

MODMO CERTIFICATE OF KINSHIP
Request for the Medals of a Deceased Serviceperson

If you are the legal Next of Kin, you are requested to complete this form and return it to the MOD Medal Office together with a **photocopy** of the serviceperson's Death Certificate. **Please do not send original documents. If the serviceperson died whilst in service, the Death Certificate will not be required.**

Please note that medals awarded prior to the Second World War can no longer be issued.

Part 1 - Particulars of the Deceased

Surname:Other Names:

Service: Rank: Service Number:

Dates of service, if known: to:

Date of Birth:Date of Death:

Part 2 - Next of Kin

The official Next of Kin is the first person from the following list who is still alive. Please tick the relevant box and write his or her details next to it. This order of precedence is based on Intestacy Law.

- A. Surviving spouse
- B. Eldest child
- C. Eldest/grandchild/great grandchild
- D. Parent
- E. Brothers and Sisters of the whole blood
- F. Children of brothers and sisters of the whole blood
- G. Brothers and sisters of the half blood
- H. Children of brothers and sisters of the half blood
- I. Grandparents
- J. Uncles/Aunts of the whole blood
- K. Children of Uncles/Aunts of the whole blood
- L. Uncles/Aunts of the half blood
- M. Children of Uncles/Aunts of the half blood

If you are the Next of Kin and are claiming medals or information yourself **proceed to Part 4.**

If you are the Next of Kin and wish for medals or information to be released to a third party **please complete Parts 3 and 4.**

Part 3 - Certificate of Next of Kin –

I authorise (name):Relationship to the Next of Kin:
of (address):

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to receive on my behalf any medals or details of medal entitlement to which I have claim.

Date:

Signed (signature of Next of Kin):

Part 4 - Declaration

To the best of my knowledge the information I have given is correct.

Date:

Signed (signature of Next of Kin):

Name:

Address:

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Telephone:Email:

Please return this form to the address below. Please ensure that you have:

- a. The written authority of the Next of Kin, if not yourself, at Part 4.
- b. Evidence of the serviceperson's death if he/she died after discharge from the Armed Forces.

Return form to:

**Ministry Of Defence Medal Office
Service Personnel and Veteran's Agency
Innsworth House
Imjin Barracks
Innsworth
Gloucester
GL3 1HW**

WARNING!

It is fraudulent to knowingly withhold relevant information or to give false information.