

Board of Health Records

Lawrence, Massachusetts

Board of Health Death Registers

Book #1: Death Register City of Lawrence January 1, 1890 – January 31, 1895

This ledger is a handwritten record of deaths registered by the Board of Health in Lawrence, Mass. and contains the following information: Assigned Number, Date of Death, Name of Deceased, Name of Husband, Sex, Color other than White, Single/Married/Widowed/Divorced, Age, Disease or Cause of Death, Residence and Place of Death, Name of Cemetery or Place of Burial, Name of Certifying Physician, Occupation, Place of Birth, Name and Birthplace of Father, Maiden Name and Birthplace of Mother, Name of Undertaker, Date of Interment or Removal. There is no index.

Book #2: Death Register City of Lawrence February 1, 1895 – December 30, 1900

This ledger is a handwritten record of deaths registered by the Board of Health in Lawrence, Mass. and contains the following information: Assigned Number, Date of Death, Name of Deceased, Name of Husband, Sex, Color other than White, Single/Married/Widowed/Divorced, Age, Disease or Cause of Death, Residence and Place of Death, Name of Cemetery or Place of Burial, Name of Certifying Physician, Occupation, Place of Birth, Name and Birthplace of Father, Maiden Name and Birthplace of Mother, Name of Undertaker, Date of Interment or Removal. There is no index.

Book #3: Death Register City of Lawrence January 1, 1901 – May 31, 1905

This ledger is a handwritten record of deaths registered by the Board of Health in Lawrence, Mass. and contains the following information: Assigned Number, Date of Death, Name of Deceased, Name of Husband, Sex, Color other than White, Single/Married/Widowed/Divorced, Age, Disease or Cause of Death, Residence and Place of Death, Name of Cemetery or Place of Burial, Name of Certifying Physician, Occupation, Place of Birth, Name and Birthplace of Father, Maiden Name and Birthplace of Mother, Name of Undertaker, Date of Interment or Removal. There is no index.

Book #4: Death Register City of Lawrence June 1, 1905 – December 30, 1913

This ledger is a handwritten record of deaths registered by the Board of Health in Lawrence, Mass. and contains the following information: Assigned Number, Date of Death, Name of Deceased, Name of Husband, Sex, Color other than White, Single/Married/Widowed/Divorced, Age, Disease or Cause of Death, Residence and Place of Death, Name of Cemetery or Place of Burial, Name of Certifying Physician, Occupation, Place of Birth, Name and Birthplace of Father, Maiden Name and Birthplace of Mother, Name of Undertaker, Date of Interment or Removal. There is no index.

Book #5: Death Register City of Lawrence January 2, 1936 – December 30, 1947

This ledger is a handwritten record of deaths registered by the Board of Health in Lawrence, Mass. and contains the following information: Assigned Number, Date of Death, Name of Deceased, Name of Husband, Sex, Color other than White, Single/Married/Widowed/Divorced, Age, Disease or Cause of Death, Residence and Place of Death, Name of Cemetery or Place of Burial, Name of Certifying Physician, Occupation, Place of Birth, Name and Birthplace of Father, Maiden Name and Birthplace of Mother, Name of Undertaker, Date of Interment or Removal. There is no index. This volume also

contains some WW II deaths between the years 1942 – 1945. Additional entries in red ink after the tab are marked WW II deaths. All are listed as out of town deaths but are buried locally.

Book #6: Death Register City of Lawrence February 12, 1968 – December 30, 1969

This ledger is a handwritten record of deaths registered by the Board of Health in Lawrence, Mass. and contains the following information: Assigned Number, Date of Death, Name of Deceased, Name of Husband, Sex, Color other than White, Single/Married/Widowed/Divorced, Age, Disease or Cause of Death, Residence and Place of Death, Name of Cemetery or Place of Burial, Name of Certifying Physician, Occupation, Place of Birth, Name and Birthplace of Father, Maiden Name and Birthplace of Mother, Name of Undertaker, Date of Interment or Removal. There is no index.