

# Medical Certificate

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This form may only be completed by a registered medical practitioner of at least five years' standing who is not either a relative of the deceased, the medical practitioner who issued the medical certificate (form Cremation 4) or a relative or a partner or colleague in the same practice or clinical team as the medical practitioner who issued that certificate.

'Five years' standing' means a medical practitioner who has been a fully registered person within the meaning of the Medical Act 1983 for at least five years and, if paragraph 10 of Schedule 1 to the Medical Act 1983 (Amendment) Order 2002 (S.I. 2002/3135) has come into force, has held a license to practice for at least five years or since the coming into force of that paragraph.

Please complete this form in full, if a part does not apply enter 'N/A'.

Full name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation or last occupation if retired or not in work at the date of death. \_\_\_\_\_

Please state the date and time that you saw the body of the deceased and the examination that you made of the body.

Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Examination: \_\_\_\_\_

a) Disease or condition directly leading to death (this does not mean the mode of dying, such as heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc.: it means the disease, injury, or complication which caused death) \_\_\_\_\_

b) Other disease or condition, if any, leading to (a) \_\_\_\_\_

c) Other disease or condition, if any, leading to (b) \_\_\_\_\_

Other significant conditions contributing to the death but not related to the disease or condition causing it. \_\_\_\_\_

Doctor's Signature

Doctor's Stamp