

SCHAFFER née SCHEIDLINGER Reisel (1894-1942), doctor. She was born on 24th February 1894 in Kalwaria Zebrzydowska.

She matriculated in Tarnów on 24th June 1913. She graduated in medicine at the University of Vienna, obtaining her medical diploma on 27th October 1919. She specialised in skin and venereal diseases. At first, she practised privately in Częstochowa and, from April 1925, as a doctor at the County Health Fund. From circa 1922, as a lecturer, she taught natural sciences at the Boys and Girls Gimnazjums of the Society of Jewish Secondary Schools, and hygiene in vocational courses.

At the start of the 1930s, she lived at ul. Kilińskiego 9. In 1939, at the beginning of the German occupation, she lived at al. Wolności 19. In 1941, she was forced to move into the Częstochowa ghetto. During the ghetto liquidation (September-October 1942), she, together with her two children, was sent to the Treblinka death camp.

Her husband was Gerszon Schaffer (1893-), a Doctor of Philosophy, history and geography teacher at the Society of Jewish Secondary Schools Gimnazjum in Częstochowa.

Gliński, *Słownik lekarzy i farmaceutów*, t. III, s. 346–347; Wyględowski, *Almanach lekarzy*, s. 302; – *Urzędowy spis lekarzy 1939*, s. 220; *Rocznik lekarski 1933/34*, szpalta 103; *Spis nauczycieli 1925*, s. 292, 294 (also re: husband); *Verzeichnis*, s. 82. – APCz, Wydz. Powiatowy I/422, s. 8, 9, IV/803, s. 33 (a list of doctors in the Częstochowa County in 1932) – Materials in the ODDC collections.

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