



Mrs. Muriel Sapir Greenblatt '54

Muriel Sapir Greenblatt has devoted decades to community service, with a particular emphasis on improving the lives of the elderly.

Just a few weeks after graduating from Queens College with a BA in Economics, Muriel married Allan Greenblatt. She returned to school 20 years later, receiving a master's degree in Geriatric Counseling from Long Island University. Then she opened a consulting firm; her clients included Chase Manhattan Bank. For Chase, Muriel put together a program to build employees' empathy for elderly clients and worked on other non-banking topics to create a non-threatening banking environment for senior customers.

Today the proud mother of four children and grandmother of 15, Muriel does a lot of volunteering with local charities. She was the chairperson for Friday night programming at Temple Israel of Great Neck, and was also the vice president of a group in the Great Neck chapter of Hadassah. She promoted the QC program You and Your Aging



Parent to the community, and is involved with the Jewish Theological Seminary Library and its association with the Godwin Ternbach Museum. For the benefit of her fellow residents of North Shore Towers in Little Neck, she established University Day—a daylong program in which QC professors give lectures on various topics to more than 100 QC alums and their guests.