

We are here to help and support you in your decision to make an adoption. We facilitate open consensual adoptions meaning you choose the family. With our families you have the options of:

- Selecting an adoptive family that best fits your needs
- Meeting the family before you deliver
- Having the adoptive family with you at the hospital
- Having the adoptive family begin to care for your infant after delivery
- Having pictures, updates, and visits with your infant as mutually agreed upon

You may choose one or none of these options, but they are yours to think about. We respect your decision and will support the adoption plan that best suits you and your baby. We understand that plans change and we are flexible in accommodating that change, even if you decide not to go through with the adoption.

Who Are Our Adoptive Families?

Before our families enter our program they must:

- Attend Catholic Social Services 3 day Adoption Workshop
- Complete a homestudy by a trained professional
- Pass state and federal background check
- Be in a committed, stable relationship

Our families are all different! Some of our families are scattered throughout Alaska with various occupations. Some of our couples have adopted with Catholic Social Services previously and some are first time parents. Each one of our families has a unique story to share.

**For more information,
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