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Related Materials

Related Materials
Nurses and nursing:
Margaret A. Colliton papers, MS.1990.010, John J. Burns Library, Boston College.

Nursing associations:

**Nursing schools:**

New England Deaconess Hospital School of Nursing records, MS.1989.008, John J. Burns Library, Boston College.

St. Elizabeth's Hospital School of Nursing collection, MS.2000.018B, John J. Burns Library, Boston College.
Biographical note

Cynthia E. Northrop was born on June 11, 1950, in North Tonawanda, New York. She earned a master's degree in nursing from the University of Maryland and studied law at the University of Baltimore. She founded the American Association of Nurse Attorneys in 1977 and served as president from the time of its incorporation in 1982 until 1985. Throughout her life she worked as public health nurse, a professor, and a lawyer in private practice. With Mary E. Kelly, she wrote the book *Legal Issues in Nursing*, published in 1987. Northrop married Harvey C. Dzodin in 1984. She died of colon cancer on November 6, 1989.

Sources


Scope and Contents

This collection documents the life and work of Cynthia E. Northrop, nurse, attorney, and founder of the American Association of Nurse Attorneys. It includes correspondence, photographs, presentations, publications, resumes, and a scrapbook created by Northrop's father.

Arrangement

Arranged alphabetically.
# Collection Inventory

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