

## **Willowbrook staff draws high praise**

Please permit me a few minutes to let you know what a marvelous institution the Willowbrook Developmental Center is and that Staten Island can boast to the hilltops about it.

I realize that some children need more than personal care, but believe me they treat them better there than in some private homes that I visit. (I make it my business to visit some elderly homes in Brooklyn to see my relatives.)

My sister is there. She had a cold last week. They gave her blood tests, had a doctor immediately, nurses around the clock — as she is almost always confined to a wheel chair. She gets loving treatment from all the staff. There is a Mrs. Quaglieri, a Mrs. Gravely, a Mrs. Hamilton. They are all dedicated people.

I call up in the evening. Mrs. Arbour, night supervisor, always calms me and assures me in a lovely voice that I shouldn't worry about my sister. Where else can one get such treatment?

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