

State/Territorial Mortality Schedule for 1885

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Supervisor's Dist. No. _____

Enumeration Dist. No. _____

Note A. – The Census Year, begins June 1, 1884, and ends May 31, 1885.

Note B. – In making entries in columns 6, 7, and 8, an affirmative mark only will be used, thus /, except in the case of Divorced persons, column 8, when the letter “D” is to be used.

Note C. – For instructions relative to the entries in column 14, see back of this Schedule.

Note D. – In column 17, note distinctly if no Physician was in attendance, thus (None.).

SCHEDULE 5 –Persons who DIED during the Year ending May 31, 1885, enumerated by me in _____, in the County of _____, State of _____.

Enumerator

Number of the family as given in column numbered 2 – Schedule 1.	Name of Person Deceased	Personal Description			What was the civil condition of the person who died?			NATIVITY		
		Age at last birthday. If under 1 year, give months in fractions, thus 2/12. If under 1 month, give days, in fractions, thus 3/30.	Sex – Male (M) Female (F)	Color – White (W); Black (B); Mulatto (Mu); Chinese (Ch); Indian (I).	Single.	Married.	Widowed. Divorced (D).	Place of birth of this person, naming the State or Territory of the U.S., or the Country, if of foreign birth.	Where was the Father of this person born? (As in column 9)	Where was the Mother of this person born? (As in column 9)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1										
2										
3										



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	Profession, Occupation or Trade. (Not to be asked in respect to persons under 10 years of age.)	The month in which the person died.	Disease or cause of death.	How long a resident of the county? If less than 1 year, state months in fractions, thus - 2/12.	If the disease was not contracted at place of death, state the place.	Name of attending Physician.
	12	13	14	15	16	17
1						
2						
3						

Every Census Schedule should be
CAREFULLY RETURNED:

Every death which has occurred in this enumeration district during the previous year, whether the deceased was or was not, at death a member of any family which resided June 1, 1885, in the district.

Every death which has occurred outside of this enumeration district during the Census year, the deceased being at date of death a member of a family which resided June 1, 1885, in the enumeration district.

The enumerator should make these entries upon this Schedule with great care, seeking every source of information. When a positive statement is impossible, as when an age can only be estimated, or a birth-place must be conjectured, the entry may be enclosed in parentheses, thus: Age (25), meaning that the best estimate of the age that can be given is 25 years.

Of the deaths reported above, the following occurred in this enumeration district, but the families to which the deceased belonged, resided June 1, 1885, out of the enumeration district as follows:				Of the deaths reported above, the following occurred out of this enumeration district, through the families to which the deceased belonged, resided June 1, 1885, in this enumeration district, as follows:			
# of the line upon which the case is reported above	Place where the family of the deceased resided June 1, 1885.			# of the line upon which the case is reported above	Place where the death occurred.		
	Town	County	State		Town	County	State



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Attending Physician Statement

Form for the statement by attending physicians of the causes of death in the cases reported on the reverse side of this sheet.

# of the line on Schedule 5 upon which this case is reported.	Cause of Death		Signature of the Attending Physician
	Primary	Immediate	

