

Oakland County Circuit Court – Family Court Division, Adoption Services  
Post Adoption Proceedings

**All forms mentioned in these instructions can be accessed by clicking “related links” on the left side of the adoption services web page.**

If you are requesting non-identifying information or identifying information from an adoption record or requesting a confidential intermediary, the court and the adoption agency who handled the adoption may both be sources of information for you. The adoption code requires the court to send this information to an adult adoptee, adult former sibling, former parent, or adoptive parent within 14 days of request. (MCL 710.68a)

- Release of Information for Michigan Adoption Records pamphlet
- Excerpts from Michigan Adoption Code
- Michigan Adoption Search & Support Groups

For a complete explanation of what adoption information is available, please go to [www.michigan.gov/documents/FIA-AdoptPub439\\_12970\\_7.pdf](http://www.michigan.gov/documents/FIA-AdoptPub439_12970_7.pdf) and print *the Release of Information from Michigan’s Adoption Records* pamphlet.

If your adoption was completed by an agency you may wish to contact the agency directly to obtain the non-identifying and identifying information. Since the agency provided the information to the court at the time of the adoption, they may have more information in their file for you.

If you wish to request non-identifying or identifying information from the court we will be glad to help you. Please provide the following:

- If you are requesting **non identifying information:**
- *Request by Adult Adoptee for Identifying Information*, DHS 1925 check the box for non-identifying information
- \$60 fee, payable to Oakland County Clerk (MCL 710.68(19))
- *Release of Information Authorization Adult Adoptee*, DHS 1920
- (If you wish to see if someone is looking for you)
- Driver’s License or other picture ID
  
- If you are requesting **identifying information:**
- *Request by Adult Adoptee for Identifying Information*, DHS 1925
- *Release of Information Authorization Adult Adoptee*, DHS 1920
- \$60 fee, payable to Oakland County Clerk

If you wish to have a **confidential intermediary appointed please see the explanation of confidential intermediary services.**