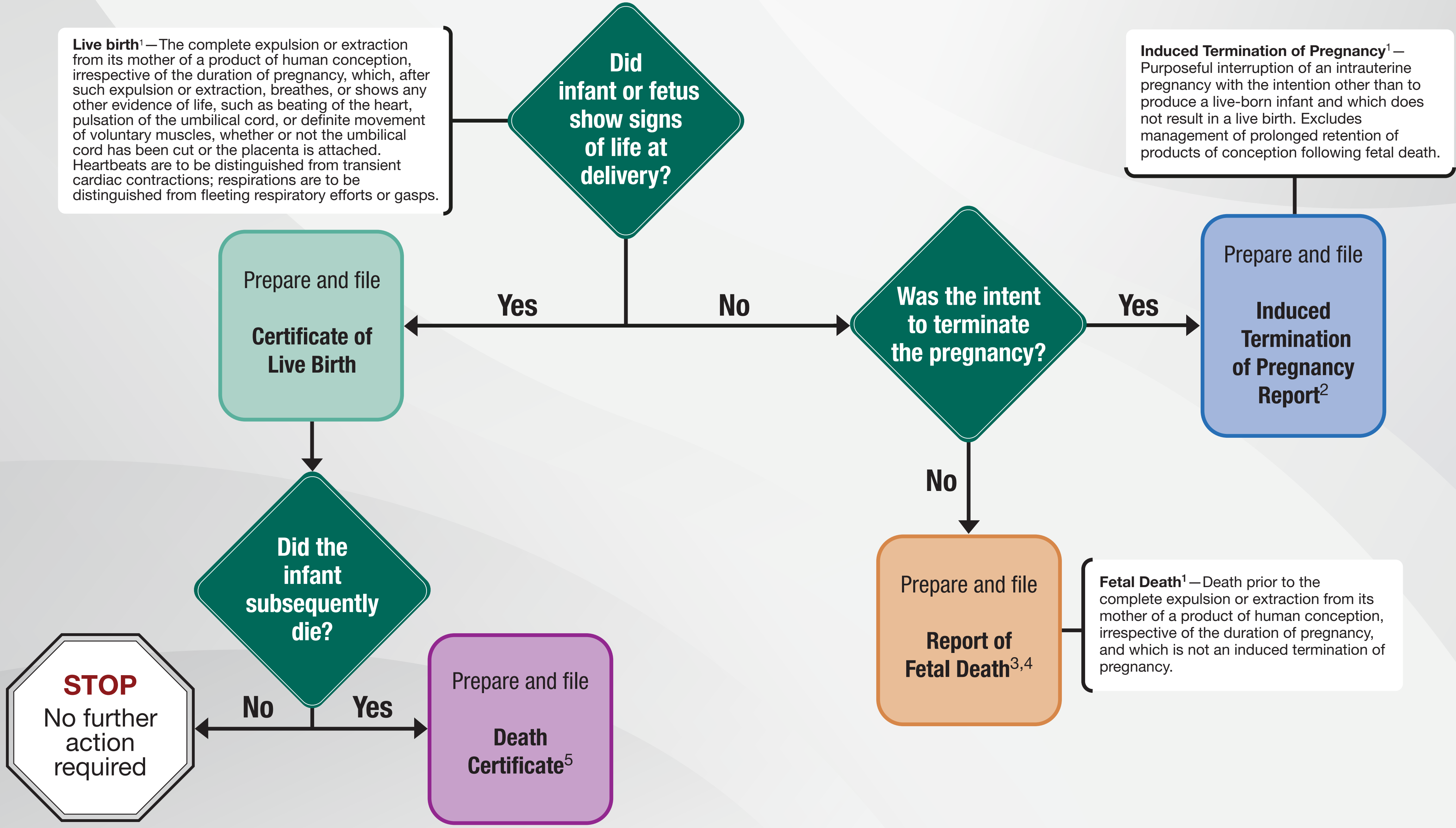


# Guidelines for Reporting Live Births, Infant Deaths, Fetal Deaths, and Induced Terminations of Pregnancy



<sup>1</sup>See: National Center for Health Statistics. Model State Vital Statistics Act and Regulations, 1992 revision. 1994. Available from: <https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/misc/mvsact92b.pdf>.  
<sup>2</sup>Refer to jurisdictional reporting requirements.  
<sup>3</sup>If birthweight ≥ 350 grams or gestational age 20+ weeks (see “Model State Vital Statistics Act and Regulations, 1992 revision”); however, reporting requirements vary by jurisdiction as to the birthweight or gestational age at which a Report of Fetal Death is required. Refer to jurisdiction-specific requirements.  
<sup>4</sup>See disposal of remains requirements for your state.  
<sup>5</sup>Whether the hospital or the funeral home prepares and files the death certificate is determined by which disposes of remains.

