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Identification of Funeral Service Interns

In communications with members of the public, whether in person, in advertisements, or in written correspondence, the Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers recommends that a person registered as an intern be identified as a "Funeral Service Intern" if a title is used along with a person's name. This includes, but is not limited to, listings of staff in advertisements or on websites, signature/title blocks in written or electronic correspondence, business cards and name tags. The Board further recommends that consumers be made aware that the funeral home representative is a Funeral Service Intern when an intern meets with consumers to arrange funeral services.