

The Post Adoption Registry, operated by the Government of Alberta, assists persons in obtaining information regarding **adoptions that occurred in Alberta**. The Registry can also facilitate a reunion when two or more parties have voluntarily registered for contact. There is no charge for the Registry's services.

Adopted Person

- an adult adopted person
- an adopted person 16-18 years who is living independently
- an adult descendant of a deceased adopted person (*a descendant is a child or grandchild of the adopted person*)

You may register for voluntary contact with the birth family.

You may obtain:

- non-identifying information about the birth family.
- a copy of the adoption order
- birth surname

Adoptive Parent/Guardian on behalf of a minor adoptee or a deceased adoptee

You may register for voluntary contact with the child's birth parents or adult siblings.

You may obtain:

- non-identifying information about your child's birth family
- a copy of the adoption order

Mail to: Post Adoption Registry
11th Floor, Sterling Place
9940-106 Street
Edmonton AB T5K 2N2
Phone (780) 427 6387
Fax (780) 427 2048
Toll-free: dial 310 0000 then dial
427 6387

✉ E-Mail: postadoption.registry@gov.ab.ca
Website: www.child.gov.ab.ca

Reunions:

If two or more persons have voluntarily registered, a search and reunion consultant will facilitate a reunion.

The Registry facilitates a reunion by sharing basic information with each party. If both parties are comfortable with sharing their identifying information, this will be done. Staff will assist you in determining what type of contact you may wish to start with. You should meet the other person only when both of you are ready. If either of you feel unsure about meeting, Registry staff may suggest other options such as:

- seeing a counselor to discuss meeting the other person.
- exchanging letters and pictures before phoning or meeting.

In order to keep our records up to date, we request that you advise us of any changes (e.g. name, address, phone number).

If you decide you want to remove your name from the Registry, you must send a letter requesting your name be removed.

✉ *E-mail is not secure for transmission of personal information.*

The collection, use and disclosure of your information is done under the authority of the *Child, Youth and Family Enhancement Act* and is managed in compliance with the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy (FOIP) Act*. The information will be used to help us process your request. If you have any questions, please contact the Post Adoption Registry at (780) 427 6387. To be connected toll-free in Alberta call 310 0000, then dial (780) 427 6387.

This application for voluntary contact applies to the adoption of:				
Adopted Person's Name	Date of Birth	Year	Month	Day
Birth Mother's Name (if known)	Adoptive Mother's Name (if known)			
Birth Father's Name (if known)	Adoptive Father's Name (if known)			

My name is:				
First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
Maiden Name	Date of Birth	Year	Month	Day
Mailing Address Apt No./ Street				
City/Town	Province	Country	Postal Code	
Telephone (Home)	Telephone (Work)	Telephone (Cell)	E-mail Address	

I am the:

adopted person

I would like:

non-identifying information about my birth family an adoption order

adopted person 16-18 years old living independently

I would like:

non-identifying information about my birth family

adoptive guardian on behalf of:

my minor adopted child **the deceased adoptee**

I would like:

non-identifying information about the adoptee's birth family an adoption order

descendant of a deceased adoptee (please provide proof of death e.g. death certificate or obituary notice)

I would like:

non-identifying information about the adoptee's birth family an adoption order

The adopted person was:

my mother my father my grandmother my grandfather

Please sign this Declaration


All the information on this form is accurate and complete as far as I know. I give my consent to Alberta Children's Services to give my name and address to anyone that I want to contact.



Signature

Date

Submission Information

- **Submit a photocopy of two pieces of your identification, one of which is photo identification.**
- Keep a copy for your records.
- To submit forms or ensure that our records remain current, we ask that you advise the Post Adoption Registry of any change in your address or telephone number(s) by way of a brief note, phone call, fax or e-mail  to the:

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Contact Information

The following information will only be used in the event that we are trying to make contact with you and are unable to locate you using the address/phone number you provided. We recommend that you check with the person(s) whose name and phone number you are providing, so that they know you have given us permission to ask them for information. The only information we would be asking is a current phone number or address for you, or to request that they ask you to contact us.

Applicant's occupation and employer		
Occupation	Employer	
Employer's Address		Telephone (work)
City/Town	Province	Postal Code

Spouse or Interdependent Partner		
Name	<i>First Name</i>	<i>Last Name</i>
Occupation	Employer	
Employer's Address		Telephone (work)
City/Town	Province	Postal Code

Friends, Relatives			
Name of Contact Person #1	<i>First Name</i>	<i>Last Name</i>	Relationship
Address			Telephone (home)
City/Town	Province	Postal Code	Telephone (work)
Name of Contact Person #2	<i>First Name</i>	<i>Last Name</i>	Relationship
Address			Telephone (home)
City/Town	Province	Postal Code	Telephone (work)