

# 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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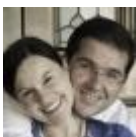


## [Older Parents](#)

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.

*44 Members*

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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.

*41 Members*

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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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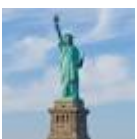


### **Massachusetts Adoptive Families**

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

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### **New York Adoptive Families**

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

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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](#)

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

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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.

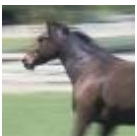
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### [Private Adoption](#)

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](#)

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

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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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*Members*

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### [Jewish Adoptive Families](#)

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

*14 Members*

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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](#)

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

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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.

*9 Members*

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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](#)

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

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### [Mississippi Adoptive Families](#)

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

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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.

*5 Members*

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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.**

*47 Members*

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