

GENERAL PRICE LIST

Simple, transparent cremation services for families across the Seattle and Portland metro areas

EFFECTIVE AUGUST 27, 2026

The goods and services shown below are those we can provide to our customers. You may choose only the items you desire. However, any funeral arrangements you select will include a charge for our basic service and overhead. If legal or other requirements mean you must buy any items you did not specifically ask for, we will explain the reason in writing on the statement we provide describing the funeral goods and services you selected.

SIMPLE CREMATION

\$1,194.00

Simple Cremation is direct cremation without embalming, viewing, or ceremony. Our Simple Cremation package does not include burial services, use of facilities and staff for funeral ceremonies, viewing of the deceased, memorial services, or embalming. Direct cremation is for families who want a simple and flexible farewell without a viewing or service.

OUR CHARGES INCLUDE

- Services of a licensed funeral director
- Local transportation into our care
- Refrigerated holding (ten days)
- Filing the death certificate
- Social Security notification
- The direct cremation process
- Travel-safe plastic utility urn
- Cardboard alternative container
- An online obituary tribute page
- 24/7 support by phone or text

If you want to arrange a direct cremation, you can use an alternative container. Alternative containers encase the body and can be made of materials like fiberboard or composition materials, with or without an outside covering. The containers we provide are composed of corrugated fiberboard.

TERMS OF PAYMENT

Payment is expected within 48 hours of arrangements and is required prior to services such as transportation, death certificate filing, and cremation being rendered, unless other arrangements are made. Western Cremation Alliance does not accept insurance assignments or extend credit. We accept all major credit cards.

ITEMIZED GOODS AND SERVICES

Charges may be selected individually unless they are already included in a package.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Basic Services of Funeral Director and Staff and Overhead	\$895.00
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This fee for our basic service and overhead will be added to the total cost of the funeral arrangements you select. This fee is already included in our charges for direct cremations. This charge includes, but is not limited to, availability of staff 24-hours a day, staff and facility to respond to initial request for services, consultation with responsible party to determine services desired, coordinating service plans with cemetery, crematory and/or other parties involved in final disposition of the deceased, filing of local death certificate, and obtaining local permits with the appropriate department. Also included in this charge are overhead expenses related to our facility such as insurance, maintenance and utility expenses, secretarial and administrative costs, and equipment and inventory expenses.

ADDITIONAL SERVICES

Transportation within our Local Service Area	\$495.00
Hair Locket Retrieval	\$50.00
Fingerprint Retrieval	\$50.00
Pacemaker/Medical Device Removal	\$50.00
DNA Sample Retrieval	\$195.00
Crematory Fee	\$495.00
Surcharge for Decedents Weighing 300-349 lbs	\$399.00
Surcharge for Decedents Weighing 350-400 lbs	\$599.00
Unattended Scattering of Cremated Remains at Sea	\$195.00
Delivery of Cremated Remains to Local Place (within local service area; ferry and/or tolls billed at cost)	\$195.00
Shipping of Cremated Remains via Priority Express Mail (Domestic)	\$195.00
Expedited or Priority Service	\$295.00

Our local service area is King, Pierce, Snohomish and Clark counties in Washington, and Multnomah, Washington and Clackamas counties in Oregon.

DIRECT CREMATION (SIMPLE CREMATION)

Direct Cremation with Alternative Container (alternative container included at no additional cost)	\$1,194.00
Direct Cremation without Alternative Container	\$1,194.00

CARE, PREPARATION, AND TRANSPORTATION

Services outside Simple Cremation are available when required or requested.

CARE AND PREPARATION OF THE BODY

Embalming	\$795.00
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Except in certain special cases, embalming is not required by law. Embalming may be necessary, however, if you select certain funeral arrangements, such as a public funeral with viewing. If you do not want embalming, you usually have the right to choose an arrangement that does not require you to pay for it, such as direct cremation or immediate burial.

Restoration After Autopsy/Trauma	\$695.00
Autopsy Repair	\$495.00
Dressing, Casketing, and/or Cosmetizing	\$395.00
Refrigerated Care and Holding (up to ten days)	\$200.00
Refrigerated Care and Holding (after ten days; per day)	\$50.00

TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

Forwarding of Remains to Another Funeral Home (Domestic)	\$2,750.00
Forwarding of Remains to Another Funeral Home (International)	\$5,495.00

Our charges include basic services of funeral director and staff, removal of remains, preparation of remains as required, dressing/casketing, scheduling/coordinating, and local transportation. You may purchase a casket from our funeral home, or a shipping tray if the receiving funeral home will provide your casket. International shipping timelines and requirements vary by jurisdiction. Services requiring unusual scheduling, coordination, or third-party constraints may incur additional fees.

Airline transportation is not included in our charges.

Receiving Remains from Another Funeral Home	\$2,750.00
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Receiving services may include coordination with airlines, cargo facilities, or foreign providers.

Delivery To Airport/Cargo Facility	\$495.00
International Shipping Documentation Preparation	\$695.00
Air Transport Container/Combination Shipping Unit	\$295.00
International Shipping Container with Zinc Liner	\$1,995.00

FEES AND COUNTY TOTALS

Required government and third-party charges vary by place of death.

CASH ADVANCES

These fees are set by the county and the state. They are not ours. We collect them and pay them on your behalf, and they are itemized on your statement.

Certified Copies of Death Certificate (includes USPS First Class Mail)	\$30.00
Oregon State Filing Fee	\$30.00
Washington State Filing Fee	\$10.80
Snohomish County Filing Fee	\$15.00
Pierce County Filing Fee	\$15.00
King County Medical Examiner's Fee	\$100.00
Pierce County Medical Examiner's Fee	\$100.00
Clark County Medical Examiner's Fee	\$100.00
Laboratory DNA Testing (billed at cost)	Starting at \$300.00

WHAT IT COMES TO BY COUNTY

Our cremation price is \$1,194 in every county we serve. Which county applies is decided by where the death happened, not where the person lived. A Federal Way resident who dies at St. Joseph in Tacoma is a Pierce County death.

COUNTY	LOCAL AUTHORITY FEE	STATE FILING FEE	LOCAL FEES	YOUR TOTAL
King Washington	\$100.00 Medical examiner	\$10.80	\$110.80	\$1,304.80
Pierce Washington	\$115.00 \$100.00 medical examiner \$15.00 county	\$10.80	\$125.80	\$1,319.80
Snohomish Washington	\$15.00	\$10.80	\$25.80	\$1,219.80
Clark Washington	\$100.00	\$10.80	\$110.80	\$1,304.80
Multnomah Oregon	Included	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$1,224.00
Washington Oregon	None	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$1,224.00
Clackamas Oregon	None	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$1,224.00

Pierce County changed on August 3, 2026. Under Pierce County Code Chapter 8.102, created by Council Ordinance C2025-552, the Medical Examiner must now authorize final disposition for every death in the county, including deaths certified by a physician. The authorization carries a \$100.00 fee under Pierce County Code 4.58.070. It applies to every funeral home working in Pierce County, ours included.

Certified death certificates are separate, at \$30.00 each. A Washington death certificate can be ordered from any local health department in the state, not only the county where the death occurred.

URN PRICE LIST

Families may provide their own urn. A basic plastic utility urn suitable for temporary placement is included with our Simple Cremation Package at no additional charge.

Sales tax, shipping, engraving, and special-order fees may apply where applicable.

CREMATION URNS

Premium Scattering Tubes	\$99.00
Eco Scattering Urn	\$129.00
Affordable Aluminum & High Gloss Urns	\$135.00
Eco Water & Biodegradable Journey Urns	\$149.00
Abstract Motif Urns	\$165.00
Sturdy Bamboo & Wood Chests	\$169.00
The Living Urn® with Included Tree Voucher	\$169.00
Starlight & Blessing Urns	\$180.00
Devotional & Service Urns	\$185.00
Resin Art & Horizon Urns	\$190.00
Practical Wood Urns	\$200.00
Colorful & Classic Urns	\$220.00
Solid Wood Devotional, Rose Oak, & Photo Urns	\$220.00
Elegance & Patriotic Urns	\$249.00
Custom Color Photo Wood Urns	\$279.00
Etched Dove & Regal Urns	\$285.00
The Living Urn Planter™	\$295.00
Cultured Marble Urns	\$299.00
Stone Vase Urns	\$299.00
Presidential Wood Urns	\$315.00
Cloisonné Urns	\$349.00
Ocean Sand Biodegradable Urn	\$379.00
The Barnes Walnut Urn	\$379.00
Biodegradable Sea Turtle Urn	\$420.00
Eco Salt Urns	\$439.00
Handcrafted Designer Urns	\$540.00
Artisan Hand-Blown Glass Urns	\$650.00

KEEPSAKES, MEMORIAL JEWELRY, AND CONTAINERS

Optional memorial merchandise and cremation containers

KEEPSAKES AND MEMORIAL JEWELRY

The Chelsea Vases	\$190.00
Sterling Silver & Unique Pendants	\$165.00
Precious Glass & Brass Songbirds	\$139.00
Brushed Metal & Embellished Heart Keepsakes	\$130.00
Ornate Heart, Teardrop, Cross & Glass Pendants	\$129.00
Heart Pendants	\$120.00
Sterling Silver Circle of Life with Birthstone Pendants	\$120.00
Tribute Coin	\$115.00
Brass Shell Keepsakes & Biodegradable Mini Turtle Urn	\$109.00
Aluminum Heart Keepsakes	\$109.00
Presidential Chest Keepsakes	\$105.00
Parent & Modern Pendants	\$102.00
Biodegradable Journey Mini Urns	\$94.00
Metal Scattering Tubes & Patriotic Token Keepsakes	\$89.00
Classic, Colorful, Etched, & Embellished Keepsakes	\$81.00
Abstract Motif, Affordable Aluminum, Patriotic & Service Keepsakes	\$70.00

CASKET PRICE LIST

These prices are effective as of August 27, 2026. Prices are subject to change without notice. We do not offer infant, rental, child, or adult burial caskets. There is no evidence that any casket represented as having protective features, which may include a gasket, will preserve human remains.

ALTERNATIVE CONTAINERS

Transporter Cremation Container Corrugated fiberboard construction with woodgrain printed paper exterior.	\$425.00
Wood Based Cremation Container Framed from 1" x 4" pinewood and 3/8" plywood base, White Oyster colored lid.	\$295.00
Minimum Cardboard Container Tan interior and exterior, constructed of cardboard. Included with Simple Cremation at no additional cost.	\$0.00

Questions about any item on this price list?

Call (844) 927-3628 or visit WesternCremation.org