

General Information and Application for Research Services

Oswego County Records Center
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Due to the large amount of requests and correspondence received through this office, we must ask researchers to fill out this request form before a search is initiated. Researchers who are able to come to the records center in person may research free of charge.

1. **SEARCH FEE** - \$5.00 per record request. Each individual type of record listed below constitutes a record request. This includes uncertified copies, transcribed copies or notification of no record. Copies are \$0.50/each and postage is \$1.00.
2. Searches will only begin following receipt of amount due: \$ _____

NOTE: Vital record requests must be made with the City, Village or Town Clerk where the event took place. The County of Oswego maintains no vital records.

Census Records

Oswego County Censuses are available for the following years:
1820, 1850, 1855, 1860, 1865, 1870, 1875, 1880, 1892, 1905, 1915 & 1925

Naturalization Records

Oswego County Naturalizations are available beginning in 1829. The records from 1829 to 1906 contain only minimal information. After 1906 the complete naturalization records are available up until 1957.

Cemetery Records

A compilation of over 170 cemeteries in Oswego County is available for search.

City Directories – Oswego and Fulton

Oswego Directories from 1869 – 1998, and Fulton Directories from 1903 - 1998.

Marriage License Records – 1908 to 1935 only

Marriage Licenses are available from 1908 – 1935 only. These were the only vital records that the Oswego County government was mandated to keep.

Misc. Records

These records include various published histories related to Oswego County, family histories, County Historian correspondence file, etc.

RESEARCH REQUEST FORM ~ Oswego County Records Center

Please indicate the following records you would like searched.

Census Records

Name: _____
City, Village or Town: _____
Year: _____

Naturalizations

Name: _____
City, Village or Town: _____
Year: _____

Cemetery Records

Name: _____
City, Village or Town: _____
Year: _____

City Directories

Name: _____
Oswego or Fulton (Please Specify): _____
Year: _____

Marriage License Records

Name: _____
City, Village or Town: _____
Year (1908 –1935 only): _____

Other Records (Please Specify)

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Please make check or money order payable to the Oswego County Clerk.