

# NIGHTLIGHT INTER-COUNTRY ADOPTION PROGRAMS QUICK LOOK

	Albania	Bulgaria	China	Colombia	Haiti	Honduras	Hong Kong	India	Latvia	Nicaragua	Nigeria	Panama	Taiwan	Ukraine
			 Waiting Child Program				 Waiting Child Program							
Age	2 yrs+ special needs 5 yrs+ non-special needs	2 yrs+	12mos+	1 yrs+ special needs 7 yrs+ non-special needs	6 mos+	3 years to 15 years	12 mos+ (special needs)	24 mos+	9yrs+ 3+ siblings	3 yrs+	5 yrs+	4 yrs+	1 yrs+ special needs 5 yrs+ non-special needs	5 yrs+
Trip(s)	2-3 (16+7+14)	2 (7+7)	1 (14)	1 (21)	2 (15+6)	2 (10-12days +3-4 weeks)	1 (7)	1 (7+10)	3 (20+3+3)	1 (90-150)	1 (90)	1 (5-8 months)	1 (7)	1 (45)
Referral Time	12 mos+ (the older the child, the shorter the wait)	12 mos+	3-12 mos	2-18 mos	12 mos+	12-24 mos (the older the child the shorter the wait)	2-3 mos	6 mos+	6 mos+	12-36 mos (the older the child, the shorter the wait)	6 mos	36-48 mos	3-24 mos (the older the child, the shorter the wait)	6 mos
Program Fee	\$15,000	\$24,000	\$10,325	\$22,000	\$25,500	\$16,500	\$9,100	\$15,000	\$16,500	\$13,000	\$13,300	\$15,000	\$20,400	\$21,500
Travel and Other Costs	\$21,000-\$34,000	\$12,834	\$16,200 - \$22,000	\$11,000	\$12,000	\$13,100-\$21,100	\$12,000	\$10,000-\$16,000	\$13,500	\$15,995	\$15,000-\$19,000	\$20,000	\$12,830-\$16,690	\$16,694
Parent's Age	25 and up	Agency	30 to 50	Agency	30 to 50	25-60	25 and up	25 and up	25 and up	25 to 50	25 and up	25 to 55	25 to 55	Agency
Other Child Restrictions	Varies	No	Varies	No	No	3 or less preferred	No	2 or less (unless pursuing a special needs child)	No	3 or less	No	No	3 or less	No
Singles	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	TBA	No
PP/PA	6	5	6	5	9	6	10	6	3	to 21 yrs	5	6	TBA	4 + 5
Hague	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No
Coordinator	Lisa/Stephanie Muth	Liana/Renae	Rebecca/Dana	Natalie/Renae	Natalie/Renae	Lisa/Allison	Stephanie Muth	Stephanie Miller	Liana/Renae	Lisa/Allison	Stephanie Miller	Lisa/Allison	Natalie/Renae	Liana/Renae

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. Refer to [www.Nightlight.org](http://www.Nightlight.org).

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

	Ghana	Kyrgyzstan	Malawi	Uganda	Romania	United Kingdom	Various Other Countries
	 Not accepting new clients at this time	 Not accepting new clients at this time	 Not accepting new clients at this time	 Not accepting new clients at this time			
Age	6 mos+ (special needs)	3 yrs+	6 mo+	24 mos + (special needs)	3 yrs+	6 mos+	6 mos+
Trip(s)	2 (10+3)	3 (10+3+10)	1(14-28)	1 (12 mo; less for special needs)	3 (35+5+10)	3+ (90)	Varies
Referral Time	6 mos+	9-12 mos (the older the child, the shorter the wait)	< 6 mos	12 mos	TBA	12-24 mos	Varies
Program Fee	\$21,500	\$25,000	\$28,800	\$23,500	\$12,000	\$6,000	\$4,000
Travel and Other Costs	\$11,225	\$40,845-\$43,845	\$11,915	\$4,100-\$8,300	\$18,500+	Varies	Varies
Parent's Age	Agency	25 to 60	Agency	Agency	1 Parent must be a Romanian Citizen	Agency (Relative Adoption Only)	Relative or UAA Adoption
Other Child Restrictions	No	No	No	No	No	Varies	Varies
Singles	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	TBA	Yes	Varies
PP/PA	Agency	5	3	to 18 yrs	8	Varies	Varies
Hague	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Varies
Coordinator	Carrie/Laura	Liana/Renae	Lisa	Lisa/Stephanie Muth	Liana/Renae	Rhonda	Rhonda

## Key:

**Age:** Age of Children available (Special needs children may be adopted at younger ages)

**Trips:** Typical # of Trips Required (Combined duration in days)

**Referral Time:** Average Time to Referral (After dossier is completed)

**Program Fee:** Nightlight and Foreign Fees (See Fee Schedule for details)

**Other Costs:** Home study, government fees, travel, lodging, translators, etc.

**Parent's Age:** Country's Age Requirements for Parents

(Nightlight requires no more than 45 years difference between age of child and parents)

**Other child in Home:** Restrictions on other children in home

**Single:** Single Women Accepted (Although some countries may have conditions)

**PP/PA:** Number of Post Placement or Post Adoption Reports Required depends on Country

(Refer to country information for intervals)

**Hague:** Hague Convention Country

**Coordinator:** Country Coordinator (See list for office and contact information)

All information is estimated and based on the best information available at the time. Sibling groups are available in most countries, but rarely in China.

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