OVERVIEW

Series Title: Subject Files.
Quantity: 3.5 cubic feet (3 boxes and 1 partial box).
Location: See Detailed Description section for box locations

SCOPE AND CONTENTS

The first set of files (1973-1990), were kept primarily by Dorothy Petsch, a research and analysis specialist for the Human Services Division. They cover such topics as AIDS, battered women's shelters, the catastrophic health expense program, children, health care and insurance, the homeless, the Interagency Board for Quality Assurance, long term care, the Minnesota Comprehensive Health Association, subsidized housing, and youth grants.

The files of Linda Sutherland (1984-1991), assistant commissioner, cover issues such as abortion, AIDS, children, drugs, economy, health care, housing, environment, and education. They also contain materials dealing with the Interagency Board for Quality Assurance.

ARRANGEMENT

The files are divided into two alphabetical series; the files of Dorothy Petsch (1973-1990) and the files of Linda Sutherland (1984-1991).

INDEX TERMS

These records are indexed under the following headings in the catalog of the Minnesota Historical Society. Researchers desiring materials about related topics, persons or places should search the catalog using these headings.

Topics:
Abortion--Minnesota.
AIDS (Disease)--Minnesota.
Children--Minnesota--Services for.
Drug abuse--Minnesota.
Education and state--Minnesota.
Environmental policy--Minnesota.
Federal aid to youth services--Minnesota.
Homeless persons--Minnesota.
Housing subsidies--Minnesota.
Human services--Research--Minnesota.
Insurance, Catastrophic--Law and legislation--Minnesota.
Insurance, Health--Minnesota.
Long-term care of the sick--Minnesota.
Medical care--Minnesota.
Women's shelters--Minnesota.

Places:
Minnesota--Economic policy.

Persons:
Petsch, Dorothy.
Sutherland, Linda.

Organizations:
Minnesota Comprehensive Health Association.
Minnesota. Interagency Board for Quality Assurance.
Minnesota Planning (Agency).

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

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DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE RECORDS

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National Governor’s Association, 1988.  
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Program summaries—federal and state income support and employment training programs, 1984.  
Rural health care, 1986.  
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AIDS Policy Group.  
Child care.  2 folders.  
| 154.J.12.1B | 3 | Children.  
Children’s Defense Fund.  
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