

# Amending a Statement of Death (SOD)

# **Role(s): Funeral Home Director**

# **Objective**

This job aid provides the necessary steps to amending and resigning a Statement of Death (SOD) with updated burial permit, including:

- Amend SOD based on new information.
- Enter parent information.
- Update disposition information.
- Re-sign the SOD.
- Generate updated Burial Permit.

#### Scenario

A previous Statement of Death was started for a decedent, for which a surgical procedure resulted in complications post-surgery. The manner of death was determined through autopsy.

After the decedent parents were informed of the death, they provided parent and disposition information updates that must be amended in the SOD.

# Precondition(s)

To follow this lesson to completion:

- The SOD must already be signed.
- The case must be assigned to your facility to make the amendment.
- The user must have rights to amend the SOD.
- eHealth Saskatchewan has not yet registered the death.

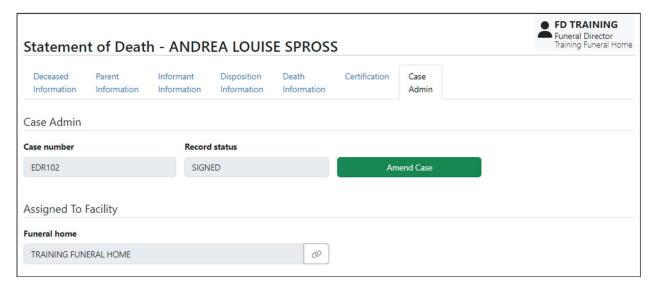
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# **Procedural Steps: Amending an SOD**

The user will start at the Case Admin tab. Once the necessary amendments are made, the SOD will be signed from the Certification tab, and a new burial permit will be generated.

#### **Case Admin Tab**

#### Amend Case



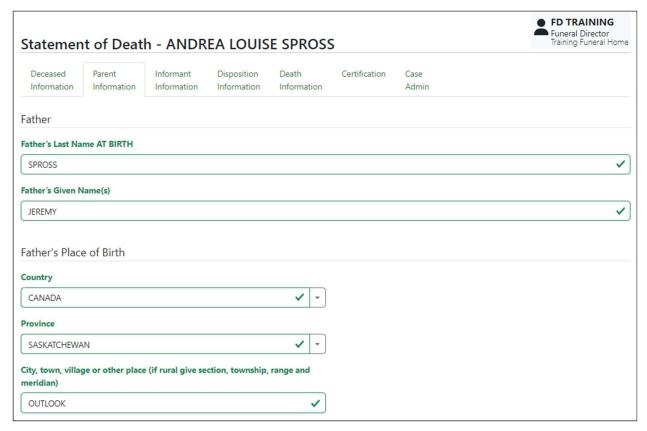
# NOTE: MANDATORY FIELDS Mandatory fields are displayed with an \*asterisk next to their fieldname. All mandatory fields must be filled in prior to certification. If a Tab name, such as "Death Information", displays in red text, mandatory field information is missing on that tab. Once the information has been entered, the Tab text will turn green. Fields stating, "Enter Unknown, if not known", are also mandatory, though not designated with the \*mandatory asterisk.

- 1. Click the **Amend Case** button.
- 2. Click the **Parent Information** tab.

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#### **Parent Information Tab**

#### Father



**NOTE:** Father's name fields are mandatory though they do not have an asterisk. Enter" UNKNOWN" if required.

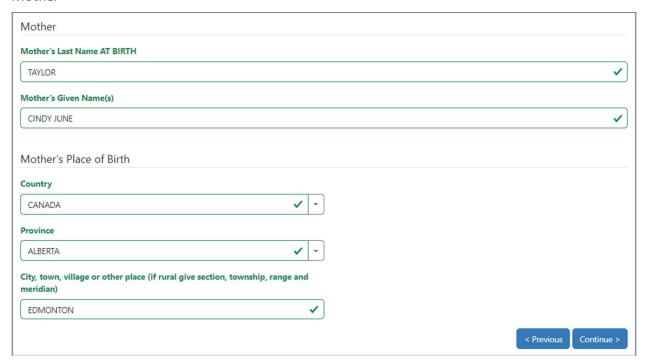
- 3. Father's last name at birth: Type father's last name at birth for this scenario.
- 4. Father's given name(s): Type the father's given names for this scenario.

#### Father's Place of Birth

- 5. **Country:** Click the drop-down arrow and select *Canada* for this scenario.
- 6. **Province:** Click the drop-down arrow and select the **province.**
- 7. City, town, village, or other place: Type the name of the city.

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#### Mother



**NOTE:** Mother's name fields are mandatory though they do not have an asterisk. Enter" UNKNOWN" if required.

- 8. Mother's last name at birth: Type mother's last name at birth for this scenario.
- 9. **Mother's given name(s):** Type the *mother's given names* for this scenario.

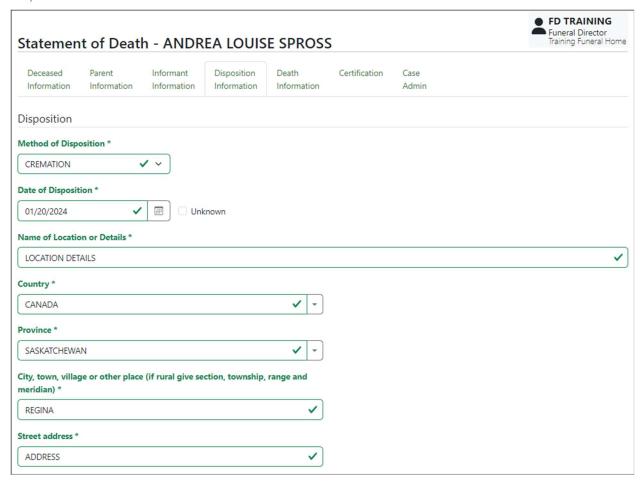
#### Mother's Place of Birth

- 10. **Country:** Click the drop-down arrow and select *Canada* for this scenario.
- 11. Province: Click the drop-down arrow and select the province.
- 12. **City, town, village, or other place:** Type the name of the *city*.
- 13. Click *Disposition Information* tab.

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### **Disposition Information Tab**

#### Disposition



NOTE: Disposition fields are mandatory.

For this scenario, the parents have requested a change to "Method of Disposition" and associated date.

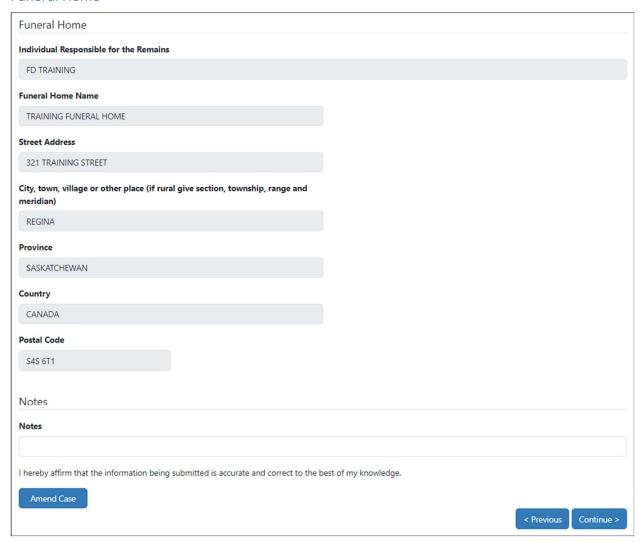
- 14. Method of Disposition\*: Click the drop-down arrow and select the correct method of disposition.
- 15. Date of Disposition\*: Click the *calendar* button and select the *date*.
- 16. Name of Location or Details: type any *location details*.
- 17. **Country\*:** Click the drop-down arrow and select *Canada* for this scenario.
- 18. Province\*: Click the drop-down arrow and select Saskatchewan for this scenario.

NOTE: "UNKNOWN" can be entered into the next two fields if not known.

- 19. **City, town, village or other place\*:** Type the name of the *city*.
- 20. Street Address\*: Type the street address.

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#### Funeral Home



NOTE: "Funeral Home" data is prepopulated based on user logon and the facility they are assigned to.

If another funeral home will take over the disposition, use the "Case Admin" tab to assign to the correct funeral home.

21. Click *Amend Case* to update the changes to the SOD.

**NOTE:** If "Amend Case" is greyed out, mandatory information has been missed. Look for the tab with red text to determine where mandatory information is missing. Complete the missing information and "Amend Case".



#### 22. Click I Confirm.

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23. If all mandatory information is filled correctly, the window will display *Case Amended*. Click *OK*.

#### **Case Admin Tab**

#### Case Admin

Statement of Deat	h - ANDR	EA LOUIS	E SPROSS	S		FD TRAINING Funeral Director Training Funeral Home
Deceased Parent Information Information	Informant Information	Disposition Information	Death Information	Certification	Case Admin	
Case Admin						
Case number	Record	l status				
EDR102	AME	NDED		Am	nend Case	
Assigned To Facility						
TRAINING FUNERAL HOME			0			
Assigned By						Date assigned
HEALTH EDRNTEST1			REGINA PL	JBLIC HOSPITAL		01/11/2024
Medical Certificate of Dea	th					
Name of Medical Informant			Date of sign	ature		
HEALTH EDRNTEST1			12/30/2023	3		
Statement of Death						
Name of Funeral Director			Date of sign	ature		
FD TRAINING			01/15/2024	4		

NOTE:

The Case Admin Tab has been updated to reflect the amended SOD. The Case number remains the same, a unique number specific to this SOD. The "Record Status" now displays "Amended". This SOD will display on the "Submitted Cases" tab of your Dashboard.

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#### **Burial Permit**

eHealth Saskatchewan	Vital Statistics Act, 2009 <b>Burial Permit</b> Loi de 2009 sur les services de l'etat civil	Permit No.  No. de Permis D000044466  V.S.14
This is to Certify La présente atteste	Permis d'inhumer	
That the death of Que le décès de ANDREA LOUISE SPROS	S	
Who died at Qui est décédé (e) à <u>REGINA</u>	Sask. On Month (Sask) du Mois _ 11	Day Year At the age of a l'âge(e) de 52 YEARS
Permission for interment, cremation or other disposal is L'autorisation d'inhumer, d'inclinérer la personne décée		iées est accordée à:
Name Nom FD TRAINING Address Adresse TRAINING FUNERAL HOME, 32	21 TRAINING STREET	Signature of the Registrar
REGINA, SASKATCHEWAN S4S  Date of disposition or burial Date de disposition ou d'inhumation  Month Mois 01	6T1  Day Year Jour_20 Année_2024_	Signature du Registaire
Cemetery Name Nom du cimetière LOCATION DETAILS		ate issued Month Day Year ate émis Mois 01 Jou <u>r 11 Année 2024</u>

**NOTE:** For this scenario, the "Date of disposition or burial" has been updated on the Burial Permit.



- 24. Click the Burial Permit button from the toolbar on the left side of screen.
- 25. A new window will appear, displaying the burial permit. Print or save the permit from browser menu.
- 26. Close Burial Permit browser window or return to EDRN browser tab.

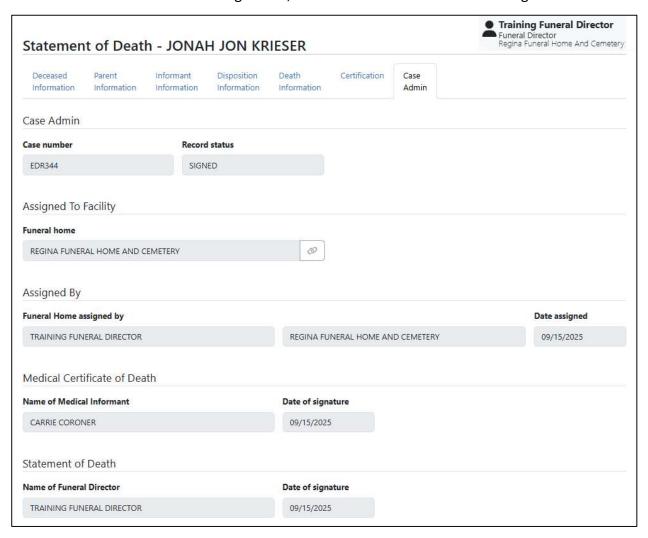
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# Important: Amending an SOD when eHealth Saskatchewan has registered the death.

Once eHealth Saskatchewan completes the registration of the death, funeral home users can no longer make amendments to the SOD through the EDRN site.

#### **Case Admin Tab**

When the death event has been registered, the *Amend Case* button will no longer be available.



To request amendments to the SOD, the funeral home is to send an email to <a href="mailto:dms@ehealthsask.ca">dms@ehealthsask.ca</a>.

**End of Procedure.** 

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