

STATEN ISLAND ADVANCE, Saturday January 15, 1983

Foster care parent isn't reimbursed

.... I am a foster care parent and am trying very hard to compensate for all the wrong done to the person in my care, because of being institutionalized. I am trying very hard to make the person involved into a law abiding citizen, but I get no cooperation from Willowbrook or New York State. My payments are erratic and irregular to say the least. I am trying to maintain a home and a large family.

The person in my care has not been paid for a long time, and she

has a job provided by Willowbrook. She works five days a week and also pays her carfare and lunch. Out of her salary she is supposed to give a certain portion. How can she give it if she does not get paid?

Hence, I am late with my bills. Con Edison and Brooklyn Union Gas do not wait to hear any excuses! Please help me, or I will have to send this poor soul back to the institution.

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