

Adoption Questionnaire

How did you come to the decision that adoption should be your next step toward building your family? How long have you considered adoption?

What were your attitudes toward the concept of adoption before you considered it as a possibility for building your family?

How have your attitudes toward the concept of adoption changed?

What differences are you aware of in parenting an adopted child, and how will you address these issues?

Describe when and how you will discuss your child's adoption with your child(ren):

Are you aware of the potential or the child to have feelings of loss regarding separation from birth parents, regardless of the child's circumstance or age? Yes No
Explain:

Adoption is a life-long developmental process and commitment. Describe your feelings regarding this:

What is the importance of educating yourselves (and your children) on adoption issues, and how do you plan to continue education on these issues after placement?

Are you acquainted with other adoptive families? Yes No
Explain: