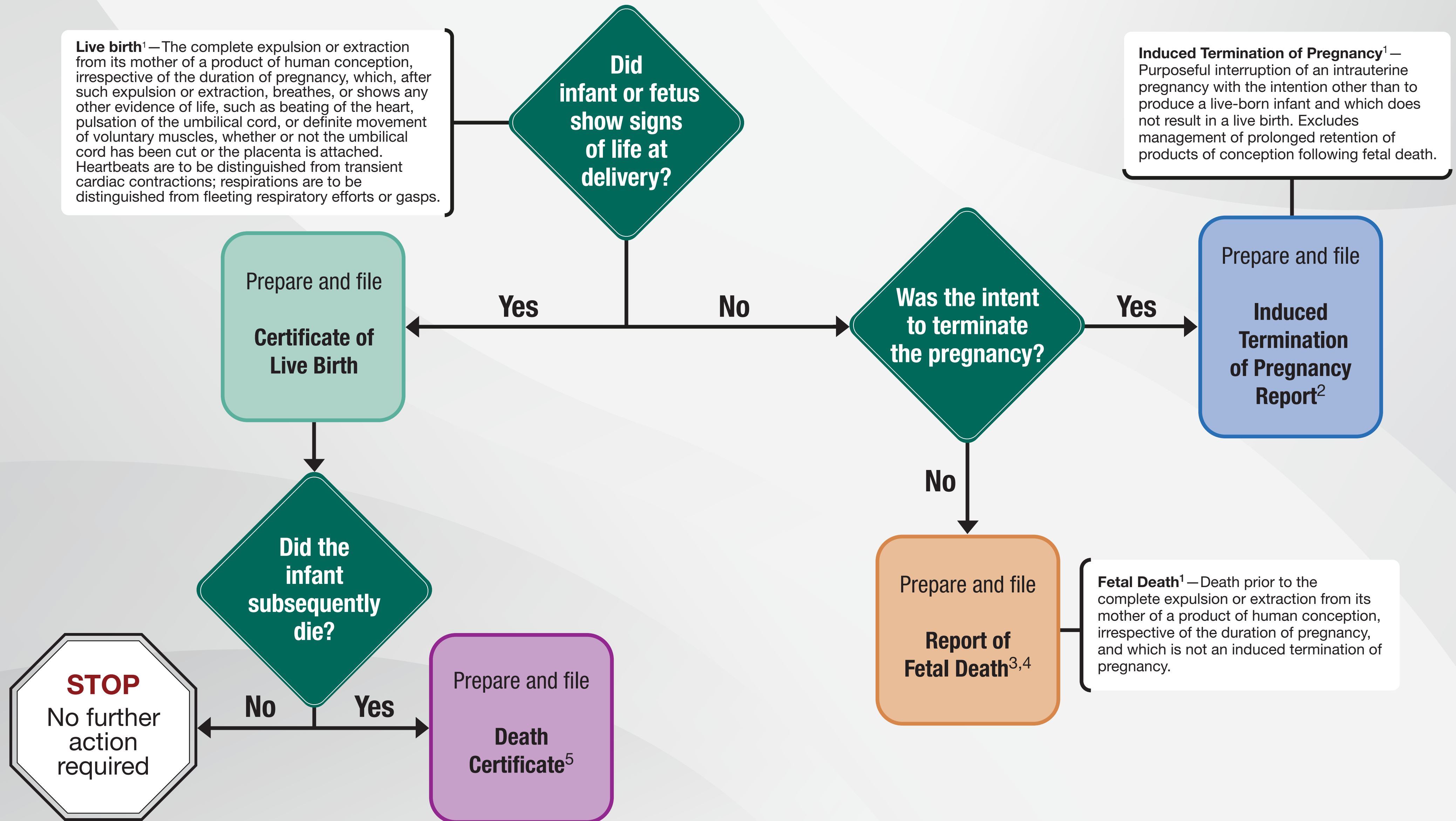


Guidelines for Reporting Live Births, Infant Deaths, Fetal Deaths, and Induced Terminations of Pregnancy



¹See: 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>.

²Refer to jurisdictional reporting requirements.

³If 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.

⁴See disposal of remains requirements for your state.

⁵Whether the hospital or the funeral home prepares and files the death certificate is determined by which disposes of remains.