

GEDENKSTÄTTE FÜR OPFER DER NS-"EUTHANASIE" BERNBURG

## Life story of Else Röhr

- 02.08.1907 born in Magdeburg
- She fell in love with a Jewish man. They got engaged and planned to get married. After the seizure to power of the national socialists her fiancé decided to leave Germany. He tried to persuade Else to go together with him. But Else did not want to leave her family and stayed in Magdeburg. Else suffered greatly from the separation and became depressed. Her condition worsened over time.
- 18.02.1936 Admission to the hospital Magdeburg-Sudenburg on her own request.

→ Diagnoses: "Childhood Schizophrenia"

- **27.02.1936** Transfer to the state sanatorium in Neuhaldensleben
- 28.10.1936 Decision of the genetic health court Magdeburg
  → Else is sterilized.
- November 1940 Transfer to the state sanatorium in Uchtspringe
- 02.04.1941 Transfer to an "unknown institution "
- 19.04.1941 Death by "cerebral edema" in the "sanatorium and nursing home Bernburg"

→ Date and course of death are falsified