### DEATH CERTIFICATE APPLICATION

(Please print clearly and fill out as much information in English as you can. Forms submitted in other languages might take longer to process.)

| 1. LAST NAME AT TIME OF DEATH | 2. FIRST NAME | 3. O FEMALE  
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<td>4. DATE OF DEATH</td>
<td>5. IF YOU DON'T KNOW THE EXACT DATE OF DEATH</td>
<td>6. PLACE OF DEATH</td>
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<td>BEGIN SEARCH</td>
<td>MAN O BRONX O BKLNY O QUEENS O SI O</td>
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<td>7. BOROUGH</td>
<td>8. AGE</td>
<td>9. HOW MANY COPIES DO YOU NEED?</td>
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<td>10. DO YOU NEED A LETTER OF EXEMPLIFICATION</td>
<td>11. SPOUSE OR DOMESTIC PARTNER’S NAME</td>
<td>12. LAST KNOWN ADDRESS</td>
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<td>0 YES 0 NO</td>
<td>13. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED</td>
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<td>14. FATHER/PARENT’S NAME</td>
<td>15. MOTHER/PARENT’S NAME BEFORE MARRIAGE</td>
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<td>16. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER</td>
<td>17. CERTIFICATE NUMBER (if known)</td>
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<td>18. WHY DO YOU NEED THIS CERTIFICATE?</td>
<td>19. WHAT IS YOUR RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED?</td>
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#### PLEASE PRINT YOUR MAILING AND CONTACT INFORMATION CLEARLY BELOW

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<th>NAME</th>
<th>STREET ADDRESS</th>
<th>APT. NO.</th>
<th>DAYTIME PHONE NUMBER</th>
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<th>CITY</th>
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#### 20. DO YOU NEED THE CAUSE OF DEATH? O YES O NO

You may only obtain cause of death if your relationship to the deceased is listed below:

- O Spouse or Domestic Partner
- O Parent or Child
- O Sibling
- O Grandparent
- O Grandchild
- O Person in control of disposition on death certificate

#### 21. FEES

- $15 per copy x ______ copies $ ______
- Cost of certified copy includes a two consecutive year search $ ______
- $3 for each extra year searched x ______ years $ ______
- Total Amount Enclosed: $ ______

#### 22. CUSTOMER SIGNATURE. IF BY MAIL MUST BE NOTARIZED

By my signature below, I state I am the person whom I represent myself to be herein. I affirm the information within this form is complete and accurate. In addition, I acknowledge that misstating my identity or assuming the identity of another person including forging a signature may subject me to a misdemeanor and violators may also be subject to a fine of up to $2,000.

Name (required) Date

Signature (required)

Credit cards are not accepted for mail-in orders. Please make your check or money order payable to the NYC Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. If from a foreign country, send an international money order or check drawn on a U.S. bank. Cash is not accepted by mail or in person.

ORDER DEATH CERTIFICATES QUICKLY AND SECURELY AT NYC.GOV/VITALRECORDS

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IMPORTANT DEATH CERTIFICATE INFORMATION

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<th>Relationship</th>
<th>Death Certificate + Cause of Death</th>
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<td>Spouse, Domestic Partner, Parent, Child, Sibling, Grandparent, Grandchild</td>
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<td>Niece, Nephew, Aunt, Uncle, Great Grandchild, Great-Great Grandchild, Grandniece, Grandnephew</td>
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- Falsifying information, including forging a signature, to obtain a death certificate is a misdemeanor and violators may also be subject to a fine of up to $2,000 per violation.
- Submitting fraudulent identification is a crime and violators are subject to prosecution.
- Please see below for identification requirements, fees and other important information.
- ID requirements are subject to change.

3 Ways to Order a New York City Death Certificate

- **Online:** Visit nyc.gov/vitalrecords to order using a credit card, debit card or electronic check. “Only spouses, domestic partners, parent, siblings, grandparent, grandchild, or person in charge of the disposition (informant) may submit orders online.”
- **Walk-In:** Go to 125 Worth Street in Lower Manhattan and use the Lafayette Street (handicapped accessible) or Centre Street entrances. We are open Monday through Friday 9:00AM – 3:30PM. Lines are shortest in the morning.
- **By Mail:** Applications submitted by mail must be signed in the presence of a Notary Public. Mail your application to 125 Worth Street, CN-4, New York, NY 10013. Be sure to include a self-addressed, stamped, envelope with your check or money order payable to the NYC Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. You also will need to provide a photocopy of the required identification and any necessary documentation (see below).

Identification (ID) requirements including the deceased’s spouse, domestic partner, parent, sibling, grandparent, grandchild, or person in charge of the disposition (informant)

We accept any of the following, **IF** it includes your photo, your signature and is unexpired:

- Driver’s License or Non-driver’s ID Card
- NYS benefit card with photo
- U.S. or foreign passport or passport card
- Permanent resident card
- University or college ID with a current transcript
- Inmate ID with current release papers
- Job ID with a current pay stub
- NYC Access-A-Ride card
- IDNYC Municipal ID
- NYC MTA reduced fare card

If you don’t have any of the above, we also accept:

- Two different documents as indicated below if they show your name and address and are dated within the past 60 days, we will MAIL the certificate
  - Utility or telephone bills
  - Official government mail that you have received

Documentation requirements for applicants NOT related to the deceased

If you are **not** related to the deceased, you need to establish your right to obtain a death certificate. You may obtain a death certificate if you are the legal representative of the estate, a party with a property right to protect or assert, or if you can specify another judicial or other proper purpose.

- Insurance Policy
- Will
- Bank Book or statement
- Property Deed
- Other document showing entitlement

If you are unable to provide the required documents, ask us for help by calling 311 or 1-212-639-9675 if you are outside of New York City.

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