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Additional information for Birth Registration with the Swiss authorities

Birth	Last name/Surname:	First name(s): (First and middle name mentioned here will appear in Swiss passport)
	City of birth:	State of birth:
	Date of birth *(day/month/year)*:	
	Father's Last and First name(s): (Parent 1)	Mother's Maiden and First name(s): (Parent 2)
	Address of the parents at the time of birth:	Current address of the parents:

☞ **The Swiss representation can only forward the parents'wishes concerning their child's names to the Swiss authorities. The final decision is made by the competent civil status authority in Switzerland.**

☞ **Please enclose a copy of the child's U.S. passport if available as well as the birth certificate**

	Signature: (if you are not 18 years old, please have both parents sign this form) Date:

The certified copy of the birth certificate is required for registration of your birth with the Swiss authorities:
Please note: the document must not be older than six months!
This document is issued by the Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, of the place of birth, or by the State Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, at the capital of the state in which the person was born. Please ask for a complete and certified copy of the birth certificate, which must show the place (town) of birth and the parents' full names, including the maiden name of the mother.

IMPORTANT

1. **All documents (originals or certified copies) must bear the official seal. Documents issued by hospitals and churches and documents legalized by a Notary Public <u>are not accepted</u> by the competent Swiss authorities!**
2. **The documents submitted to this office will not be returned. They will be translated, legalized and sent to Switzerland.**