cincinnati, Ohio.
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Index Terms

Subjects	Jews -- Ohio -- Cincinnati / Orthodox Judaism
Media	Minutes

Series A. General, 1957-1978

Box and Folder Listing

- Box 1. Folder 1-17. Minutes, 1957-1974
- Box 2. Folder 1-4. Minutes, 1975-1978