

Adoption Groups

Connect with other adoptive families to share experiences and ask questions



[Older Child Adoption](#)

For parents of older children adopted domestically or internationally.

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[Transracial Families](#)

For transracial and/or multicultural families to discuss this unique aspect of adoption—domestic or international.

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[U.S. Adoptive Families](#)

For parents of children—of all ages—born domestically.

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[Waiting to Adopt](#)

For anyone navigating the adoption process—[homestudies](#), dossiers, profiles, referrals—and [waiting](#), waiting, waiting.

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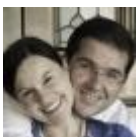


[Older Parents](#)

For older parents of children adopted domestically or internationally.

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[New to Adoption](#)

For anyone considering domestic or international adoption—risks, rewards, [routes](#), timelines, and [costs](#).

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[U.S. Foster Adoptive Families](#)

For parents of children [adopted from U.S. foster care](#).

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[Open Adoption Families](#)

For anyone participating in [open adoptions](#).

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[U.S. Foster Adoption Waiting](#)

For parents in the process of [adopting through the U.S. foster-care system](#).

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[Single Parents](#)

For single parents of children adopted domestically or internationally.

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[Christian Adoptive Families](#)

For Christian adoptive families or Christian families considering adoption.

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[California Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in California.

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[Texas Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Texas.

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[Ohio Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Ohio.

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[Florida Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in the Sunshine State.

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[Adoption as a First Choice](#)



For parents who have chosen or are choosing adoption as their first parenting route—instead of or in addition to having biological children.

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[Pennsylvania Adoptive Families](#)



For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Pennsylvania.

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[You Knew You Could Adopt When...](#)



A group for sharing stories about the moment you first realized you could adopt.

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[Adoption Agencies \(Reviews\)](#)



For people to share the names and experiences of adoption agencies they have used or worked with. Adoption agencies may also join the conversation.

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[Large Adoptive Families](#)



For large families grown by adoption.

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[LGBT Parents](#)



For lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender parents of children adopted domestically or internationally.

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[New Jersey Adoptive Families](#)



For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in New Jersey.

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Special-Needs Adoption

For families who have adopted or are adopting a special needs child.

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Illinois Adoptive Families

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Illinois.

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Virginia Adoptive Families

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Virginia.

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Adoption Bloggers and Writers



For anyone who blogs or writes about their journey toward adoption or adoptive parenting. *Be sure to follow AFC's own [adoption bloggers](#).*

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Parents of Teens and Young Adults

For parents of older children—adopted at any age.

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Massachusetts Adoptive Families

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Massachusetts.

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New York Adoptive Families

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[Adoptees](#)

For adopted children, teens, and adults.

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[Georgia Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Georgia.

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[U.S. Foster Families](#)

For parents [fostering](#) children of all ages.

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[Wisconsin Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Wisconsin.

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[Military Adoptive Families](#)

For military families in the adoption process and parenting adopted children—at home or abroad.

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[North Carolina Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in North Carolina.

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[Drug Exposure and Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome](#)

For parents who have adopted—or are considering adopting—a child that was born drug exposed and/or who is being treated for Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome.

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[Missouri Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Missouri.

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[Parenting Adopted Children With Challenging Behavior](#)

For adoptive parents of children with challenging behavior.

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[Minnesota Adoptive Families](#)

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[Indiana Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Indiana.

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[Maryland Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Maryland.

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[Washington Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Washington.

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[Canada Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Canada.

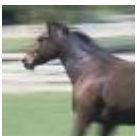
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[Private Adoption](#)

For parents of children adopted privately, or parents considering private adoption.

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[Kentucky Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Kentucky.

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[Dealing With a Loss in Adoption](#)

[Failed adoption?](#) [Contested adoption?](#) [Disrupted adoption?](#) A group where hopeful parents can ask questions, gain insight, and start to heal during this difficult time.

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[Kinship Adoption](#)

For families dealing specifically with [kinship adoption](#)—whether due to the incapacity of or the death of the birth parents.

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[Colorado Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Colorado.

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[Tennessee Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Tennessee.

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[Alabama Adoptive Families](#)

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[Iowa Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Iowa.

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[South Carolina Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in South Carolina.

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[Blended Families](#)

For families containing both adoptive and birth children.

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[Adoptive Dads](#)

For adoptive fathers to discuss adoption and parenting issues.

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[Kansas Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Kansas.

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[Oregon Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Oregon.

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[Connecticut Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Connecticut.

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[Jewish Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—of Jewish faith or heritage.

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[Utah Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Utah.

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[Matched But Waiting](#)

For adoptive parents who have been matched but are still [waiting](#).

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[Maine Adoptive Families](#)

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[Arizona Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Arizona.

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[Parents of Tweens](#)

For parents of tween children—kids between 8 and 12 years old.

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[Oklahoma Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Oklahoma.

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[Taiwan Adoptive Families](#)

For parents of children [adopted from Taiwan](#), and families pursuing adoptions from Taiwan.

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[New Hampshire Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in New Hampshire.

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[Nebraska Adoptive Families](#)

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[Mississippi Adoptive Families](#)

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[Louisiana Adoptive Families](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Louisiana.

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[**New Mexico Adoptive Families**](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in New Mexico.

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[**Mexico Adoptive Families**](#)

For parents of children adopted from Mexico, and families pursuing Mexican adoptions.

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[**Nevada Adoptive Families**](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Nevada.

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[**Adoption News Group**](#)

For anyone interested in discussing current adoption stories and events in the media.

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[**North Dakota Adoptive Families**](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in North Dakota.

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[**Hawaii and Pacific Island Adoptive Families**](#)

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Hawaii and the Pacific Rim.

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[**Americans Living Abroad With Adopted Children**](#)

For American adoptive families living overseas.

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Parents of Toddlers

For parents of toddlers—children 1 to 3 years old.

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Parents of Infants and Babies

For parents of infants and babies—up to 1 year old.

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Parents of Young Children

For parents of children—ages 4 to 7 years old.

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Affording Adoption

For those who are budgeting for an adoption. Ask questions and share advice!

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Reluctant Family

For those whose partners, parents, or other loved ones are hesitant about building a family through adoption.

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Michigan Adoptive Families

For adoptive families—and hopeful parents—living in Michigan.

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