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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Glossary Item |
| Synonymous names: | Parent of adopted person |
| METEOR identifier: | 749050 |
| Registration status: | [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 03/11/2021 |
| Definition: | A person who has become the parent of a child or adult as the result of an [**adoption**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/327208) order. |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
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| Metadata items which use this glossary item: | [Adoption—adoption placement, total N[NN]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/749124)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 03/11/2021  [Adoptions DSS 2020-21](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/749045)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 05/06/2023  [Adoptions DSS 2021-22](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/766551)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 04/04/2024  [Adoptions DSS 2022-23](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/784744)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 04/04/2024  [Adoptive family—adoptive parent marital status, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/749200)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 03/11/2021  [Intercountry adoption living arrangement post arrival code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/749263)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 03/11/2021  [Known child adoption](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/749082)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 03/11/2021  [Local adoption](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/749062)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 03/11/2021  [Person—pre-adoption relationship to adoptive parent(s), code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/749270)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 03/11/2021  [Placement (adoption)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/749066)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 03/11/2021  [Step-parent](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/749068)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 03/11/2021 |