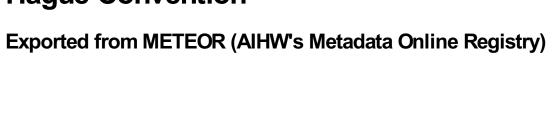
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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Glossary Item

Synonymous names: Intercountry adoption

METEOR identifier: 722866

Registration status: Children and Families, Superseded 03/11/2021

Definition: 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.

An intercountry adoption is classified as a Hague adoption, Bilateral

adoption or known child intercountry or ad-hoc adoption.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Relational attributes

Related metadata Supersedes <u>Hague Convention</u>

references: Children and Families, Superseded 02/12/2019

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