

# Are you an Adopted Adult?

If you are an adopted adult, you have the legal right to know about your Birth Family, and Family Care Adoption Services can help you to obtain that information.

If you were not adopted but were fostered or raised in residential care, Family Care Adoption Services can also try to help you.



### How can we help?

Family Care Adoption Services hold the records of several Agencies which placed babies in adoption or fostering in the past and we can access others.

We can also obtain information from records held by other agencies, and we are able to go and see Court Adoption files.

#### What can we do?

We have Social Workers who are experienced in this work. We can help you to identify your name at birth and your birth Surname, find files and information, undertake research, and share background information with you.

If you decide that you would like to contact your birth family, we can help you to prepare for this, and can act as an intermediary in the first contact.

If you and your birth family decide to keep in touch, we can help you plan early contacts and will offer support to all of you as long as you need it.

If you were adopted, fostered or raised in care and we do not hold your records or can't access them, we can help you to find the right agency to help you.



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