New Hampshire vital records are considered to be private and access to them is restricted by statute to those individuals who have a "direct and tangible interest" in the record. To view all of the disclosure limitations to our records, click on this link to our statute: RSA 5-C:9. Certain older records are exempted from these access restrictions: "Birth records more than 100 years old and death, marriage, and divorce records more than 50 years old shall be considered part of the public domain." (RSA 5-C:105)

Individuals wishing to research these "genealogical" records may do so by visiting our "Genealogical Research Center" that is located at our site at 71 South Fruit Street, Concord, NH 03301.

In order to get a certified copy of any restricted vital record you will have to complete an application. You will also need to furnish a positive identification including, but not limited to, a driver's license, or passport. (if done by mail a photo copy is fine) This can be done by mail or in person.

Applications for marriage licenses will be applied for between the hours of 8:00 am and 3:00 pm.

## APPLICATION FOR A VITAL RECORDS CERTIFICATE

If applying by mail please send us the following:

- Completed application
- Photo copy of positive I.D.
- Self addressed stamped envelope so we can send the certificate(s) back to you
- Phone number just in case we have any questions
- Check or money order made out to the Town of Seabrook

Seabrook Town Clerk Po box 476 99 Lafayette Rd Seabrook, NH 03874