

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Jackson
 Township Haw
 or
 Village
 or
 City Kansas City, Mo. Old City Hospital

MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration District No. 309 File No. 1002
 Primary Registration District No. 1002 Registered No. 32375
 Ward

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

2 FULL NAME Johnson W. L.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX male 4 COLOR OR RACE colored 5 SINGLE MARRIED Married
 WIDOWED
 OF, DIVORCED
 (Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH unknown 1879
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE (42) If LESS than
 1 day, hrs.
 or min.?

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

9 BIRTHPLACE unknown
 (City or town, State or foreign country)

10 NAME OF FATHER unknown

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

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER unknown

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

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Rosa Johnson
 (Address) Cagle, Okla.

15 17 13 1912 m. m. Crowe
 Filed Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH 12-11-21
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from 12-8-21 1911 to 12-11-21 1911
 that I last saw him alive on 12-11 1911
 and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 4:30 p.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Coronary Arteriosclerosis06 to

CONTRIBUTORY Coronary Arteriosclerosis
 (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) W. J. Thompson M. D.
12-11-1921 (Address) Old City Hospital

*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 Maple Hill DATE OF BURIAL Dec 14, 1921

20 UNDERTAKER Williams Brothers ADDRESS 2122 Vine St.

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 "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.)