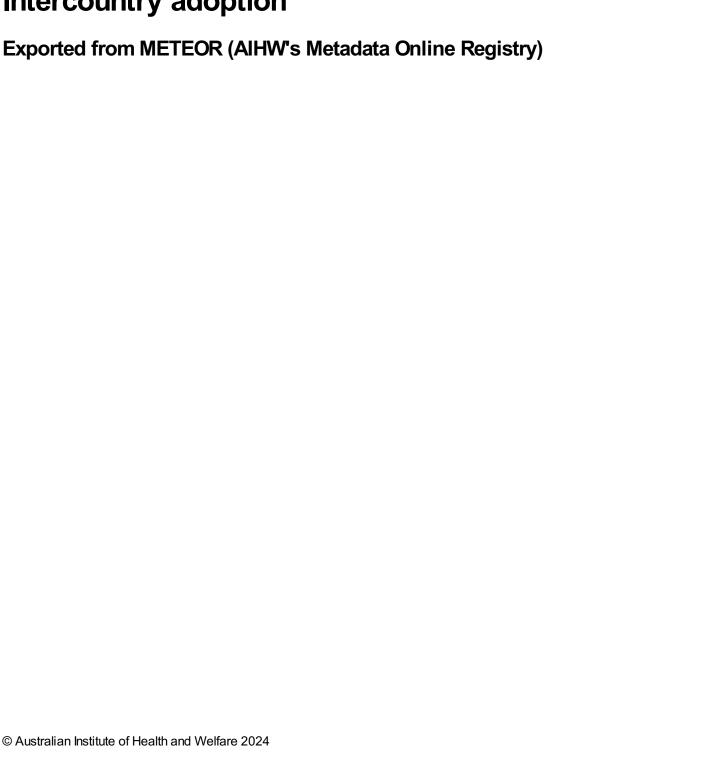
# Intercountry adoption



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### Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Glossary Item

**Synonymous names:** Intercountry adoption

METEOR identifier: 722868

**Registration status:** Children and Families, Superseded 03/11/2021

**Definition:** Intercountry adoptions are adoptions of children from countries other than Australia,

who are legally able to be placed for adoption, but who generally have had no previous contact or relationship with the adoptive parents. There are four categories of intercountry adoptions: Hague adoption, Bilateral adoption, known

child intercountry adoption and ad-hoc adoption.

#### Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:

#### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

**Relational attributes** 

Related metadata Supersedes Intercountry adoption

references: Children and Families, Superseded 02/12/2019

Has been superseded by <u>Intercountry adoption</u>
<u>Children and Families</u>, Standard 03/11/2021

Metadata items which use

this glossary item:

Adoptions DSS 2018-19

Children and Families, Superseded 20/01/2021

Adoptions DSS 2019-20

Children and Families, Superseded 03/11/2021