

Cemeteries' Records – Cemetery Factsheet

Torquay Cemeteries

Torbay Council looks after the following non-parochial cemeteries in Torquay:

- Torquay (Old) Cemetery, Barton Hill Road, Torquay
- Torquay (New) Cemetery, Hele Road, Torquay

Torquay (Old) Cemetery, Barton Hill Road, Torquay



Torquay Cemetery was opened in the mid-19th century. The site is listed by English Heritage and has 3 listed buildings within its perimeter: the old Cemetery Lodge facing Barton Hill Road, and two old chapels.

Torquay (New) Cemetery, Hele Road, Torquay

The crematorium is located at Hele Road. The main office is located at the Hele Road entrance to the Crematorium.

Torquay Crematorium office holds its own records for Torquay Cemetery and Paignton Cemetery. The name and date of death is required to locate the grave as the office has over 155 years of hand written records. If a searcher does not know the date of death he/she can contact the Torbay District Register Office at Oldway Mansions, if the deceased was a local resident.

Devon Heritage Centre holdings:

4241C	Torquay Cemetery Registers (consecrated ground)	1854 - 1960
	Torquay Cemetery Registers (unconsecrated ground)	1852-1974
	Administrative records relating to Torquay cemetery, including counterfoil books for certificates of grave grants	1855 – 1974
	Files of share certificates for Torquay Extra-mural Cemetery Company with endorsements and correspondence	1852 – 1940

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