



# Christian Family Services, Inc.

A CHRISTIAN ALTERNATIVE

## Christian Family Services Adoption Fees Breakdown

Service	Fee	Due
<b>(1) Adoption Training</b>	<b>\$350.00</b>	
<b>(2) Application Fee</b> File set-up, References Financial Coach	<b>\$450.00</b>	<b>With Application</b>
<b>(3) Homestudy Fee (Florida families only)</b> Preliminary Homestudy Update and/or Addendums as needed Post-Placement Visits (3) & Studies Each additional Post Placement Visit will be an additional \$150 plus mileage Final Homestudy	<b>\$1500.00</b>	<b>½ Due at Initial Visit Remainder Due at Completion of HS</b>
<b>(4) Social Service Fee</b> Advertising on your behalf Unlimited Birth parent contact Travel, unlimited adoptive family contact Paperwork Notarization & Processing Parent Finder Basic Service <b>Optional – Parent Finder Full Service</b>	<b>\$3000.00</b>      <b>(\$500)</b>	<b>When Approved for Waiting List</b>
<b>(5) Placement Fee</b> Legal Expenses, Court and Filing Costs Diligent Search and Publishing Attorney Fees ( <i>not including Finalization</i> ) Birth Parent Expenses ( <i>not to exceed \$5000 without court approval</i> ) Rent, Utilities, Food, Clothing, or Medical Costs Indirect Expenses Travel Paperwork Notarization Preparation of Finalization Packet	<b>14% of Annual Gross Income</b> <b>Minimum Fee \$7,500 Not</b> <b>To Exceed \$18,000.00 ***</b>	<b>Due at Placement</b>

\*\*\* Does not apply to placements and/or terminations of parental rights involving CFSI Intervention in a dependency action, or a contested Adoption, including without limitation as birth parent's attempt to withdraw or set aside his or her consent of affidavit of nonpaternity. Under such extraordinary circumstances, client will be expected to pay all legal fees and court costs incurred litigating the contested matter.

**(6) Interstate Compact on the Placement of Children (ICPC) Out of State Families**  
Paperwork preparation and submission **\$750**

**(7) Finalization Fee** **\$1,150.00** **Approximately 3-4**  
*(paid directly to CFS attorney)* **Months After Placement**

All families will receive and sign a Financial Agreement (FA) when approved for the waiting list. The FA will outline your family's specific fees (based on your completed Financial Statement and Homestudy), and the services covered by those fees.

**Fees Disclaimer:** Christian Family Services, Inc. reserves the right to change their fees at any times. Your fees will be set when CFSI receives your completed application and application fee. This set rate will be fixed for "one year" from date of application, in which

*time you must complete the application process and be placed on our waiting list. Once placed on our waiting list your fees will be finalized and not subject to change, with the exception noted above.*