

HALLEMAN née FAJNER (Feiner) Maria Mariema (1900–1943), doctor, clinic manager. She was born on 31st January 1900 in Częstochowa, the daughter of Szmul and Estera née Cenów (?).

She graduated in medicine at the Jagiellonian University and received her medical degree on 23rd May 1928. For some time, she worked in hospitals in Vienna and Kraków. As a paediatrician, she worked at the Municipal Clinic in Częstochowa. She also ran a private practice (at al. Kościuszki 14). From circa 1935, she managed the → Care Station for Mothers and Children (at ul. Sobieskiego 11) in Częstochowa. She belonged to the Częstochowa branch of the Polish Red Cross.

During the German occupation, from 1941 and together with her family, she lived in the local ghetto (at I Aleja 6). In 1942, she was locked inside the “Small Ghetto”. She was murdered on 20th March 1943, together with her husband, → Mojżesz Halleman, and their six-year-old son. They died in the mass execution of Jewish intelligentsia at the Jewish cemetery in Częstochowa, where she rests in mass grave No. 28–31 III.

Gliński, *Słownik lekarzy i farmaceutów*, vol. I, p. 134. – Kuśnierczyk, *Personel sanitarny*, p. 48. – “Częstochower Cajtung” 1931, No. 27, p. 6, 1932, no. 35, p. 1. – *PCK. Sprawozdanie 1933*, pp. 16, 17, 72; *Rocznik lekarski 1936*, col. 150; – APCz, Mag Cz 5503, 5607. – Materials (extracts from civil registers) from the ODCC collections.

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