

South Africa - Mortality and Causes of Death 1997-2015

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Mortality and causes of death in South Africa 1997-2015: Findings from death notification

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Description	This is a zipped folder containing all the mortality and causes of death statistical releases spanning the years 1997-2015.
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Technical documents

Mortality and causes of death in South Africa trends data 1997-2015: Metadata

Title	Mortality and causes of death in South Africa trends data 1997-2015: Metadata
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Description	This metadata document contains descriptive information for each variable included in the dataset.
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Other materials

Notice of death/still birth (DHA-1663A)

Title	Notice of death/still birth (DHA-1663A)
Country	South Africa
Language	English
Publisher(s)	Department of Home Affairs
Description	<p>This document is form DHA-1663A (registration of death) which must be completed when registering a death. The form includes the following information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Particulars of deceased - Certificate by attending medical practitioner - Certificate by forensic pathologist - Particulars of informant - Particulars of funeral undertaker
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Notice of death/still birth (DHA-1663B)

Title	Notice of death/still birth (DHA-1663B)
Country	South Africa
Language	English
Publisher(s)	Department of Home Affairs
Description	<p>This document is form DHA-1663B (causes of death) which must be completed by health and medical practitioners only. This form is used for coding various causes of death and contains the following information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Medical certificate of cause of death - Stillbirths and deaths occurring within one week of birth - Deaths occurring after one week of birth
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Notification/register of death/still birth (BI-1663)

Title	Notification/register of death/still birth (BI-1663)
Country	South Africa
Language	English
Publisher(s)	Department of Home Affairs
Description	<p>This document is form BI-1663 (Notification of death/still-birth) which must be completed when reporting a death. The following people have to complete different sections of this form:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The person reporting the death - A medical practitioner (where a medical practitioner is not available to complete this form, in rural areas for example, a traditional leader may complete the form) - A Home Affairs official (where an official from the Department of Home Affairs is not available then a member of the SA Police Services may be approached to complete the form)
Filename	mcd-death-notice-1663.pdf
