INTERSTATE ADOPTION PROGRAM
DESCRIPTION AND FEE STRUCTURE
Effective September 1, 2017

Holt-Sunny Ridge (HSR) provides services to adoptive parents who desire to adopt a child out-of-state through the Interstate Compact program (ICPC).

### Stage I - Application, Initial Home Study, or Subsequent Home Study

**Services**

- Orientation
- Interest Form Interview
- Review of Application
- Home Study*
- Ensure State Requirements Are Met

**Fees - Due in Application, Initial Home Study, or Subsequent Home Study Stage**

**Application fee** (non-refundable) .......................................................................................................................... $350
  
  *Payment due to Holt-Sunny Ridge with application. Applicable to both first and subsequent adoptions.*

**Initial home study fee** ................................................................................................................................. $2,900
  
  *Payment due to Holt-Sunny Ridge prior to first session of home study*

**Home study update fee** ............................................................................................................................... $500
  
  *Payment due to Holt-Sunny Ridge prior to first session of home study update*

*HSR, out-of-state placing agencies and the interstate compact requires a yearly home study update for all interstate families. A home study update is also required if significant events occur, such as a move and/or a change in household composition.*

**For all subsequent adoptions:**

**Subsequent home study fee** ......................................................................................................................... $2,900
  
  *(If you completed a home study in the last three years, the home study fee is reduced by 30%)*
  
  *Payment due to Holt-Sunny Ridge prior to first session of home study*

**Fees Not Included In This Stage**

Adoption preparation training required for all adoptive parents ....................................................... $400 & Up

*(Various training options available and payment made to training vendors)*
Stage II – Interstate Support And Coordination

**Services**
- Adoption Consultant Referral Information**
- 24/7 Support and Expedited Services throughout the interstate process
- Review of Birth Parent Referrals
- Interstate Compact Coordination

**Adoption consultant connects the adoptive parent/s with different out-of-state agencies, which provide services to birth parent/s planning to place their child for adoption. The adoption consultant does not provide services to birth parent/s and does not advertise in Illinois.**

**Fees**
Interstate Support and Coordination Fee .......................................................... $1,500

Applicable to both first and subsequent adoptions. If matched with birthmother prior to applying to HSR, a 50% reduction will be applied. Payment due to Holt-Sunny Ridge when home study is finalized.

Stage III – Post Placement

**Services**
- Up to three post placement visits
- Post-placement reports completed and sent to the placing agency/ICPC in the state where child was born
- Court report and legal paperwork
- Identify resources for adoptive family

**Fees Due Prior To First Post Placement Visit**
Three Post Placement Visits .......................................................................................... $1,200

Due when child is placed with family. One-half post placement fee due for each additional child placed at the same time. (If additional visits are required, the adoptive parent/s will be billed at $400 per visit.)

**Fees Not Included In This Stage**
- Adoption attorney fees Varies
- Court report and coordination of finalization (if applicable) $250

**FEES NOT INCLUDED IN ANY STAGE OF THE INTERSTATE DOMESTIC PROGRAM**
- Travel surcharge for each home visit 50¢ per mile
- Fingerprinting Fees (each adult, age 18 & over in the home) Current Rate Applies
- Express Mailing Fees Varies
- File retrieval Current Rate Applies

Applicant A Date

Applicant B Date

Agency Representative Initials

See service agreement for refund conditions.

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