

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.

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

**1 PLACE OF DEATH**

County Lincoln Registration District No. 972 File No. 25785  
 Township Washington or Moscow Mills Primary Registration District No. 5652 Registered No. 8  
 City (NO. St. Ward)

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

**2 FULL NAME** Justina Leitmann

**PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS**

**3 SEX** Female  
**4 COLOR OR RACE** White  
**5 SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED OR DIVORCED** Married  
(Write the word)  
**6 DATE OF BIRTH** June 25 1842  
(Month) (Day) (Year)  
**7 AGE** 75 yrs. mos. ds. 7  
If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.?  
**8 OCCUPATION**  
 (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Housewife  
 (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) Teacher  
**9 BIRTHPLACE**  
 (City or town, State or foreign country) Hannover Germany

**PARENTS**  
**10 NAME OF FATHER** Henry Lenka  
**11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER** Hannover Germany  
(City or town, State or foreign country)  
**12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER** Anna Lockmeier  
**13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER** Hannover Germany  
(City or town, State or foreign country)

**14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE**  
 (Informant) Fritz Leitmann  
 (Address) Moscow Mills, Mo.

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**MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH**

**16 DATE OF DEATH** July 20 1917  
(Month) (Day) (Year)  
**17 I HEREBY CERTIFY**, that I attended deceased from May 1917 to July 20 1917  
 that I last saw him alive on July 14 1917  
 and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 7:45 P.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:  
Interstitial nephritis  
13-1  
150  
 (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

**CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary)**  
 (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.  
 (Signed) Thos. J. Jackson M. D.  
July 30 1917 (Address) St. Charles, Mo.

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 yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.  
 Where was disease contracted if not at place of death?  
 Former or usual residence

**19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL** Anderson Graveyard **DATE OF BURIAL** 7-4-1917

**20 UNDERTAKER** Kemper - Swaw Co **ADDRESS** Boyer, Mo.

# 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, Composer, Architect, Locomotive*

County \_\_\_\_\_ as *Day laborer, Fireman, etc.* But

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... 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), 29 ds.; *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.)