## **CREMATORY OPERATOR RENEWAL**

The requirements for crematory operator registration renewal pursuant to **COMAR 10.29.17.06** are as follows:

- A. Before the expiration date of the permit or registration, a permit holder or registered crematory operator shall complete and return the renewal form, pay the non-refundable renewal fee, and submit any required documentation.
- B. A person who has a permit or registration as a permit holder or registered crematory operator may renew the permit or registration every 2 years, beginning on a date specified by the Board, in the following manner:
  - (1) Complete the renewal application form;
  - (2) Pay the non-refundable renewal fee set forth in Regulation .09 of the Chapter;
  - (3) Meet the permit and registration requirements of the Chapter and Health Occupations Article, Title 7, Annotated Code of Maryland; and
  - (4) Submit the required documentation.

There is no current requirement under the Maryland Board of Morticians and Funeral Directors' regulations to retake the operator training course or become recertified by the Cremation Association of North America (CANA); International Cemetery, Cremation and Funeral Association (ICCFA); or other equivalent certification recognized jointly by the Board and the Office.