

# Records relating to Adoption

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To access these records:

Please contact the Adoption Information Unit:

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Website: https://www.facs.nsw.gov.au/families/adoption/finding-info

Records Location These records are held by Department of Communities and Justice, State

Government of New South Wales (2019 - current)

## **Details**

The Department of Family and Community Services holds some records relating to Adoption. Note that other records are held at the State Records Authority of New South Wales. Contact the Adoption Information Unit for more information and to apply for access.

### **Access Conditions**

Access to these records is restricted. Contact the Adoption Information Unit within the Department of Family and Community Services for more information.

## More info

## Organisations in these records

#### **Related Organisations**

- Methodist Adoption Agency ( 1970s)
- Seventh Day Adventist Adoption Agency ( 1993)

The files relating to adoptions arranged by the Seventh Day Adventist Adoption Agency were transferred to the Department when the agency ceased operations in 1993.

- Benevolent Society of New South Wales (1813 current)
- Queen Victoria Hospital for Women and Babies (1895 1978)
- Bethesda Home for Waiting Mothers (c. 1904 1976)
- Sydney Rescue Work Society Adoption Agency (c. 1911 2000?)
- Presbyterian Adoption Agency (1950s 1970s)
- Presbyterian Social Services (1988 current)
- Integricare (2011 current)

#### **Related Legislation**

Adoption Act 2000, New South Wales (2000 - current)
Access to Records relating to Adoption is governed by the Adoption Act 2000.

#### **Related Concepts**

• Adoption in New South Wales (c. 1923 - current)

## Records

## **Related Contact Details**

• Adoption Information Unit - Contact Details

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