## FAC (a program of Family and Community Services)

## **DOMESTIC ADOPTION FEE PAYMENT SCHEDULE – OHIO RESIDENTS**

	FEE	DUE	EXPLANATION OF FEES
Foster Care Adoption*:			
Preliminary Application	\$250 (non-refundable)	With Preliminary Application	Information maintenance, materials, handouts, facility, staff time, administrative review.
Home Study Fee	\$1,000	With ODJFS Application	Evaluate, assess, educate & prepare family for child placement. Complete required reports and forms per Ohio and Federal law.
Home Study Distance Fee**	\$50 or \$100	With ODJFS Application	For families who reside more than 50 miles one way from the closest available social worker, there will be a \$50 flat fee. For families who reside more than 100 miles, there will be a \$100 flat fee. **
FAC Preservice Training	\$25 per person per session	With Training Registration	Cover agency costs for providing training required by ODJFS *See current training flyer.
FAC Administrative Service Fee	\$500	At Completion of Study	To cover agency costs in searching for an appropriate placement, communication and negotiation with custodial agencies.
Shared Home Study Fee	\$500	At Request for Service	Effective 8/1/2015, a fee of \$500 will be assessed to an agency requesting a copy of a home study completed by FAC.
Shared Home Study Placement Fee	\$1,000	At Adoptive Placement	Effective 8/1/2015, a fee of \$1,000 will be assessed to the placing agency in the event of an adoptive placement pursuant to utilizing an FAC home study.
Home Study Transfer	\$500	At Request for Service	Transfer of a home study 12 months or less after approval.
Post Placement Supervision/Court Reports	Varies	At time of placement	To cover costs of State mandated supervision and reporting. In <i>most</i> cases, this is covered by the custodial agency in whole or part.
Infant Adoption**:			
Preliminary Application	\$250 (non-refundable)	With Preliminary Application	Information maintenance, materials, handouts, facility, staff time, administrative review.
Home Study Fee	\$1,500	With ODJFS Application	Evaluate, assess, educate & prepare family for child placement. Complete required reports and forms per Ohio and Federal law.
Home Study Distance Fee**	\$50 or \$100	With ODJFS Application	For families who reside more than 50 miles one way from the closest available social worker, there will be a \$50 flat fee. For families who reside more than 100 miles, there will be a \$100 flat fee. **

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FAC Preservice Training	\$25 per person per session	With Training Registration	Cover agency costs for providing training required by ODJFS *See current flyer.
Administrative Program Fee	\$2,000	At Completion of Study	To enable FAC to provide ongoing counseling services to potential birth parents.
Shared Home Study Fee	\$500	At Request for Service	Effective 8/1/2015, a fee of \$500 will be assessed to an agency requesting a copy of a home study completed by FAC.
Shared Home Study Placement Fee	\$1,000	At Adoptive Placement	Effective 8/1/2015, a fee of \$1,000 will be assessed to the placing agency in the event of an adoptive placement pursuant to utilizing an FAC home study.
Home Study Transfer	\$500	At Request for Service	Transfer of a homestudy 12 months or less after approval.
Birth Parent Assessment	\$300+	At Match	Complete State mandated interviews and documents related to birth parent surrender
Placement Fee	\$10,000	At Match^	
Post Placement Distance Fee**	\$25 or \$50 per visit	At Time of Acceptance	For families who reside more than 50 miles one way from the closest available social worker, there will be a \$25 fee per visit. For families who reside more than 100 miles, there will be a \$50 fee per visit.**
Post-Placement Fee/Court Report	\$2,500	At Match^	Monthly staff visits with AP/child as per Ohio rules, evaluate post-adoption adjustment, related post placement issues, and provide support/guidance to family. Write reports and submit to placement agency and Court. Prepare/submit documents for finalization, attend Court hearing.
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Private Identified Child***:			
Preliminary Application	\$250	With Preliminary Application	Information maintenance, materials, handouts, facility, staff time, administrative review.
Home Study Fee	\$1,500	With ODJFS Application	Evaluate, assess, educate & prepare family for child placement. Complete required reports and forms per Ohio and Federal law.
Home Study Distance Fee**	\$50 or \$100	With ODJFS Application	For families who reside more than 50 miles one way from the closest available social worker, there will be a \$50 flat fee. For families who reside more than 100 miles, there will be a \$100 flat fee. **
FAC Preservice Training	\$25 per person per session	With training registration	Cover agency costs for providing training required by ODJFS. *See current flyer.

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Administrative Program Fee	\$2,000	At Completion of Study	To enable FAC to provide ongoing counseling services to potential birth parents. Coordination of services between FAC and placing agency, if applicable.
Shared Home Study Fee	\$500	At Request for Service	Effective 8/1/2015, a fee of \$500 will be assessed to an agency requesting a copy of a home study completed by FAC.
Shared Home Study Placement Fee	\$1,000	At Adoptive Placement	Effective 8/1/2015, a fee of \$1,000 will be assessed to the placing agency in the event of an adoptive placement pursuant to utilizing an FAC home study.
Homestudy Transfer	\$500	At Request for Service	Transfer of a homestudy 12 months or less after approval.
Birth Parent Assessment	\$300+	At Match	Complete State mandated interviews and documents related to birth parent surrender
Placement Fee	\$5,000	At Match^	
Post Placement Distance Fee**	\$25 or \$50 per visit	At Time of Acceptance	For families who reside more than 50 miles one way from the closest available social worker, there will be a \$25 fee per visit. For families who reside more than 100 miles, there will be a \$50 fee per visit.**
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Searching Services	\$500 for 1 year	Upon Receipt of	To provide services for families with approved studies from other agencies who
Seatening Services	\$300 for 1 year	Homestudy	are in the process of searching for appropriate placement.
Homestudy Update	\$500	At Time of Request	
Concurrent approval for Domestic and International Programs	\$2,000	With Application	NOTE: All international program and related fees are additional.
Homestudy Amendment	\$300-\$500	When Required by ODJFS	
Interstate Compact Paperwork	\$250	When Requested by ODJFS	Completion of State mandated paperwork for interstate placements
Large Family Assessment (ODJFS 1530)	\$150	With completed ODJFS application, when required	ODJFS requirement of families with 5 or more children <i>including the children the AP are applying to adopt</i> .

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Third Party Expenses: (For All Programs)						
Technology (MAPS) Fee	\$150	Acceptance of Preliminary Application	Required to access and submit formal application. Applicant(s) will then have access to all services of MyAdoptionPortal.com(MAPS). This one-time fee is paid directly to CAIRS with instructions provided by FAC			
Child Abuse Clearances	Varies	With Formal Application	Required for each applicant/adult in household from each state and/or country of residence since age 18			
Fingerprinting	\$60-\$75 per person	With Formal Application	Required in accordance with state and government regulations .			

Family Adoption Consultants assumes no legal responsibility for changes in ODJFS or county specific qualifications or time frames for placement,. This fee schedule is subject to change annually based on the agency budget. Fees may be adjusted in the case of sibling placements.

I/We understand the special and unique conditions of providing adoption services. Because the loss and damage to be expected should I/we withdraw, breach, or cancel this agreement, for any or no reason, are uncertain in amount, it is agreed that FAC shall retain all sums paid to the date of such withdrawal, breech, or cancellation as liquidated damages and not as penalty. Please retain this information for your records. You will be billed in accordance with the Fee Payment Schedule during the adoption process. This agreement may be supplemented, modified or amended, if the supplement, modification or amendment is made in writing, dated, and is signed by all parties.

I/We certify that I/we understand and agree to the terms described:

Adoptive Parent (signature)

Adoptive Parent (print)

date

Adoptive Parent (print)

Adoptive Parent (signature)

date

All billing statements will be sent via email. Please be sure to provide a valid email address. If you have special considerations about electronic transmission, please call (330) 296-2757.

Email address(es) for billing purposes: