



## ADOPTION RHODE ISLAND Information Meetings 2026

**Do you have questions about adopting a child from foster care?  
Are you trying to decide if it's right for you?  
Would you like to get the adoption process underway?  
If the answer is yes, or even maybe, to any of these questions, please come to  
one of our virtual information meetings.**

### **About our Information Meetings**

Meetings are held once a month. They feature presenters from ARI and DCYF that explain the steps of the adoption process, provide an overview about the youth waiting to be adopted, and the rewards and challenges involved.

Information about applications to start the adoption process will be provided for anyone interested in moving forward. Families will also learn about other routes they can take to become involved in the lives of waiting youth.

The meetings are at no cost and are open to Rhode Island adults interested in learning more about adoption from state foster care.

To receive the Zoom link for the meeting,  
R.S.V.P. to Allison Forte at  
[aforte@adoptionri.org](mailto:aforte@adoptionri.org) in advance.



#### **BEGINS AT 6PM**

**Wed., May 13**

**Thurs., June 11**

**\*\*WED., JUNE 24\*\***

#### **SPECIAL LGBTQ+ MTG**

**Wed., July 15**

**Thurs., August 13**

**Wed., Sept 16**

**Thurs., October 15**

**Wed., November 18**

**Thurs., December 17**

**\*\*Special meeting to be held at**

**New Harvest Coffee Roasters**

**10 Sims Ave., PVD\*\***