

## State office set up to help disabled

The New York State Commission on Quality of Care for the Mentally Disabled has established an office designed to safeguard the rights of developmentally disabled persons in the Metropolitan area.

The office, one of seven located throughout the state, handles complaints from handicapped people regarding employment and housing discrimination or the denial of education and treatment.

Clarence J. Sundram, chairman of the commission, describes the seven regional offices as "focal points" in a statewide system of advocacy for persons who are mentally retarded, have cerebral palsy or are similarly disabled.

The office is located in Room 5578, Two World Trade Center, New York, N.Y. 10047. Its phone number is 488-2220.