

Intercountry adoption

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Glossary Item
Synonymous names:	Intercountry adoption
METEOR identifier:	689421
Registration status:	Children and Families , Superseded 12/11/2018
Definition:	An adoption of a child/children from countries other than Australia who may legally be placed for adoption, but who generally have had no previous contact with the adoptive parent(s). There are 2 categories of intercountry adoptions: Hague adoption and non-Hague adoption. There are 2 arrangements for intercountry adoptions: full adoption order in child's country of origin, and guardianship order in child's country of origin.

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Relational attributes

Related metadata references: Has been superseded by [Intercountry adoption](#)
[Children and Families](#), Superseded 02/12/2019

Metadata items which use this glossary item: [Adoptions DSS 2016-17](#)
[Children and Families](#), Superseded 12/11/2018