

Expatriate adoption

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Glossary Item

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Registration status: [Children and Families](#), Standard 03/11/2021

Definition: A specific type of [adoption](#) that occurs when an Australian citizen or permanent resident living abroad for 12 months or more adopts a child through an overseas agency or government authority. Australian adoption authorities are not responsible for expatriate adoptions, and do not assess or approve applicants for such adoptions.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Relational attributes

Related metadata references: Supersedes [Expatriate adoption](#)
[Children and Families](#), Superseded 03/11/2021

Metadata items which use this glossary item: [Adoptions DSS 2020-21](#)
[Children and Families](#), Standard 03/11/2021