

N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important.

PLACE OF DEATH

County Missouri  
 Township Union  
 or  
 Village \_\_\_\_\_  
 or  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ (NO. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_)

MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH  
 BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS  
 CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration District No. 5735 File No. 5295  
 Primary Registration District No. 27 Registered No. B

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

FULL NAME James Anderson

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX M COLOR OR RACE W SINGLE unmarried  
 MARRIED unmarried  
 WIDOWED unmarried  
 OR DIVORCED unmarried  
 (Write the word)

DATE OF BIRTH Feb 14 1891  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE 75 yrs. X mos. 1 ds. If LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.?

OCCUPATION  
 (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Farmer  
 (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTHPLACE  
 (City or town, State or foreign country) Mo

PARENTS  
 NAME OF FATHER Thas Anderson  
 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Mo  
 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Don't know  
 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country) Mo

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) \_\_\_\_\_

(ADDRESS) \_\_\_\_\_

Filed \_\_\_\_\_ 1916 \_\_\_\_\_

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH Feb 15 1916  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from Jan 2, 1916, to Feb 15, 1916, that I last saw him alive on Feb 15, 1916, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 5 P. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Ugular heart  
Union

(Duration) 3 yrs. 3 mos. 3 ds.

Contributory Don't know  
 (SECONDARY)

(Duration) X yrs. X mos. X ds.

(Signed) W. C. Bennett M. D.

Feb 20, 1916 (Address) Rushville

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal.

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place of death 26 yrs. X mos. 1 ds. In the State 75 yrs. 3 mos. 3 ds.

Where was disease contracted if not at place of death? place death

Former or usual residence Usual residence

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Wetley Chapel

DATE OF BURIAL

Feb 19 1916

UNDERTAKER

C. Granger

ADDRESS

Ladson

## PLACE OF DEATH

County \_\_\_\_\_

Township \_\_\_\_\_

or

Village \_\_\_\_\_

or

City \_\_\_\_\_

Registration District No. \_\_\_\_\_

File No. \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Registration District No. \_\_\_\_\_

Registered No. \_\_\_\_\_

(NO. \_\_\_\_\_)

St.: \_\_\_\_\_

Ward) \_\_\_\_\_

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

## FULL NAME \_\_\_\_\_

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX	COLOR OR RACE	SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word)	DATE OF BIRTH	
			(Month) _____, 191____	(Day) _____, 191____
AGE	IF LESS than		IF LESS than	
	1 day, _____ hrs.		1 day, _____ hrs.	
		or _____ min.?		

## OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) \_\_\_\_\_

## BIRTHPLACE

(City or town, State or foreign country) \_\_\_\_\_

## NAME OF FATHER

## BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(City or town, State or foreign country) \_\_\_\_\_

## MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

## BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(City or town, State or foreign country) \_\_\_\_\_

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) \_\_\_\_\_

(ADDRESS) \_\_\_\_\_

Filed \_\_\_\_\_

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REGISTRAR

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BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## DATE OF DEATH

(Month) \_\_\_\_\_, 191\_\_\_\_ (Day) \_\_\_\_\_, 191\_\_\_\_ (Year) \_\_\_\_\_

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from \_\_\_\_\_, 191\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_, 191\_\_\_\_,

that I last saw h\_\_\_\_\_ alive on \_\_\_\_\_, 191\_\_\_\_, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## Contributory

(SECONDARY)

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

(Address) \_\_\_\_\_

M. D. \_\_\_\_\_

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal.

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted (if not at place of death)? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

191\_\_\_\_

UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

GWRJTH PLAININ

UNFADING INK THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

N.B. - This form is to be filled out by the physician or other person who has attended the deceased. It is to be filed with the local health officer.

The cause of death should be stated in plain language. Physicians should state the cause of death in plain language. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important.

WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified.

# 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Andrew  
 Township Lin  
 or  
 Village  
 or  
 City

REGISTRARS SHALL NOT RECEIVE  
 A FEE FOR CERTIFICATES UNTIL THEY  
 ARE COMPLETED AS PRESCRIBED BY  
 LAW

Registration District No.

Primary Registration District No.

(NO.

St.

Ward)

## 2 FULL NAME

James Anderson

## MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(If death occurred in a  
 hospital or institution,  
 give its NAME instead  
 of street and number.)

### PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX M 4 COLOR OR RACE W 5 SINGLE  
 MARRIED  
 WIDOWED  
 OR DIVORCED W  
 (Write the word)

### 6 DATE OF BIRTH

(Month) (Day) 1 (Year)

### 7 AGE

If LESS than  
 1 day.....hrs.  
 or.....min.?

### 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or  
 particular kind of work  
 (b) General nature of industry  
 business, or establishment in  
 which employed (or employer)

### 9 BIRTHPLACE

(City or town,  
 State or foreign country)

### PARENTS

#### 10 NAME OF FATHER

#### 11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (City or town, State or foreign country)

#### 12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

#### 13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (City or town, State or foreign country)

### 14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address)

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Registrar

### MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

#### 16 DATE OF DEATH

(Month)

(Day)

191 (Year)

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I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from

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to

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that I last saw him alive on

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and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at

m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

#### CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary)

(Duration)

ys.

mos.

ds.

(Duration)

ys.

mos.

ds.

(Signed)

M. D.

191 (Address)

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state  
 (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

#### 18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents)

At place of death.....ys.....mos.....ds. In the State.....ys.....mos.....ds.

Where was disease contracted  
 if not at place of death?

Former or  
 usual residence

#### 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

#### DATE OF BURIAL

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#### 20 UNDERTAKER

#### ADDRESS

Original file, date..... FEB 1916

All information called for must be written on this Supplementary Certificate

# Revised United States Standard Certificate of Death

[Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health  
Association]

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer* or *Planter*, *Physician*, *Compositor*, *Architect*, *Locomotive engineer*, *Civil engineer*, *Stationary fireman*, etc. But in many cases especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples; (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*; (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification, as *Day laborer*, *Farm laborer*, *Laborer—Coal mine*, etc. Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife*, *Housework*, or *At home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school* or *At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant*, *Cook*, *Housemaid*, etc. If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus: *Farmer (retired, 6 yrs.)*. For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

**Statement of cause of death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia*; *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia," unqualified, is indefinite);

*Tuberculosis of lungs*, *meninges*, *peritonaeum*, etc., *Carcinoma*, *Sarcoma*, etc. of ..... (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old age," "Shock," "Uraemia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage, as "PUERPERAL septicaemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Revolver wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis*, *tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "Contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)