



## Death certificate application form

(Western Australia only)

<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Death certificate</b>	<b>\$50.00</b>	includes regular post
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Priority fee</b>	<b>\$35.00</b>	payable in addition to certificate fee and includes regular post
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Death certificate (reduced fee)</b>	<b>\$35.00</b>	for deaths more than 75 years old

### Death details required

Please print clearly

**Tax receipt required**

<b>Surname</b>			
<b>Given name(s)</b>			
<b>Date of death</b>	/ /	<b>Place of death</b>	
<b>Parent's full name</b>	Given name(s)	Surname	Maiden surname
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### Applicant's details

<b>Full name</b>			
<b>Postal address</b>	Suburb	State	Postcode
<b>Relationship to the person named on the certificate</b>	e.g. self, parent	<b>Contact number:</b>	
		<b>Email address:</b>	
<b>Reason required</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Passport <input type="checkbox"/> Driver's Licence <input type="checkbox"/> Centrelink <input type="checkbox"/> Lost <input type="checkbox"/> Bank requirements <input type="checkbox"/> Legal <input type="checkbox"/> Marriage <input type="checkbox"/> Family history Other.....		

**Declaration:** I declare that the information I have provided is true and correct. By signing this application I consent to my information being checked with the document issuer or official record holder.

<b>Signature of applicant:</b>	<b>Date:</b> / /
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### Office use only

<b>LIST 1:</b> Driver's licence <input type="checkbox"/> Passport <input type="checkbox"/> Photo/age card <input type="checkbox"/> Citizenship cert <input type="checkbox"/> Learner's permit <input type="checkbox"/>
ID Ref: .....Other.....
<b>LIST 2:</b> Birth cert (Aust) <input type="checkbox"/> Cr/debit card <input type="checkbox"/> Health <input type="checkbox"/> Medicare <input type="checkbox"/> Centrelink <input type="checkbox"/> Student card <input type="checkbox"/>
ID Ref: .....Other.....
<b>LIST 3 (current address):</b> Bank statement <input type="checkbox"/> Rates notice <input type="checkbox"/> Motor vehicle rego <input type="checkbox"/> Utility account <input type="checkbox"/>
ID Ref: .....Other.....
Letter of Authority <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> .....Initial ID sighted.....

## Processing times for certificate applications

**Standard** - Please allow up to 2 working days plus regular postal delivery time.

**Priority** - Processed within 24 hours of receipt plus regular postal delivery time.

If required, please enclose a self-addressed Registered or Express Post envelope.

## Submitting your application

### By post

Complete this form and attach clear and legible copies of your identification. Post the form to:

**Registry of Births Deaths and Marriages  
PO Box 7720 Cloisters Square  
Perth WA 6850**

### In person

Complete this form and lodge it with your, **original** proof of identification and payment to:

Registry of Births, Deaths and Marriages  
Level 10/141 St Georges Terrace Perth between  
8.30 am - 4.30 pm Monday to Friday

**Or** take the completed form with your **original** proof of identification and lodge it at your nearest metropolitan or regional courthouse.

### By email

Complete this form and email with clear and legible copies of identification to [bdm@justice.wa.gov.au](mailto:bdm@justice.wa.gov.au)

## Privacy considerations and personal records

Certificates held by the Registry contain sensitive and personal information. The Registry allows unrestricted access for death certificates which occurred more than 30 years ago.

Any documents provided with the application may have their authenticity verified through an approved online verification service.

## Who can apply for a certificate

**Death** certificates are available to the spouse (including defacto partner), parents or children. (Evidence of relationship is required in all cases).

If you do not qualify under the Registry's Certificate Access Policy, you must provide the written consent or authority from a person entitled to the certificate and you must also provide identification for yourself **and** the person for whom you are acting.

Information regarding the Registry's Certificate Access policy is located on our website at - [www.justice.wa.gov.au](http://www.justice.wa.gov.au) or telephone the Registry on **1300 305 021**.

**Payment details** **If applying for multiple certificates only complete payment details on ONE form.**

**Applicant's Full Name:**

Enclosed is a cheque/money order for \$  **OR** debit my MasterCard  or Visa  for \$

Your cheque or money order should be made payable to the Registry of Births Deaths and Marriages

Card No

Expiry

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Cardholder  
name:

Signature:

## Identification requirements

When applying for a Western Australian certificate, evidence of your identity must be provided.

- You **must** provide at least **three** forms of identification:
  - One document from each List (1, 2 **and** 3). At least one containing a photograph
  - One from List 1 and two from List 2. At least one containing a photograph
  - Two from List 2 and one from List 3. At least one containing a signature
- All forms of identification **must** be **current**
- Documents from List 3 **must** show your **current residential address**
- Bank statements, utility accounts or rates notices **must** have been **issued within the last six months**.

### List 1 - Evidence of link between photo and signature

- Australian driver's licence
- Australian passport
- Australian firearm's licence
- Defence Force/Police Identification card
- Australian Citizenship Certificate with evidence of residence status
- WA Photo Card, Over 18 or Proof of Age Card
- Australian learner driver's permit card

### List 2 - Evidence of operating in the community

- Debit or Credit card (one or the other, not both) issued by a financial institution
- Document of Identity issued by the Passport Office
- Entitlement card issued by the Commonwealth or State Government (Centrelink, Health Care card, Veterans Affairs card etc)
- Full Birth certificate issued in Australia (birth extracts not accepted)
- Medicare card
- Naturalisation, Citizenship or Immigration papers issued by the Department of Home Affairs
- Overseas passport with current Australian Entry Permit
- Security guard or Crowd Control Licence (Australian)
- Student Identity Document or Statement of Enrolment issued by an educational institution, including Tertiary (should include photo and/or signature)
- Working With Children card

### List 3 – Evidence of current residential address

- Driver's licence renewal notice
- Financial institution statement less than six months old
- Motor vehicle registration
- Property lease or tenancy agreement
- Shire/water rates notice
- School or other educational report or certificate less than twelve months old
- Utility account less than six months old (gas, electricity, home phone, etc)

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