

## APPLICATION FOR STILLBIRTH CERTIFICATE

<b>Stillbirth Information</b>	<b>NAME OF STILLBORN.</b> Print the entire name as it currently appears on the fetal death record.		
	<b>GENDER</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Undet. (Gender will not be listed for Undetermined)	<b>DATE OF STILLBIRTH</b> (Month/Day/Year)	<b>PLACE OF STILLBIRTH - CITY</b>
	<b>NAME OF HOSPITAL</b> (If delivery occurred outside of a hospital, list the street address where the delivery occurred.)		
	<b>MOTHER'S FULL NAME</b> (As of the Date of Stillbirth) (First/Middle/Last)	<b>MOTHER'S BIRTH SURNAME</b>	
	<b>FATHER'S FULL NAME</b> (As of the Date of Stillbirth) (This item may be left blank if mother was unmarried and no AOP was filed.)		
<b>Applicant Information</b>	<b>ONLY THE PARENT OF THE STILLBORN MAY FILE AND OBTAIN A COPY OF A STILLBIRTH CERTIFICATE FOR THAT EVENT. THE PARENT MUST SUBMIT A VALID GOVERNMENT ISSUED PHOTO IDENTIFICATION AND PAYMENT OF \$30.00.</b>		
	<b>Requestor Name</b> (Print or Type). Requestor <u>must</u> attach a copy of picture identification	<b>Telephone Number</b> (Include Area Code)	
	<b>Requestor Complete Mailing Address</b> (include apartment number if applicable)	<b>City/State/Zip Code</b>	
<b>Copies &amp; Fees</b>	<b>Number of Copies requested.</b> _____  <b>Fee: \$30.00 per copy</b> <b>Make Money Orders Payable to:</b> Treasurer, State of CT	<b>Mail Request and identification to:</b>  State Registrar of Vital Records Department of Public Health Vital Records-MS#11VRS 410 Capitol Avenue Hartford, CT 06134-0308	
<b>Applicant Signature</b>	<b>SIGNATURE OF MOTHER</b>		<b>DATE SIGNED</b>
	<b>SIGNATURE OF FATHER</b>		<b>DATE SIGNED</b>

## **Requesting a Stillbirth Certification**

A Certificate of Stillbirth is a document issued by the State Vital Records Office. It may be issued at the request of a parent of a stillborn fetus that reached at least twenty weeks gestation and died before birth. The certificate records the name of the stillborn child if named, the date and place of the delivery, and the parents' names. It is also imprinted with the official state seal. It is a commemorative document acknowledging the stillbirth. The document cannot be used to prove identity, or any other legal purpose.

### **What is the Process for Obtaining a Certificate of Stillbirth?**

To obtain a Certificate of Stillbirth you must complete the Application to Request a Certificate of Stillbirth in its entirety. You must also submit a valid government issued photo I.D. to prove that you are the parent of the stillborn child.

### **How Much Does a Certificate of Stillbirth Cost?**

The fee for a Certificate of Stillbirth is \$30 per certificate. Submit a money order for the appropriate amount made payable to "Treasurer, State of Connecticut". Personal checks will not be accepted.

### **Checklist for Obtaining a Stillbirth Certification:**

- Make sure you are eligible to obtain the stillbirth certificate
- Complete the application
- Include the applicable fee
- Include your photo I.D.