### International Adoption Chart

In addition to the below country programs, we also help families adopt relative children from Honduras. Contact us at welcome@chlss.org or 651.646.7771.

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<th>Country</th>
<th>Children</th>
<th>Prospective Adoptive Parent(s)</th>
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<td>Age (at referral) 3 months - 15 years</td>
<td>Age (at application to CHLSS unless otherwise noted) Minimum age is 30</td>
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<td>Sibling groups Yes</td>
<td>Age difference between parent(s) and child For married couples, no more than a 50-year age difference between younger parent and child; for single women, no more than a 50-year between parent and child.</td>
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<td>Number of children placed in FY20 13</td>
<td>Age variation by case: Married couples: 25-55; Single: 25-54. Age of child to be adopted determined by parents’ ages at child referral. See chlss.org/colombia for details. 25-51</td>
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<td>Age (application to CHLSS unless otherwise noted) Minimum age is 30</td>
<td>Parents must be at least 15 years and no more than 45 years older than the child they wish to adopt. Youngest parent must be at least 14 years but no more than 45 years older than the child to be adopted. No less than 25-year age difference between parent and child. No more than 50-year age difference between younger parent and child.</td>
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<td>Number of family members married couples: 2-5; Single: 2-4. Age of child to be adopted determined by single parent’s age or married couple’s combined ages at time of CARA registration. See chlss/india for details. General guideline: 25-44 at home study approval; there is an age exception, allowing applicants to be 25-49 at home study approval if: 1) applicants have previously adopted from Korea; or 2) at least one parent is of Korean heritage. No restrictions.</td>
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<td>Financial requirements Minimum income $30,000 + $10,000 per child living in home. Couples: Minimum net worth of $100,000. Single: Minimum net worth of $60,000. No additional requirements. Must be able to demonstrate financial security and stability. Minimum income of $35,000 + $10,000 per child in home.</td>
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<td>Estimated wait for referral 6-18 months from dossier submission to Korea; or 2) at least one parent is of Korean heritage. No more than 4 children currently in home. No serious physical or mental health issues; please inquire. No serious physical or mental health issues, including weight restrictions. Medical history considered case-by-case; please inquire. No serious physical or mental health issues, including weight restrictions. Medical history considered case-by-case; please inquire.</td>
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<td>Travel requirements; number of trips: 1 trip; 1 trip 1 trip; 1 trip (2 trips in select regions) 2 trips 2 trips</td>
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<td>Estimated wait for (after referral acceptance) 4-6 months from referral 5-9 weeks 7-11 months after referral acceptance dossier is sent to India. First trip is 8-11 months after completion of referral acceptance dossier. Second trip is 2-3 months after the first.</td>
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<td>Country program fee $6,900-$7,250 $12,000-$14,000 $14,000 $10,500 $26,500 $24,800 if adopting a Waiting Child</td>
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**CHILDREN**

- **China**
- **Colombia**
- **Ecuador**
- **India**
- **South Korea**

**Siblings**

- **China**: Rare
- **Colombia**: Yes
- **Ecuador**: Possible
- **India**: Rare
- **South Korea**: No

**Number of children placed in FY20**

- **China**: 13
- **Colombia**: 5
- **Ecuador**: 21
- **India**: 10
- **South Korea**: Not specified

**Age (at application to CHLSS unless otherwise noted)**

- **Minimum age is 30**
- **25-55**: Age of child to be adopted is determined by parents’ ages at child referral. See chlss.org/colombia for details.
- **25-51**: Married couples: 25-55; Single: 25-54. Age of child to be adopted determined by single parent’s age or married couple’s combined ages at time of CARA registration. See chlss/india for details.

**Age difference between parent(s) and child**

- **Married couples, no more than a 50-year age difference between younger parent and child; for single women, no more than a 50-year between parent and child.**
- **Parents must be at least 15 years and no more than 45 years older than the child they wish to adopt.**
- **Youngest parent must be at least 14 years but no more than 45 years older than the child to be adopted.**
- **No less than 25-year age difference between parent and child.**
- **No more than 50-year age difference between younger parent and child.**

**LGBTQ individuals and couples**

- **No**
- **Yes**
- **No**
- **No**
- **No**

**Single**

- **Yes - single women**
- **Yes - single women are eligible to adopt older children or children with identified needs; single men can adopt boys only.**
- **Yes - single women**
- **Yes - single women can adopt boys or girls; single men can adopt boys only.**
- **No**

**Marriage: Minimum length**

- **Married a minimum of 2 years with no divorce history or 1 divorce.**
- **Married couples with 2 or more divorces must be married 5 years.**
- **Two years. If cohabitating but not married, please inquire.**
- **3 years**
- **2 years**
- **3 years**

**Marriage: Maximum divorces**

- **No more than 2 divorces on either side**
- **Not specified**
- **Not specified**
- **Not specified**
- **2 per couple**

**Choosing gender**

- **Allowed**
- **Not allowed**
- **Allowed**
- **Allowed**
- **Not allowed**

**Current family size**

- **No more than 5 children (minors) residing in home**
- **No restriction**
- **No restriction**
- **No more than 3 children currently in the home**
- **No more than 4 children currently in home**

**Health requirements**

- **Body mass index considered; no serious health issues; please inquire and see chlss.org/china.**
- **No serious physical or mental health issues; please inquire about specific situations.**
- **No serious health issues; please inquire or submit Application Part 1 about specific situations.**
- **No serious, chronic, or life-threatening health issues; must be physically, mentally and emotionally stable; please inquire.**
- **No serious physical or mental health issues, including weight restrictions. Medical history considered case-by-case; please inquire.**

**Financial requirements**

- **Minimum income $30,000 + $10,000 per child living in home. Couples: Minimum net worth of $100,000.**
- **No additional requirements.**
- **Must be able to demonstrate financial security and stability.**
- **Minimum income of $35,000 + $10,000 per child in home.**

**Background requirements**

- **Restrictions may apply; please inquire.**
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- **No criminal history allowed.**
- **Medical and criminal history considered case-by-case.**
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**Other requirements**

- **High school diploma or equivalent. Home study must be completed by a Hague- or COA-accredited, nonprofit agency.**
- **None**
- **Please inquire regarding relative and pre-identified (designated) adoption cases**
- **If NRI or OCI card holders, please inquire.**
- **High school and some post-secondary education required. Home study must be completed by a Hague-accredited agency.**

**Estimated wait for referral**

- **Up to 24 months from sending dossier to China.**
- **6-18 months from dossier approval**
- **3-12 months after USCIS I-800A approval and stability.**
- **1-4 months from dossier submission to Korea; or 2) at least one parent is of Korean heritage.**
- **1-4 months from dossier submission to Korea.**
- **Dependent on openness to identified needs.**

**Estimated wait for travel (after referral acceptance)**

- **4-6 months from referral acceptance**
- **5-9 weeks**
- **1-4 months from dossier approval and approval from CARA.**
- **1-4 months from dossier submission to Korea.**
- **Dependent on openness to identified needs.**
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**Travel requirements; number of trips**

- **1 trip**
- **1 trip**
- **1 trip**
- **1 trip (2 trips in select regions)**
- **2 trips**

**Travel requirements; length of trips**

- **2 weeks on average**
- **Approximately 3-5 weeks**
- **Minimum 8-10 weeks**
- **2-3 weeks (minimum stay 10 days in country); varies by state in which child resides and child’s age.**
- **Each trip is approximately 5-6 days in length.**

**Travel requirements: who travels**

- **At least one parent must travel.**
- **If married, both parents must travel; one parent must remain in country for entire trip.**
- **If married, both parents must travel; one parent can return home after about 4 weeks.**
- **One parent must travel in most states; a few states require both parents travel.**
- **Both parents must travel for both trips.**

**Country program fee**

- **China**: $6,900-$7,250
- **Colombia**: $12,000-$14,000
- **Ecuador**: $14,000
- **India**: $10,500
- **South Korea**: $26,500

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<th>ST. VINCENT &amp; THE GRENADINES</th>
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<td>Infant - 15 years</td>
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<td>Possible</td>
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<td>Minimum age is 25, families who are over 50 years of age who will be assessed case-by-case.</td>
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<td>Choosing gender</td>
<td>Not allowed, unless relative or identified child.</td>
<td>Yes, may impact expected wait time.</td>
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<td>Families with 4 or more children at home will be considered on a case-by-case basis.</td>
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<td>Families must be open minimally to a child 0-4 years of age at time of referral. Eligibility requirements may be flexible for relative/identified cases.</td>
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<td>Estimated wait for referral</td>
<td>Families awaiting a match with a child who is a Ward of State can anticipate a 3-7 year wait from dossier submission. Families open to moderate or lifelong needs can expect shorter wait times.</td>
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<td>Varies</td>
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<td>2 trips</td>
<td>2 Trips for Traditional Program Families; Usually 1 Trip for Procedural Consult Families who have already met the children they are adopting.</td>
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<td>Travel requirements: length of trips</td>
<td>Varies</td>
<td>Traditional Program Families: Trip 1 is 3-4 days; Trip 2 is 1.5 weeks. Procedural Consult Families: Usually just one trip of 1.5 weeks.</td>
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<td>Both parents must be prepared to travel for trip one, exceptions may be made. One or both parents may travel for trip two.</td>
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