

## NYS UNCLAIMED FUNDS INFORMATION

Creditors have up to 5 years of inactivity on monies owed to an individual before submitting the funds to the New York State Comptroller to hold.

You will want to check the unclaimed funds website for at least 6 years after the passing of the Decedent.

<https://www.osc.state.ny.us/unclaimed-fund>

If you find monies being held for the Decedent, you will need to contact the Surrogate's Court Clerk's Office to obtain a certificate to be able to access those funds.

- a. Probate or Administration Proceedings – \$6.00 fee for a new certificate.
- b. Voluntary Administration Proceedings – No Fee – need to complete an amended affidavit to get a new certificate.