









NIGHTLIGHT INTER-COUNTRY ADOPTION PROGRAMS QUICK LOOK

	Albania	Bulgaria	China	Colombia	Haiti	Honduras	Hong Kong	India	Latvia	Malawi	Nigeria	Panama
							 Waiting Child Program					
Avg time start to finish	18 months	1-4 years	1-2 years	1-2 years	3 years	18 months	15 months	1-2 years	1-2 years	2 years	18 months	5 years+
Age of children available	2-15 yrs	1-16 yrs	2-14 yrs special needs	2-10 yrs special needs 10 yrs+ non-special needs	18 mos to 15 yrs	3 - 15 yrs	12 mos+ special needs	2-16 yrs	9-15 yrs	2-14 yrs	5-15 yrs	4-14 yrs
Trip(s)	2-3 (14+42)	2 (10+10)	1 (15)	1 (3-6 weeks)	2 (15+6)	2 (7 + 56)	1 (7)	1 (7-10)	3 (24+3+7)	1 (6 wks)	1 (90)	1 (5-8 months)
Referral Time	12 mos+	18-36 mos	12-18 mos	6-18 mos	12-24 mos	12-24 mos	2-3 mos	12 mos+	6 mos+	12-24 mos	9 mos+	18-48 mos
Program Fee	\$15,500	\$24,500	\$10,325	\$22,500	\$26,000	\$13,500	\$9,100	\$15,500	\$17,000	\$15,600	\$16,000	\$15,000
Travel and Other Costs	\$21,000-\$34,000	\$14,145-\$16,845	\$16,200 - \$22,000	\$11,000	\$12,000	\$13,100-\$21,100	\$12,000	\$10,000-\$16,000	\$13,495-\$16,370	\$11,915	\$22,000-\$33,000	\$20,000
Parent's Age	25 and up	21 and up	Min 30 Max 50 yrs between parent/child	Min30 Max 45 yrs between parent/child	30 to 50	25 to 60	25 and up	25 and up	25 and up	25 and up	25 and up	25 to 55
Other Child Restrictions	No	No	5 or less; Youngest ≥ 3years	No	No	3 or less preferred	No	2 or less (unless a special needs child)	No	No	Maintain Birth Order	No
Singles	Single Females Only	Yes	Single Females Only	Yes	Single Females Only	Single Females Only	Yes	Single Females Only	Single Females Only	Yes	Single Females Only	Single Females Only
PP/PA Reports	6	5	6	5	9	6	10	6	3	3	5	6
Hague Country	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes
Coordinator	Lisa W	Liana	Rebecca/Stephanie Muth	Natalie/Renae	Renae/Liana	Lisa W	Stephanie Muth	Jordyn/Nicky	Liana	Lisa W	Jordyn/Nicky	Lisa W

This spread sheet is intended to give you an overall comparison between Nightlight's various inter-country programs. The information is abbreviated and some additional criteria may apply. Please ask for complete information on the country or countries of greatest interest to you from our international inquiry specialists at 859-263-9964 or www.Nightlight.org.

NIGHTLIGHT INTER-COUNTRY ADOPTION, RELATIVE, OR DUAL CITIZEN PROGRAMS

	Romania	Taiwan	Uganda	Ukraine	United Kingdom/Canada	Jamaica/Iran/Pakistan	Nicaragua	Explanation of Terms
	 1 Parent must be a Romanian Citizen	 Only open to families open to children up to the age of 8			 Relative Adoption Only	 Relative or UAA Adoption	 Not accepting new clients at this time	<p>Avg time start to finish: The average time it takes to complete an adoption from application to child home</p> <p>Age: Age of children available (For most programs, children with special needs may be adopted at a younger age)</p> <p>Trips: Number of trips required to country (Top line is number of trips; bottom line is estimated # of days per trip)</p> <p>Referral Time: Average Time to receive Referral of a child (After dossier is completed; time is greatly reduced if adopting a waiting child)</p> <p>Program Fee: Nightlight agency fees plus Foreign Fees (Fee Schedule will be provided for specific details)</p> <p>Travel and other costs: Estimated costs for home study, government fees, travel, lodging, translators, etc.</p> <p>Parent's Age: Country's Age Requirements for Parents (Nightlight requires minimum age 21; no less than 15 years nor more than 45 years difference between age of child and parent/ Singles must be at least 25 years old)</p> <p>Other child restrictions: Restrictions on other minor children in home (number of children, age of children, etc)</p> <p>Singles: Indicates yes if single women are accepted; some countries allow men to adopt; many countries have additional conditions). In programs where single men may adopt, Nightlight (and some countries) require that the child be male.</p> <p>PP/PA: Number of Post Placement or Post Adoption Reports Required for Country (Refer to country information for timing and specifics)</p> <p>Hague Country: Indicates whether or not the country is a party to the Hague Convention on International Adoption</p> <p>Coordinator: Name of Nightlight employee to contact for more information about specific country (See list below for office and contact information)</p>
Avg time Start to finish	18-24 months	2 years	2 years	10-12 months	18 months	18 months	N/A	
Age of Children Available	3-15 yrs	1 yrs+ special needs 5 yrs+ non-special needs	24 mos + special needs	Under 5 yr special needs 5 yrs+ non-special needs	6 mos+	6 mos+	3 yrs+	
Trip(s)	3 (35+5+10)	1-2 (7+2-7)	1 (12 mo; less for special needs)	3 (15+3+21)	3+ (90)	Varies	1 (90-150)	
Referral Time	12-24 mos	6-12 mos	12 mos	2-3 mos	12-24 mos	Varies	12-36 mos	
Program Fee	\$12,500	\$14,500	\$14,500	\$17,500	\$6,000	\$4,000	\$13,000	
Travel and Other Costs	\$16,945-\$21,445	\$12,830-\$16,690	\$4,100-\$8,300	\$14,075-\$18,775	Varies	Varies	\$15,995	
Parent's Age	21 and up	25 to 55	21 and up	21 and up	21 and up	Country Determines	25 to 50	
Other Child Restrictions	No	3 or less	No	No	No	Varies	3 or less	
Singles	Single Females Only	No	Yes	No	Yes	Varies	No	
PP/PA	9	8	Up to 18 yrs	Up to 18 yrs	Varies	Varies	Up to 21 yrs	
Hague Country	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	
Coordinator	Liana	Liana/Renae	Lisa W	Liana	Rhonda	Rhonda	Lisa W.	

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Coordinator:

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