

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

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County .....

Township .....

or

Village .....

or

City St Louis (NO. 17803)

Registration District No. 791

File No. 11630

Primary Registration District No. 1003

Registered No. 3453

City St Louis (NO. 17803) City Hospital 9 Ward

2 FULL NAME Lena Millick

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

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE Married  
MARRIED  
WIDOWED  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

16 DATE OF DEATH March 30 1918  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Sept 26 1885  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from March 27, 1918 to March 30, 1918,  
that I last saw her alive on March 30, 1918,  
and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 90th

7 AGE 29 yrs. 6 mos. 4 ds. If LESS than 1 day... hrs. or... min.?

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:  
Pneumo-pneumonia  
(Secondary) 28

8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Housework  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) 23

Pneumo-pneumonia  
(Secondary) 28  
(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

9 BIRTHPLACE (City or town, State or foreign country) Mois 107

CONTRIBUTORY Chronic Pulmonary Tuberculosis  
(Secondary) Duration yrs. mos. ds.

10 NAME OF FATHER Arthur Wineham

(Signed) W. H. Small M. D.  
March 30, 1918 (Address) City Hospital

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

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Mary Trautman

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

14 THE ABOVE INFORMATION WAS OBTAINED FROM Informant  
(Informant) Erwan

\*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. 3 ds. In the 29 State yrs. mos. ds.  
Where was disease contracted if not at place of death?  
Former or usual residence 217 Larrie

(Address) City Hospital

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19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL St Peter & Paul DATE OF BURIAL April 1, 1918  
20 UNDERTAKER Am C May dell ADDRESS 1926 Allen ave

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.

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# 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 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 "Crup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report

"Typhoid pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia; Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia," unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meninges, peritoneum*, 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 septicæmia," "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 carbonic 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.)