



International Adoption Net

STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING AND AGREEMENT Home Study Only – International Fee Agreement Colorado Residents

SERVICES IN UNITED STATES	DUE	AMOUNT
Application Fee *Non-Refundable	Due with Approval of <u>Preliminary Application</u>	\$250
Home Study Fee Includes: 3 face to face Home Visits, Individual Interviews, Home Inspection, Counseling and writing the Home Study Reports per IAN's protocol, the State of Colorado, Hague, and United States Citizenship, and Immigration Services (USCIS) and Foreign Countries Regulations. *Additional visit Fee, if needed: \$100 * Home Study Update Fee: \$850 - Required if any "life changes" occur, to extend USCIS approval and any other event that may require an updated home study)	Due with the Submission of <u>Policy Documents</u>	\$1,700
Agency Cooperation and Coordination Fee Includes: Administrative costs, Communication with Adoptive Families, Coordination with Potential Placement Agency toward adoption.	Due with <u>Home Study Approval</u>	\$1,500
Adoptive Parent Training Fee Includes: IAN web-based training, Child Specific Training, and any additional training required. *This training fee is separate from the Required HAGUE and Colorado Training.	Due with <u>Home Study Approval</u>	\$175
State of Colorado Approval Fee All Home Studies are required to be reviewed and approved by the State of Colorado. *IAN pays this directly to the State of Colorado *State of Colorado Home Study Update Approval Fee: \$50	Due with <u>Home Study Approval</u>	\$250
Post-Adoption Visits and Reports Includes: Post-adoption home visits and reports Required: Would be determined by the Child's Country of Origin and Court <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A minimum of 3 Post Adoption Visits for the State of Colorado (2 weeks, 3 months, 6 months) These are written progress reports about the development of the adopted child, and the parent-child relationship. *Additional home visits with a social worker, if required by Court - \$300 per report *Additional fee per child report/visit of \$150, if adoption of more than one child.	Due with Confirmation of <u>Child Referral Acceptance</u>	\$900



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Validation of Adoption Must be completed within six months after arrival in USA. If you decide to complete this on your own or with a lawyer, then this fee will be assessed as a liability fee and will be refundable with submission of the US court order	Due with <u>Child Referral Acceptance</u>	\$400
Total		\$5,175

Third Party Fees NOT INCLUDED in IAN's International Home Study Fee:

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FedEx Shipping Account Each Family is responsible for obtaining a FedEx Shipping Account for mailing documents.	Account Number Due with the Submission of Policy Documents	Varies per Mailing
Home Study Training – Must be completed in order for Approval *16 Hours of face-to-face training required by State of Colorado *10 hours of required Hague Training per 22 CFR 96.48 Total 26 hours of Training to be completed during the Home Study Process.	Due during Home Study Process. Must be completed before Home Study Approval.	Varies by Provider
Background Check Fees The State of Colorado Requires each Adult (18+) living in the household to have CBI, FBI and Colorado Child Abuse Clearances (TRAILS). *Child Abuse Clearances also need to be complete from every state of residency since the age 18.	Due during Home Study Process. Must be completed before Home Study Approval.	Paid directly to Provider: CBI/FBI: \$49.50/Person TRAILS: \$35 Other States: Varies *Fees Subject to Change
Required Psychological Evaluation All adults (18+) in the household, if required by your Placement Agency.	Due during Home Study Process. Must be completed before Home Study Approval.	Costs vary and is paid directly to the psychologist
I-800A/I600A Filing Fee	Pay to USCIS	\$775 *Fees Subject to Change



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Biometric Fingerprint Fee	Pay to USCIS	\$85/Person *Fees Subject to Change
I-800A/I600A Supplement 3 Fee Required if there are any changes made to your I800A	Pay to USCIS	\$385 *Fees Subject to Change
Psych Evaluation – If Required by your Placement Agency All adults (18+) in the household, if required by your Placement Agency. Would be completed before the Home Study could be approved, if applicable. Costs vary and is paid directly to the psychologist	Pay Directly to Psych Evaluator	\$400 - \$1,500/Person
Apostille Fee – If Applicable Colorado Secretary of State verification of Notary. Required on specific documents for Dossier.	Pay to the Secretary of State	\$5/Notary \$15/Notary for Expedited Services *Fees Subject to Change
Printing Fee – If Applicable IAN prints out copies of your Dossier	If Requested	\$25 per one complete dossier

ALL APPLICABLE FEES MUST BE PAID AT THE TIMES NOTED ABOVE. FAILURE TO DO SO MAY DELAY YOUR ADOPTION. ALL FEES AND EXPENSES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

PAYMENT OF FEES

Fees are to be paid directly to IAN. IAN accepts checks and major credit cards. Please call our offices upon receipt of an invoice to make a payment by credit card. Credit card payments other than the pre-application fee are subject to a 3% transaction fee. If you wish to mail a check, please make the check payable to "International Adoption Net" and send it to 5600 Greenwood Plaza Blvd, Suite 250, Greenwood Village, Colorado 80111.

OTHER FEES AND EXPENSES

The adoptive family will be responsible for all fees and expenses associated with the adoption. The above fee schedule represents all the professional fees to be paid to IAN and estimates of other fees the adoptive family will face throughout their adoptive process. Miscellaneous costs may include, but are not limited to; fees for obtaining birth, marriage, divorce, or other certificates, physical exams for parent(s) and child(ren), notarization, authentication and legalization fees, long distance phone calls, FedEx, Express Mail and other courier fees, Visa and Passport fees, USCIS fees, Colorado Department of Human Service fees, air fare, accommodations in another country, court fees in the U.S., fees for child's birth certificate and naturalization, child's medical appointments, validation or re-adoption fees, lawyer fees if needed for a validation, re-adoption or finalization and other expenses.



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For required home visits for the Home Study, updates, and post-placement visits, all clients residing outside the Denver Metro area will be charged for mileage over 60 miles round trip, and for drive time over a one hour round trip. This fee will be \$20 an hour for additional drive time and 55 cents a mile above the 60 miles.

FEES

I/We, the undersigned Applicant(s), have read the attached fee schedule and agree to pay the stated professional fees to International Adoption Net (IAN) for the above services when due. I/We understand that IAN will make every effort to help me/us with an adoptive placement if, in their professional opinion, it is in the best interest of a child(ren) to do so. I/we understand that the fees due under this contract are solely to pay for the professional adoption services provided by IAN and cannot be construed as a guarantee of approval for placement or placement of a child or children for the purposes of adoption.

I/We understand that I/we can terminate my/our adoption process with IAN at any time before the placement of a child by submitting a written statement to that effect. I/We understand that the Application and IAAME fees are non-refundable. Home Study fees are non-refundable once a Home Study has begun. Other fees will be prorated to represent services actually performed. Fees paid to any other sources in the pursuit of adoption, i.e., doctor, USCIS, another agency, airline, etc., will be my/our responsibility even if our adoptive placement plans are terminated. No other fees will be waived, reduced, or refunded.

I/We agree that disagreements between IAN and myself/ourselves will be settled as outlined in the IAN Dispute Resolution Policy, using conference, mediation, and arbitration. I/we agree that all dispute proceedings will be governed by the laws of the State of Colorado, and will be heard in the State of Colorado, and in the County of Adams, Arapahoe, Jefferson, or Denver. I/We understand that the responsibility for cost of said proceedings, if any, will be determined as part of the proceedings.

I/We understand that there are expenses, as outlined on the fee schedule, to be incurred during the adoption process for which I/we are responsible in addition to the fees paid to IAN for adoption services. I/We understand that these other expenses are not the responsibility of IAN under any circumstances. Due to circumstances beyond IAN's control, all fees are subject to change without notice.

CARE OF CHILD FEE

There is no fee for the care of the child or children pending placement.

POST-ADOPTION SERVICES AND VALIDATION

I/We agree to participate in the post-/placement adoption services and will have reports completed by a licensed social worker at a minimum of 2 weeks, 3 months and 6 months after the child(ren) arrive home. I/We agree to abide by the Country of Origin/Court Requirements for reports. I/We also agree to provide photographs as required by my/our child(ren)'s country of origin. I/We understand that IAN requires validation of all foreign adoptions within six months of the child(ren) arriving home. I/We agree to pay the validation fee with the acceptance of a child referral. I/We also agree to provide IAN with a copy set of the foreign adoption documents within two weeks of arrival home. The original foreign adoption documents are required for the court to process the validation. The originals will be returned you when the validation process is completed. I/We have been informed of this requirement,



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agree to validate the adoption, and provide a copy of the Foreign Decree of Adoption notarized by the court to IAN.

I/We have been advised that, as adoption is a legal matter, I/we may wish to obtain an attorney to represent me/us or to consult with me/us at any time in the adoption process. I/We understand that IAN is willing to coordinate services with my/our attorney should I/we retain one. I/We understand that retaining an attorney will be at my/our expense. If I/we choose not to obtain the services of an attorney, I/we agree that I/we have been given ample opportunity to do so and have carefully considered that decision and have voluntarily decided not to do so.

I/We have thoroughly read and understand the IAN policy documents and now hereby apply to adopt a child through IAN's International program with a complete understanding of agency policies, fees, and fee schedule. I/We hereby state my/our commitment to comply with those policies, including paying the applicable fees according to the agency fee schedule.

Applicant's Signature / Date

Applicant's Spouse's Signature / Date

Applicant's Printed Name

Applicant's Spouse's Printed Name

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