

Lutheran Family Services (LFS) of Colorado has been building families through adoption for over 60 years.

LFS offers the following adoption services:

- *Open Adoption*
- *International Adoption*
- *Designated Adoption*



Adoption Offices

Denver/Metro

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Denver, CO 80226
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800.579.9496

Northern Colorado

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970.266.1788

Southern Colorado

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Suite 21
Colorado Springs, CO 80903
719.227.7571
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Adoption Services

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FAMILY SERVICES**
of Colorado

Services that heal, strengthen, and provide hope



Open Infant Adoption Program

Professional counselors at LFS are committed to providing quality counseling and support from the moment you inquire about our services to finalization. LFS staff are dedicated to the spirit of Open Adoption and the endless possibilities it provides.

The following provides the foundation on which Open Adoption is based:

- Birth and adoptive parents are committed to the best interests of the child.
- Open Adoption creates significant, life-long relationships between birth families and adoptive families.
- Peace of mind comes with shared planning and decision making.
- Open Adoption is based on honesty, open communication and respect for all parties.

There can never be too much love for a child!

Designated Adoption Program

LFS provides designated adoption services for clients who come to us after meeting one another. We assist in facilitating their plan with counseling, preparation and support for all parties.

LFS is a licensed Child Placement Agency that facilitates both in-state and interstate adoptions.

International Adoption Program

LFS is a direct service agency, meaning that we provide services that meet local, State of Colorado, and International agency and country requirements.

LFS has cooperative agreements with many licensed and accredited International Adoption Agencies such as:

- Holt International Children's Services
- All God's Children International
- Wide Horizons For Children
- WACAP
- Children's Home Society and Family Services
- And many more! We will also work with the licensed International Adoption Agency of your choice.

***LFS is a member of
Lutheran Adoption Network.***

***We collaborate with Lutheran agencies
across the U.S. that provide International
Adoption Services.***

Services Provided

- Adoption Assessment (Home Study) according to the requirements of the applicable regulatory agencies. All LFS staff are trained in conducting your home study using the SAFE format.
- Adoption education as required by the State of Colorado.
- Counseling and support.
- Post-placement supervision and support to include distribution of reports to appropriate entities.
- Information and referral for post-adoption services.

For those adopting internationally, the following services are also provided:

- Liaison with International Adoption Agency.
- Assistance with United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS, formerly INS).
- Review of child referral information as needed.

