

LEJZEROWICZ (LAZAROWICZ) Leopold (1895–?), doctor. He was born on 14th February 1895 in Częstochowa, the son of Dawid and Cywia Cecylia née Górńska (his mother was the sister of → Icchak Górski), brother of dentist → Henryk Herszlik Lejzerowicz, Dorota Tondowska and Stefania Kaliska.

In 1914, he graduated from the Russian State Gimnazjum in Częstochowa. He later studied medicine in Warsaw. In 1922, he gained a degree in medical science. As a student, he was a board member of the Jewish Academic Circle in Częstochowa. From 1922 to 1939, in Warsaw, he ran a free internal medicine practice (at ul. Graniczna 11). He also worked in a Warsaw hospital.

He was a board member of Society for the Protection of the Health of the Jewish Population TOZ and vice-chairman of its Warsaw branch. For a period, he was secretary of the Jewish Medical Society in Warsaw. In 1940, as a fugitive, he was in Wilno. He came to America in 1941.

Following the recognition of his degree, he opened an internal medicine surgery in Manhattan. He was associated with the New York Post-Graduate School and Hospital and Metropolitan Hospital. He was also socially active, including as a medical advisor to the Polish Embassy Aid Committee and as secretary of the Polish Medical Alliance.

Czenstochower Yidn, p. LV. – *Rocznik lekarski 1933/34*, col. 883; *Urzędowy spis lekarzy 1939*, p. 126 (doctors).

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