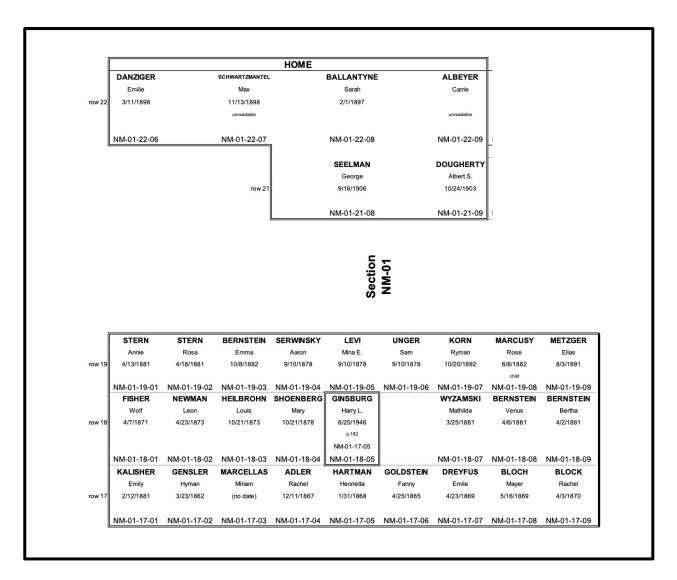
Children's Deaths & Burial Locations

From its appointment of Dr. Isaac L. Crawcour as the Home's first physician in May 1855, the board sought to provide its wards the finest medical care available. Despite these efforts, the following children died while living in the Home. "HB," meaning "Home Biography," refers to the unique page number the Home assigned to each child in its registry books. Causes of death are quoted from the Home's records.

By 1860, the Home purchased burial plots from Congregation Gates of Mercy ("Shaara Chesed"), which are located in Hebrew Rest Cemetery No. 1 on Frenchmen Street in Gentilly. Attached on page 2 is a detail of Hebrew Rest #1 site map showing the plots of 30 Home children along with Matron Mary Shoenberg (who died of yellow fever in 1878) and Superintendent Harry L. "Uncle Harry" Ginsburg (who ran the Home from 1929 until his death in June 1946).

Year	Name ("Home Biography" #), Age	Cause of Death (as recorded)
1859	Hannah Posner (HB 69), 1 year	-
1861	Emily Kalisher (HB 4), 11 years	-
1862	Hyman Gensler (HB 54), 4 years	-
1864	Miriam Marcelles (HB 108), age unrecorded	-
1867	Rachel Adler (HB 209), infant	-
1868	Henriette Hartman (HB 78), 14 years	Burns
1869	Emile Dreyfous (HB 130), 6 years	Measles
1869	Fannie Goldstein (HB 215), 3 years	Measles
1869	Mayer Block (HB 235), 2 years	Measles
1870	Rachel Block (HB 246), infant	-
1871	Wolf Fisher (HB 258), infant	-
1875	Annie Shonberg (HB 261), 5 years	-
1873	Leon Newman (HB 284), age unrecorded	-
1876	Louis Heilbron (HB 248), 4 years	-
1878	Aaron Serwinski (HB 364), 4 years	yellow fever
1878	Mina Levi (HB 414), 2 years	yellow fever
1878	Sam Unger (HB 415), infant	yellow fever
1881	Annie Stern (HB 420), 6 years	scarlet fever
1881	Rosa Stern (HB 421), 8 years	scarlet fever
1881	Venus Bernstein (HB 444), 7 years	scarlet fever
1881	Bertha Bernstein (HB 445, 4 years	scarlet fever
1881	Mathilda Wyzambski (HB 446), 4 years	scarlet fever
1882	Emma Bernstein (HB 510), 5 months	teething
1883	Rosa Marcusy (HB 516), 7 years	malarial congestive fever
1891	Elias Metzger (HB 720), infant	-
1892	Hyman Korn (HB 754), 12 years	-
1895	Paul Stern (HB 811), 7 years	septic pneumonia.
1897	Sarah Ballentine (HB 663), 15 years	yellow fever
1897	Carrie Albeyer (HB 619), 14 years	yellow fever
1897	Max Schwartzmantel (HB 674), 13 years	yellow fever
1898	Emilie Danziger (HB 741), 8 years	influenza
1903	Sidney Albert Dougherty (HB 1003), 5 years	father died of consumption
1906	George Seelman (HB 1031), 5 years*	mother died of tuberculosis
	*[died 4 months after discharge]	



Detail of Hebrew Rest Cemetery #1 site map (Section NM-01, Rows 17-22) showing burial plots of Home children. From <u>www.hebrewrest.org</u>. Thanks to Clifford Kern and Jakob Rosenzweig.