

Hague Convention

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Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Metadata item type: | Glossary Item |
| Synonymous names: | Intercountry adoption |
| METEOR identifier: | 722866 |
| Registration status: | Children and Families , Superseded 03/11/2021 |
| Definition: | <p>A convention—specifically, the Hague Convention on Protection of Children and Co-operation in Respect of Intercountry Adoption—that establishes standards and procedures for adoptions between countries. The Hague Convention includes legally binding safeguards and a system of supervision, and establishes channels of communication between countries. It came into force in Australia on 1 December 1998.</p> <p>An intercountry adoption is classified as a Hague adoption, Bilateral adoption or known child intercountry or ad-hoc adoption.</p> |

Source and reference attributes

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| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
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Relational attributes

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| Related metadata references: | <p>Supersedes Hague Convention Children and Families, Superseded 02/12/2019</p> <p>Has been superseded by Hague Convention Children and Families, Standard 03/11/2021</p> |
| Metadata items which use this glossary item: | <p>Adoptions DSS 2018-19 Children and Families, Superseded 20/01/2021</p> <p>Adoptions DSS 2019-20 Children and Families, Superseded 03/11/2021</p> |