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Selections: From the Seventies through the Present

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The Hebrew Home for the Aged at Riverdale is pleased to announce the exhibition “**Selections: From the Seventies through the Present**,” a show of drawings, prints, and photographs that traces some of the outstanding movements of the last three decades. Included in the show is work by Chuck Close, Brice Marden, Sol LeWitt, Joel Shapiro, Robert Natkin, David Halliday, Meagan Shein, and Amy Cutler.

This selected survey creates an engaging and exciting timeline, in which the pieces speak to each other in new ways. Included is a rare LeWitt pencil drawing from 1983, as well as a work from his more recent Parallel Lines series. The gem-like print by Brice Marden, from 1979 is a wonderful example of minimalism that so dominated the art world during the seventies. Meagan Shein is a young artist who uses encaustic and wax and identifiable imagery. Yet, her pale palette and subtle handling of images pays homage to these earlier luminaries. Amy Cutler, who exhibited her paintings in this year’s Whitney Biennial, uses narrative and idiosyncratic themes to charge her spare, pristine work.

“**Selections: From the Seventies through the Present**” will be on view through September 10, 2004. It can be seen in the Elma & Milton A. Gilbert Pavilion, where it is open to the public, daily from 10 am – 4 pm, free of charge.

The Hebrew Home for the Aged at Riverdale is a nonprofit, non-sectarian geriatric center serving 3,000 elderly persons through its resources and community service programs. Its nineteen-acre campus overlooks the Hudson River at 5901 Palisade Avenue in Riverdale. The Home is a member of the American Association of Museums. It houses an extensive collection of 20th century art and is committed to exhibiting contemporary and modern works of art for its residents, staff, and friends in the community. The Home can be reached easily by public transportation or Metro North and is located just fifteen minutes from Manhattan. Directions are available at www.hebrewhome.org. For further information regarding the exhibition or the Hebrew Home's art collection, contact the Curator's Department at (718) 581-1596.