

PROGRAMS AT A GLANCE

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Program (Hague?)	Ages of Children	Parent Requirements	Parents Required To Travel	Required Length of Visit in Country	Time Between Dossier to Child Referral	Time Between Child Referral and Pickup
Brazil (Yes)	10-15 years old, sibling groups or children with significant special needs	Married couples or single women and men. PAP should be over 25 years old and both must be 16 years older than the child.	Both parents	One trip between 6-9 weeks.	9-24 months	4-6 months
Bulgaria (Yes)	18 months & up	Ages: 25- 55 years *50 years between PAP & child Married (at least 1 year), Singles can adopt	Both parents must travel for the 1 st trip. One Parent may travel for 2 nd (strongly recommend 2 adults travel)	Two trips 1 st trip: 7 days 2 nd trip: 10 – 12 days; 4-6 months in-between trips	Waiting Child or 3 – 60 months	4 – 6 months
Colombia (Yes)	6-17 years of age, various ranges in special needs (younger children available to Colombian heritage families)	Ages: at least 25 yrs (both parents) to 55 years. Older parents considered case by case. Married couples and singles can adopt.	Both, One parent may leave after court (approx.. 3 weeks)	One trip, 4-6 weeks	8-18 months, less if Waiting Child.	5-6 months

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Ecuador (Yes)	3-17 years of age, various special needs or sibling groups. Mostly older children are available	Applicants should be 25 – 55+ years old. Both applicants much be 14 years older than the child and not more than 45 years older than the child. Some exceptions may be allowed on a case by case basis. Single women and men are allowed to adopt.	Both parents required to travel.	One trip of 6-12 weeks	8-18 months, Can be less if Waiting Child	4-6 months
Georgia (Yes)	18 months and up, older children and sometimes sibling groups	Ages: at least 16 yrs. between parent and child and no more than 45 yrs. Open to married couples and single women.	Both Parents for first 1-2 weeks, 1 parent may leave after this time IF judge allows. (strongly recommend 2 adults travel)	One trip, about 3-4 weeks	6 - 24 Months	4 – 6 months
Ghana (Yes)	3-15 years old, sibling groups	Ages: between the ages of 25-50; couples where one parent is over 50 may adopt on a case-by-case basis; must be 21 years older than the child Couples must be married for at least 2 years single women may adopt ONLY if they are Ghanaian.	Both Parents; it is possible for one parent to return home after 2-3 weeks	3 trips: trip one – one month bonding period; trip two – court hearing (1 week); trip three – child’s visa appointment (1 week)	3-10 months	8-10 Months

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Honduras (Yes)	4 years and older	Married couples: Minimum age 25 to 51 Married at least 3 years Single women age 25 to 51	Both Parents	The first trip is for approximately 5-10 days to meet the child they will be adopting. The second is for approximately 3 to 4 weeks after the adoption is final and comes 6 to 12 months after the first trip. Adoptive parents will be completing and signing paperwork. Both parents are required for this trips but there may be some flexibility if one needs to leave sooner.	6-24 Months, depending on age /special need of child(ren)	8-14 Months
Hong Kong (Yes)	18 months to 15 years old	Heterosexual couples who have been married at least 3 years or single women. Parents must be at least 25 years old and may not be more than 45 years older than the adoptive child. Minimum High School education	Both parents	One trip approximately 7 days	Approximately 6-12 months	Approximately 18+ months from referral to guardianship

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Hungary (Yes)	3 years and up, older children and sibling groups available. Required to keep birth order.	Married (at least 1 year) couples only. Parents must be a minimum of 16 years older and a maximum of 45 years older than the child they are adopting	Both Parents	One trip; approximately 6 weeks	12 – 24 Months	2-4 Months
India (Yes) (* If you are NRI or OCI, please contact us for additional information.	6 months and 16 years of age with special needs or health issues	Open to married couples or single applicants. Parents must be at least 25 years old. Couples must be married for two years. Limitation to adoptable age based on combined couples age or single applicants age	1 Parent (Strongly Recommend 2 adults travel)	One pick-up trip, 12-14 days On rare occasion 2 trips required	6 - 24 months for a child with moderate to severe identified special needs. 48 months minimum for an OCI/NRI requesting a healthy child.	6 - 10 months
Mexico (Yes)	Children are 10 years of age or older, Sibling groups, and children with special needs.	Married couples (at least 2 years married) or unmarried couples who are at least 25 years old. Oldest parent must be at least 17 years older than the child.	Both Parents	2-3 trips, possibly 3-6 weeks, may be longer depending on region.	6-12 months	9-16 months
Portugal (Yes)	Children under 10 years old with special needs, or older children and sibling groups	Married or unmarried couples (must be together for at least 4 years) who are at least 25 years old. Single applicants may also apply and must be over 30 years old. Maximum age of younger parent is 61	Both parents	1 trip for 6-8 weeks	12-18 months	1-3 months

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Romania (Yes)	12 months and older and sibling groups	Ages: must be at least 18 years older than child Married couples and single women (at least one spouse or single women must have Romanian citizenship)	Both parents must travel for the bonding period and court, one parent may leave after the passport is issued. (Strongly recommend 2 adults travel)	1 st trip 30-45 days. 2 nd trip up to 30 days.	3-24 months	2-4 months
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