	MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH  BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS  CERTIFICATE OF DEATH  2949	
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WRITE PLAINEY, WITH UNFADING INKTHIS IS A PERMANENT Rem of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. Plant in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPA	3. SEX 4. COLOR OR RACE 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (write the word)  SA. If Married, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED HUSBAND OF (OR) WIFE OF	MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH  16. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR)  17.  1 HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from 19.7.3, to 10.7.2, 19.7.3  that I last saw h. Accorder. alive on 19.7.2, and that
	6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY AND YEAR) AND YEAR) AND YEAR OF LESS than 1 day,	death occurred, on the date stated above, at
	(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)  (c) Name of employer  9. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN)  (STATE OR COUNTRY)  COUNTRY	CONTRIBUTORY
	10. NAME OF FATHER TO YAR AND THE STATE OF COUNTRY)  11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (CITY OR TOWN)  12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER THAN STATE WAIT  13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (CITY OR TOWN)	WAS THERE AN AUTOPTY?  WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIST
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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, 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 . antered 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! (nover 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 neoplasma); 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," "Anemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Sepile," etc.). "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old age," "Shock," "Uremia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage, as "Puerperal septicemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitie," 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 headhomicide; 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.)

Note.—Individual offices may add to above list of undesirable terms and refuse to accept cortificates containing them. Thus the form in use in New York City states: "Certificates will be returned for additional information which give any of the following diseases, without explanation, as the sole cause of death: Abortion, cellulitis, childbirth, convulsions, hemorrhage, gangrene, gastritis, crysipelas, meningitis, miscarriago, necrosis, peritonitis, phiebitis, pyemia, septicemia, tetanus." But general adoption of the minimum list suggested will work vast improvement, and its scope can be extended at a later date.