Adoptions From The Heart

# Winter Ed Series

AFTH's Winter Ed Series is held on Zoom to welcome families from all over our service area to attend.

<u>Registration Closes 1 Week Before Classes - Classes Fill Up Quickly</u> Ed Series classes fulfill AFTH's CEU requirements

### 411 on Placement: What to expect at the Hospital and how to prepare for Birthparent Connection

Learn the basic 411 on Hospital Placement, including the "Who/What/Where/When/How." Additionally, prepare yourself for meeting birth parents and possible extended birth family and the importance of building birth family connection.

### Tuesday, January 28th | 6:30-8:00 PM Registration deadline: January 21, 2025

## Voices of the Adoption Triad

AFTH will be sitting down with all members of an adoption triad to hear about how adoption has shaped their lives and how their relationship has developed since placement over 16 years ago. Please join us for this touching journey. We look forward to having you join us!

Wednesday, January 22nd | 7:00-8:30 PM Registration deadline: January 15, 2024

## Prenatal Drug & Alcohol Exposure

\$100/family| Click for a Video Message About the Class



AFTH wants families to make informed decisions when completing their profile keys. Dr. Erin Meyer is an internal medicine and pediatric hospitalist who works in the neonatal intensive care unit. She is also an adoptive mom and can speak from

both professional and personal angles. She will be discussing the effects of drug and alcohol use on the newborn during pregnancy, as well as withdrawal symptoms and short and long-term effects of exposure.

## **Supporting Siblings Through Adoption Transitions**

Join the NY office as we provide discussion and key tools to adoptive parents about the aspect of assisting sibling groups as they navigate the changes the adoption journey brings, while building their sibling relationships and emotional resilience.

Monday, February 10th | 7:00-8:30 PM Registration deadline: February 3, 2025

## How To Prepare for an Emergency Placement

Learn the 411 on Emergency Placements. How to prepare and what exactly happens at placement.

Tuesday, February 25th | 6:30-8:00 PM Registration deadline: February 18, 2025

## **Online Webinar Dates:**

Link is emailed 1-2 business days after registering

- January 25, 2025 | 10:30AM 12:00PM
- April 15, 2025 | 7:00PM 8:30PM
- July 26, 2025 | 10:30AM 12:00PM
- October 28, 2025 | 7:00PM 8:30PM

## **<u>Registration DEADLINE is ONE WEEK prior to the class date.</u>**

Be Sure To Contact Your Adoption Social Worker with any questions All Classes are \$30/family unless otherwise noted. Click HERE to Register