



Macon County Public Health

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Press Release

Macon County recognized for excellence in vital records keeping.

Macon County was recently recognized by the NC State Center for Health Statistics for maintaining the lowest average filing time of death certificates. According to NC Statute 130A-115, a death certificate for each death in NC shall be filed with the local registrar of the county in which the death occurred within five days after the death. Macon County Public Health and their local partners, Macon Funeral Home, Bryant Grant Funeral Home, and Macon County Register of Deeds, maintained an average filing time of 4.8 days. You can access vital record statistics at <https://schs.dph.ncdhhs.gov/data/vital.cfm>. For information about vital records, you can call 349-2081.

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