UMass Memorial Medical Center

2019 DECEDEDNT CARE REQUIREMENTS
Caring for Medical Center Patients Who Die

Who should complete these requirements?
Physicians who will provide care in areas where patient deaths occur. These are mandatory requirements.

When should you complete these requirements?
As soon as you have access to the UMass Memorial Intranet and preferably before you begin rotations in areas where patient deaths occur.

TRAINING REQUIREMENT
Go to the HUB, the UMMMC intranet → Click on My HR on top toolbar
Click on Learning → Training Courses
In eLearning4U, click on Catalog
Search “death”
Select Org UMM Providing Best Care When a Patient Dies 2019
Complete the ONLINE Course

APPLY FOR AN ACCOUNT TO CERTIFY DEATHS*
Apply for a Virtual Gateway VIP account to be an online medical certifier in the MA Electronic Death Registration System (EDRS). Required by Medical Center Policy.

To do this, go to the HUB → Departments/Programs → Decedent Affairs → Certifying Deaths Online → EDRS Application for Online Certifier. Click on “Apply for a Vitals Information Partnership (VIP) EDRS account.”

Complete all steps – 3 paper forms that need to be mailed and one electronic form that needs to be sent via your UMass Memorial email.

When your account is ready, you will be notified via your UMass Memorial email in 2-4 weeks.

*Medical Center policy that you have an account to certify deaths online