

## **DEATH REPORTING**

### **Dictionaries**

#### **Dictionary #1: Reporter's Area Office/Facility**

- Berkshire Office
  - Brockton Office
  - Cape Cod/Islands Office
  - Central Middlesex
  - Charles River West Office
  - Fall River Office
  - Franklin/Hampshire Office
  - Greater Boston Office
  - Holyoke/Chicopee Office
  - Lowell Office
  - Merrimack Valley Office
  - Metro North
  - Middlesex West Office
  - New Bedford Office
  - Newton/South Norfolk Office
  - North Central
  - North Shore
  - Plymouth Office
  - South Coastal Office
  - South Valley Office
  - Springfield/Westfield Office
  - Taunton/Attleboro Office
  - Worcester Office
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- Fernald Developmental Center
  - Hogan Regional Center
  - Templeton Developmental Center
  - Wrentham Developmental Center

#### **Dictionary #2: Waiver Program**

- ABI- Non-Residential-Habilitation
- ABI- Residential Habilitation
- Children's Autism Spectrum Disorder
- DDS Intensive Supports
- DDS Community Living
- DDS Adult Supports
- MFP- Community Living
- MFP- Residential Supports
- Non- Waiver

### **Dictionary #3: Location of Death**

- Acute Care Hospital
- Nursing Facility
- DDS Residence
- DDS Facility
- ABI/MFP Residence
- During transportation (funded or arranged by DDS or MRC)
- Family home/private home
- Adult Foster Care
- DDS-funded Employment/Community based Day
- Day Habilitation
- Other

### **Dictionary #4: Cause of Death**

- Cancer (malignant neoplasms)
- Cancer of bladder
- Cancer of cervix uteri
- Cancer of corpus uteri and uterus, part unspecified
- Cancer of meninges, brain and other parts of the central nervous system
- Cancer of the bone
- Cancer of the colon, rectum and anus
- Cancer of the esophagus
- Cancer of the female breast
- Cancer of the kidney and renal pelvis
- Cancer of the liver
- Cancer of the ovary
- Cancer of the pancreas
- Cancer of the prostate
- Cancer of the stomach
- Cancer of the trachea, bronchus and lung
- Hodgkin's Disease
- Leukemia
- Multiple myeloma and immunoproliferative neoplasms
- Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma
  
- Alzheimer's Disease
- Aspiration pneumonia
- Cardiopulmonary arrest
- Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis
- Chronic lower respiratory diseases
- Congenital anomalies
- Diabetes Mellitus
- Heart disease
- Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (AIDS)

- Infectious and Parasitic diseases
- Influenza and pneumonia
- Injuries (accident, homicide, suicide)
- Nephritis and other Renal
- Neurodegenerative disease (MS, ALS, Huntington's, Parkinson's)
- Seizure
- Septicemia
- Stroke (Cerebra vascular disease)
- Terrorism
- Other
- Unknown

**Dictionary #5: Underlying Cause of Death (Secondary)**

- Aspiration during seizure
- Aspiration while eating
- Anoxia during seizure
- Asphyxiation due to choking on food/object
- Injury during seizure
- Bowel obstruction due to fecal impaction
- Bowel obstruction due to lesion or mass
- Other

**Dictionary #6: Manner of Death**

- Natural
- Accident
- Homicide
- Suicide
- Could not be determined
- Pending investigation

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