

Texas Administrative Code Rule 203.41, In-Casket Identification Information

The following identification method examples are considered to be durable and waterproof and comply with this rule:

- 1) metal identification tag
- 2) vinyl hospital band
- 3) vinyl tag with identification written in permanent marker
- 4) Teslin™ or teslin-like material waterproof cards with identification written in permanent marker
- 5) A card with identification written in permanent marker that is laminated on both sides and sealed;
- 6) A card or paper with identification written in permanent marker that is sealed within a zip lock plastic bag
- 7) Tyvek™ or other durable spun bonded olefin material cards with identification written in permanent marker; and
- 8) Paper with identification written in permanent marker placed inside the casket memorial record tube or capsule located on the outside of the casket

Funeral homes are exempt from subsection (a) of Rule 203.41 if the deceased, family of the deceased, religious norms or cultural norms oppose such inclusion. A funeral home must keep a record of each instance of use of this exemption and on what grounds the exemption was applied.