ORGANIZATIONAL INFORMATION & SERVICES

Since 1980, MN ADOPT’s mission has been to promote and support successful adoptions for all Minnesota children and families. This mission is accomplished through a multitude of supportive and educational resources available to the adoption community, including:

The MN ADOPT website is a helpful resource for people in all stages of the process. Whether considering adoption or foster care, in the midst of the process, or in need of post adoption resources and support, MN ADOPT’s website provides information about local and national resources, and a variety of supports to assist you along the way.

The foundation of the Zero Kids Waiting Program is the State Adoption Exchange (SAE), an online site that features many of the children in Minnesota who are currently in need of an adoptive family. We also work to raise awareness of Minnesota waiting children through the use of targeted, focused recruitment. These efforts include monthly child features in the Star Tribune, video features on KSTP's Twin Cities Live, and live recruitment events with our community partners, like the MN Timberwolves and Lynx basketball teams.

The Education Program offers supportive educational workshops and webinars to professionals and foster, kinship, and adoptive families. Workshops are hosted at various locations across Minnesota and include a variety of topics related to parenting through adoption. Visit our web site to learn more about upcoming workshops/webinars, or to explore previous webinars that are available for online viewing.

Since 2011, the HELP Program has provided free easily accessible, reliable and knowledgeable post-adoption support and guidance to the Minnesota adoption community. Through deep understanding of adoption related considerations (i.e. behavioral challenges, parenting difficulties, school challenges, attachment, trauma, identity, grief & loss...etc.), HELP Specialists provide objective, individualized support and connection to the resources needed.

Want to learn more? Visit us online a www.mnadopt.org or contact us at 612-861-7115 or info@mnadopt.org