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Inspectors Report March 20, 2023 – April 6, 2023 50 Funeral Homes Inspected

- Prewitt Funeral Home, New Castle, KY Ronnie Raymond & Danielle Webb
- 2. Ransdell Funeral Home, Campbellsburg, KY Ronnie Raymond & Danielle Webb
- 3. Ransdell Funeral Home, Bedford, KY Ronnie Raymond & Danielle Webb
- Arch L. Heady-Cralle Funeral Home, Louisville, KY Ronnie Raymond & Danielle Webb
- Pearson Funeral Home, Louisville, KY Ronnie Raymond & Danielle Webb
- 6. Ratterman's Funeral Home, Louisville, KY Ronnie Raymond & Danielle Webb
- 7. Derby City Mortuary, Louisville, KY Ronnie Raymond & Danielle Webb
- 8. Campbell Fisher Funeral Home, Lebanon, KY Danielle Webb
- Carey & Son Funeral Home, Springfield, KY Danielle Webb
- Hale-Polin-Robinson Funeral Home, Springfield, KY Danielle Webb
- 11. Bosley Funeral Home, Lebanon, KY Danielle Webb
- Bennett-Bertram Funeral Home, Hodgenville, KY Danielle Webb
- Dixon-Rogers Funeral Home, Magnolia, KY Danielle Webb
- William R. Rust Funeral Home, Hodgenville, KY Danielle Webb
- Cowherd & Parrott Funeral Home, Greensburg, KY Danielle Webb
- Sego Funeral Home, Munfordville, KY Danielle Webb
- 17. Gupton-Landrum, Greensburg, KY Danielle Webb
- Brooks Funeral Home, Munfordville, KY Danielle Webb





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- Ritchie Peach Funeral Home, Lawrenceburg, KY Danielle Webb
- Saffell House Funeral Home, Lawrenceburg, KY Danielle Webb
- 40. Morgan's Funeral Home, Versailles, KY Danielle Webb
- 41. Clark Legacy Center, Versailles, KY Danielle Webb
- Blackburn & Ward Funeral Home, Versailles, KY Danielle Webb
- 43. Tucker, Yocum & Wilson Funeral Home, Georgetown, KY Danielle Webb
- 44. Johnson Funeral Home, Georgetown, KY Danielle Webb
- 45. Bluegrass Embalming Services, Lexington, KY Danielle Webb
- 46. Smith & Smith Funeral Home, Lexington, KY Danielle Webb
- 47. Kerr Brothers Funeral Home, Lexington, KY Danielle Webb
- 48. Fender Funeral Directors, Lexington, KY Danielle Webb
- 49. Milward Funeral Home, Lexington, KY Danielle Webb
- O.L. Hughes & Sons Mortuary, Lexington, KY Danielle Webb





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Apprentices Calendars Up to Date

March / April 2023

- Samuel Ulmer, Arch L. Heady- Cralle Funeral Home, Louisville, KY
- 2. Mary Araila, Pearson Funeral Home, Louisville, KY
- 3. Melody Yost, Pearson Funeral Home, Louisville, KY
- 4. Ashley Ernst, Derby City Mortuary, Louisville, KY
- 5. Matt Underwood, Bennett-Bertram Funeral Home, Hodgenville, KY
- 6. Lilly Squires, Cowherd & Parrott Funeral Home, Greensburg, KY
- 7. Gracie Parrott, Cowherd & Parrott Funeral Home, Greensburg, KY
- 8. Daniel Bowman, Sego Funeral Home, Munfordville, KY
- 9. Sarah Hamlin, Stith Funeral Home, Danville, KY
- 10. Jarod Johnson, Walden Funeral Home, Perryville, KY
- 11. Gabriel Floro, W.L. Pruitt Funeral Home, Hustonville, KY
- 12. Megan Lyons, W.L. Pruitt Funeral Home, Hustonville, KY
- 13. Robert Coulter, Jr., Spurlin Funeral Home, Stanford, KY
- Kelly Coots, Bernard Funeral Home, Russell Springs, KY
 Crystal Caldwell, Grissom-Martin Funeral Home, Columbia, KY
- 16. Michelle Godbury, Pulaski Funeral Home, Somerset, KY
- 17. Allen Price, Morris-Hislope Funeral Home, Science Hill, KY
- Amanda Berrios, Morris Hislope Funeral Home, Science Hill, KY
- Thomas Sagle, Morris-Hislope Funeral Home, Science Hill, KY
- 20. Klernan Birdwhistle, Ritchie Peach Funeral Home, Lawrenceburg, KY
- 21. Megan Stockton, Clark Legacy Center, Versailles, KY
- 22. Nick Green, Blackburn & Ward Funeral Home, Versailles, KY
- 23. Johnnie Dehart, Kerr Brothers, Lexington, KY
- 24. Holly Justice, Milward Funeral Home, Lexington, KY
- 25. Ashley Price, Milward Funeral Home, Lexington, KY
- 26. Ronald Woolfolk, O.L. Hughes, Lexington, KY



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To whom it may concern:

Inspector Webb traveled to and performed routine inspections on 50 funeral homes and verified 26 apprentices had their calendars up to date from March 20, 2023 to April 6, 2023.

This inspector observed the following regarding Campbell- Fisher Funeral Home in Lebanon, KY and thought the Board should be aware of the following:

On March 23, 2023, at approximately 9:00 A.M. this Inspector arrived at Campbell-Fisher Funeral Home. Business address noted to be W. Main Street, Lebanon, KY 40033. Upon entering the facility there was noted to be a very strong cat urine odor. Several dark spots noted throughout the facility on the carpet and furniture. Cat also noted to be present in the funeral home, along with cat food. This inspector did not see a litter box but the smell in the facility was apparent. Three employees noted to be in the facility along with the owner, Rebecca Fisher, Licensed Embalmer and Funeral Director. She was outside the prep room dressing a deceased person with the help of an employee. Facilities were very cluttered and just overall dirty throughout. Ms. Fisher said she no longer used her show room that she used catalogues. She did walk this inspector into the show room and there was noted to be 3 caskets on biers and 2 kayaks on the floor. The outside of the funeral home noted to have structural and roof issues.

When questioned regarding the facility the owner stated she had been very busy. She stated the cat brought comfort to families but then contradicted herself saying that she put the cat up when families were in the funeral home. The owner also had her personal motorcycle parked in the chapel. She said she moved the motorcycle before services. This inspector asked why the motorcycle was parked in the funeral home. Rebecca Fisher stated, "Where does it state it can't be?" "And where does it say I can't have a cat in here?"

This inspector replied, "I don't know if it is stated anywhere but I also don't understand why they are in here. This is a professional place of business. The overall facility is a cluttered mess, and the cat odor is very strong."

Rebecca Fisher went on to say some families enjoyed the cat around, but she did also say she put the cat up when families were in. This inspector took a couple pictures of the cat and the motorcycle. I informed Ms. Fisher I would be checking on these things and putting my findings into a report. She replied, "OK."

Respectfully,

Danielle Webb, Inspector

