



## PROOF OF DEATH – PHYSICIAN’S STATEMENT

To be completed by the coroner or last physician in attendance.

Note: The Medical certification follows the recommendations of the World Health Assembly made in Geneva on July 24th 1948. It has been accepted by all States in the United States and all Provinces in Canada. In the interest of accurate vital statistics please conform to the International List of the Causes of Death. Incomplete responses or missing information will cause delays in the assessment and handling of this file.

The Company is not responsible for any fee for this information.

Policy Number: \_\_\_\_\_ First and Last name of deceased: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of death: \_\_\_\_\_ Residence at death: \_\_\_\_\_  
mm/dd/yyyy

Place of death: \_\_\_\_\_ Age at death/date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
If Hospital or Institution, give name mm/dd/yyyy

**Cause of Death (Enter only one cause for each of a, b, c)**

<p><b>Disease or condition directly leading to death</b> (This does not mean the mode of dying, such as heart failure, asthenia, etc. It means the disease, injury or complication which caused death:</p> <p>a)</p> <p><b>Antecedent causes</b> (Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to the above cause (a) stating the underlying cause last.):</p> <p>Due to: b)</p> <p>Due to: c)</p> <p>Other significant conditions (contributing to the death but not related to the disease or condition causing death:</p> <p>Was the deceased unable to work from the onset of disability?                  If not, when did he/she cease working?</p>	<p><b>Interval between onset and death:</b></p> <p>a)</p> <p>b)</p> <p>c)</p>
<p><b>Date of First Attendance in Last Illness:</b></p> <p>If death was due to accident, suicide or homicide, specify which and describe briefly</p>	<p><b>Date of First Attendance in Last Illness:</b></p> <p>Was an inquest held: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>Was an autopsy performed: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>If yes, by whom and what are the findings?</p>



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Have you treated or advised the deceased during the last three years, prior to last illness:  Yes  No

Did the deceased, to your knowledge, receive treatment during the last three years from any other physician, or any Hospital or Institution:  Yes  No

If Yes to either question above, please furnish the following:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Nature of Illness or Injury: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates: \_\_\_\_\_

To your knowledge, was the deceased a smoker?  Yes  No

If yes, please indicate the length of time (approx.)

please check one:  Cigarettes  pipes  cigars  
 Marijuana  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Last name of physician completing this form: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Family doctor  Specialist (indicate specialty): \_\_\_\_\_

Physician’s address (street number and name): \_\_\_\_\_ Apartment or suite: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Town: \_\_\_\_\_ Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal code: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Fax this completed form to **1.888.505.4373**  
or mail to **(do not use staples)**:

Equitable Life of Canada  
Group Disability Claims Department  
One Westmount Road North  
P.O. Box 1603 Stn Waterloo, Waterloo Ontario N2J 4C7

**Please keep a copy of this form for your records.**

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