Important Information Concerning

Death Certificates



- 1. Funeral Homes do not print or certify death certificates.
- 2. Death certificates go through a <u>certification process</u>: [this process is beyond our control and the State now uses a computerized system and may take after we file 5-15 days to be generated and then for the funeral home to order and retrieve from the Register of Deeds] through the local Health Department and the Local County of Death's Register of Deeds Office.
 - 3. Funeral Homes collect the information to be placed on the certificate from the family, and the process of completing and getting the completed, and certified with the State Seal death certificate <u>until the family provides</u> the Funeral Home with the complete information.
- 4. The <u>Funeral home needs this extremely time sensitive information</u> <u>within 48 hours of taking your loved one into our care.</u>

Thanks in advance for reading this page!

-Dr. Lori Washington, Owner