Registering Oklahoma Vital Events Records

The Physician and Physician Assistant’s self-training video is available on the OSDH website. Online training: http://www.ok.gov/health/Birth_and_Death_Certificates/ROVER/Self-Trainings/index.html

What is ROVER?
Web-based access to allow users to complete and certify death records electronically to improve efficiency and accuracy.

What is the Goal of ROVER?
To serve the citizens of Oklahoma with courtesy, dignity, and confidence in the most expedient manner possible.

ROVER System Features
- User-friendly data entry screens
- Highly secure and internet accessible
- Available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
- Prompt Helpdesk support
- Copies can be printed and scanned into the patient EMR.

ROVER System Features
- Physician information, hospital listings, and addresses are pre-populated for less data entry.
- Log-in password and electronic signature are selected by the user for security.
- Data entry can be performed by staff, and then certified by the physician from any location with internet access.
- OSDH Field Service staff provides personal, on-site training and follow up support to physicians and office staff.
- All training material is provided by OSDH at no charge to the physician.

Benefits of ROVER
- Saves time! Records are completed in half the time.
- Reduces paperwork.
- Improves accuracy through built in edits.
- Reduces turnaround time for families of patients.
- Funeral Homes electronically send records to physician, preventing loss of certificates and eliminating the need for couriers.
- Corrections and Amendments can be made quickly.
- Reduces fraud by using electronic authentication.

Death Certificate Filing Time
- Paper Certificates: 21 Days
- ROVER: 10 Days

Amendment Processing Time
- Paper Certificates: 75 Minutes
- ROVER: 2 Minutes

Process Time for Data to get to the National Center for Health Statistics
- Paper Certificates: 29 Days
- With ROVER: 1 Day