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## VITAL STATISTICS CITY OF CAMDEN NEW JERSEY

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### All Amendments:

- Are done Tuesday – Thursday between 8:30am-3pm.
- The filing fee is \$10 per record.
- The processing of amendments takes 10-16 weeks. Must be sent to the State of NJ for approval.
- For specific corrections and all required documentation please feel free to contact our Office at (856) 757-7087

### What Amendments Can I do in Camden City?

- **Change the spelling of the first and/or middle name** of individual who record belongs to:
  - If born after 1993 parents listed on the record must sign with valid ID
  - If the names are pronounced phonetically the same
  - If you have baptism papers, school entrance records or immunization papers prior to your 7<sup>th</sup> birthday showing your name how you'd like it to be reflected on your Vital Record
  - If you have a legal name change from Superior Court
- **If it is a parents name that is wrong** – Valid ID and birth certificate of parent are required to correct this.
  - If you do not have a birth certificate, parents can use a marriage certificate, if they were **married before** the birth of the child with valid ID
  - We can also use older siblings birth certificates if the parent's name is spelled correctly with valid ID
- **To add a parent** to the birth certificate (for example if one was absent at the time of birth) a Certificate of Parentage must be filled out upon arriving in the office by both parents.
- If an incorrect parent is listed on the record, a DNA test and Order of Paternity from Superior Court is required to correct the parent.
- For more information on establishing paternity in NJ feel free to visit the NJ Paternity Opportunity Program at: <http://www.nj-paternity.com/> 1-800-POP-6607

