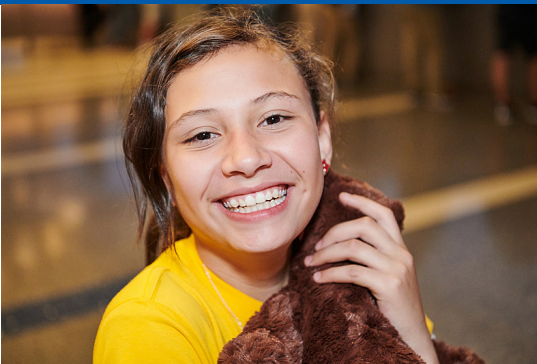


# COLOMBIA SUMMER HOSTING PROGRAM



## Hosting Program Details

Children's Home partners with Kidsave to help older children from Colombia experience the joys of summer and to help them find permanent, loving adoptive families through their Summer Miracles<sup>®</sup> Program. Children stay with host families for 4-5 weeks during the summer in designated communities throughout the United States. Generally, the children range in age from 10 to 14. Some may have siblings. While the children stay here, they learn about the U.S. culture, experience life in an American family, and build lasting relationships with caring adults. Host families work together with the local Kidsave community to help the children meet potential adoptive families. Some families move forward to adopt the children they host.

Once you have completed your host family application process through Kidsave, Children's Home can help you with the required hosting assessment and agency training. Should your family wish to move forward to adopt the child(ren) you hosted, we can also assist you through the adoption process.

## Children's Home Hosting Program Fees

AGENCY FEES	PAYMENT TERMS	FULL SERVICE MN/WI	FULL SERVICE MD/VA
CHILDREN'S HOME HOSTING APPLICATION	Due with completed application	\$500	\$500
HOSTING ASSESSMENT (PSYCHOSOCIAL REPORT)	Due prior to start of assessment; fees for required state background clearances billed separately	\$500	\$500
EDUCATION	Due prior to start of assessment	per person \$250	per person \$250 per couple \$325
<b>TOTAL AGENCY FEES</b>	(based on education fees for two people)	<b>\$1,500</b>	<b>\$1,325</b>

*Additional fees paid directly to Kidsave not listed; visit [kidsave.org/programs/orphan-hosting](http://kidsave.org/programs/orphan-hosting) for their fees. Fees for families who proceed to adopt children they have hosted through Kidsave are listed on the back.*

## Adoption Program Details

If you host a child and choose to proceed with an adoption, you will need to meet eligibility requirements for Colombian adoption. Find additional requirements at [chlss.org/colombia](http://chlss.org/colombia).

- Parents must be age 25-55 at time of child referral. They must be at least 15 years and no more than 45 years older than the child they will adopt.
- Gay and lesbian individuals and couples are welcome to apply.
- Parents cannot have serious physical or mental health concerns.
- If married, parents must be married at least two years (pre-marital cohabitation is recognized).
- Singles are eligible to adopt older children or children with identified needs; single men matched with boys only.
- Travel occurs 5-9 weeks after official referral acceptance.
- One trip to Colombia for an average of 3-5 weeks is required. One parent may return to the U.S. after approximately two weeks.

# Fee Schedule: Colombia Adoption Program for Host Families

effective 10/1/2019

For families proceeding to adopt a child they hosted through the Kidsave Summer Miracles® Program

AGENCY FEES	PAYMENT TERMS	FULL SERVICE MN/WI	FULL SERVICE MD/VA	COOPERATING AGENCY
<b>APPLICATION</b>	Due with completed application	n/a*	n/a*	\$350
<b>MONITORING &amp; OVERSIGHT</b> Required by the U.S. Accrediting Entity, per child	Due with completed application; if adopting siblings, additional fees (per child) due upon acceptance of child referral	\$500	\$500	\$500
<b>HOME STUDY ASSESSMENT</b> Pre-Adoption Education & Hague Training	Required as part of Kidsave hosting preparation; additional child-specific training may be required.	n/a*	n/a*	_____
Home Study for Kidsave Participants	Due prior to start of home study	\$2,000+	\$1,500-3900+	_____
Home Study Review	Due upon submission of home study	n/a	n/a	\$500
Required Home Study Update (if applicable) (Required annually or more frequently if changing programs or major life events occur)	Due prior to start of each home study update	\$800	\$500	_____
<b>PROGRAM COORDINATION</b> Program development and support, country orientation, and services provided in the U.S.	<b>Part 1</b> - Due upon completion of home study <b>Part 2</b> - Due upon acceptance of child referral; plus \$2,000 Agency Sibling Fee (per family), if adopting siblings	\$3,950 \$3,000 ∇	\$2,600 \$2,400 ∇	\$3,950 \$3,000 ∇
<b>POST PLACEMENT SUPERVISION</b> Supervision of child placement, reports and finalization process in state of residence	Due upon acceptance of child referral (includes up to 3 visits/reports)	\$1,500	\$1,500 VA only: \$400 for VA court reports	\$500
<b>ADD'L POST PLACEMENT VISITS/REPORTS</b> Additional visits to complete reports when necessary to meet the requirements of Colombia	Due upon acceptance of child referral Covers supplemental visit/reports as required (\$350 per visit/report; MN/WI: 1 report, MD/VA: 2 reports)	\$350	\$700 Δ	_____
<b>POST PLACEMENT REPORT DEPOSIT</b> <b>Refundable deposit</b> to ensure compliance with the reporting of the child's birth country	Due upon acceptance of child referral; refundable upon completion of country's reporting requirements and submission of proof of U.S. citizenship and finalization in state of residence	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
<b>TOTAL AGENCY FEES FOR FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN'S HOME HOSTING ASSESSMENTS</b>		<b>\$12,300</b>	<b>\$10,200</b>	<b>\$_____</b>

\* This fee was already paid by families whose Kidsave Hosting Assessments were completed by Children's Home.

∇ Fees shown reflect a \$500 reduction for families whose Kidsave Hosting Assessments were completed by Children's Home.

Δ Program Coordination Fee includes one country program change within four years of signed Fee Agreement. All other program changes are subject to additional fees.

Δ Please contact us for additional fees applied to trips more than 120 miles in distance.

KIDSAVE COLOMBIA COUNTRY PROGRAM FEES	PAYMENT TERMS	FEE
These fees are determined by current country conditions and are subject to change. You will be billed for the fee that is current when services are provided. All country program fee increases in excess of \$1,000 will be communicated in writing. Country fees are non-refundable once submitted.	<b>Payment 1</b> - Due with submission of Letter of Intent	\$1,000
<b>Country Program Expenses in U.S.</b> - Includes personnel costs, administrative overhead, operational costs, training and education, communication and publications costs, and other costs related to providing adoption services in the U.S. (\$4,000)	<b>Payment 2</b> - Due upon dossier submission	\$6,000
<b>Foreign Program Expenses</b> - Includes personnel costs, administrative overhead, training, education, legal services, communications, and any other costs related to providing adoption services in the child's country. The services provided by ICBF are free of charge. (\$4,000)	<b>Payment 3</b> - Due upon acceptance of child referral	\$7,000
<b>Care of the Child</b> - Includes costs for food, clothing, shelter and medical care; foster care services, orphanage care; and any other services provided directly to the child(ren). (\$3,000)	Visit <a href="http://chlss.org/finance">chlss.org/finance</a> to discover resources to help make adoption affordable.	
<b>Translation and Documents</b> - Includes the costs for obtaining, translating, or copying records or documents required to complete the adoption, costs for the child's Convention court documents, adoption certificate and other documents related to the adoption. (\$3,000)		
<b>TOTAL COUNTRY FEES</b>		<b>\$14,000</b>

ESTIMATED THIRD PARTY FEES	ITEM	FEE	ITEM	FEE
Includes fees paid directly to third party providers at the time services are rendered. Fees are subject to change.	State Background Check	varies by state	Colombian Visitor's Visa	\$305/person
	USCIS Petition (I-800A)	\$775	Child's Colombian Passport	\$166
Travel expenses can vary greatly depending on current airfare rates, family size, length of stay, lodging preferences, and/or availability, and seasonality.	USCIS Biometrics	\$85/person	Interpreter Fee (outside of Bogotá)	\$400-900
	Psychological Evaluation	\$500-2,000	Colombian Attorney Fees	\$2,000-3,000
	Document Preparation Fee	\$400-800	Airfare (per person over age 2)	\$1,500
	Professional Review of Child Referral	\$400-800	Lodging	\$3,000-6,000
	U.S. Passport Application Fee	\$110/adult	In-country transportation	\$300-500
	Child's U.S. Visa and related fees	\$460	Re-adoption/Finalization	varies by state
	Child's U.S. Visa Medical Exam	\$70-\$350		

This is a good faith estimate of charges deemed reliable as of October 1, 2019. The payment of fees for services rendered does not guarantee the placement of a child. All fees, timelines and program requirements are subject to change. All fees are non-refundable. Agency fees will be honored at the rate that is current when the Fee Agreement is received by Children's Home Society of Minnesota (Children's Home). Children's Home may reduce, waive or refund fees when 1) deemed by Children's Home to be in the best interest of the child; 2) requested by clients due to hardship; 3) when paid for services were not completed.

CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS: Credit cards may be used for all adoption fees, but a processing fee of 2.75-3.5% will be charged based on the credit card used.