

ESTIMATED 2ND CHILD LIBERIA INTERNATIONAL ADOPTIONS FEES AND ESTIMATED COST SCHEDULE MN, IA, & SD

New Horizons Adoption Agency, Inc. supports International New Horizons Children's Home in Liberia. Liberia requires adoption agencies serving in Liberia to support the Children's Home.

REQUIREMENTS: Prospective adoptive parents must be married for at least 2 years, be a minimum of 25 years old, special approval must be received for anyone over 40. Liberia does not limit the number of children per family, but it is subject to a review by New Horizons Adoption Agency, Inc. In accordance with New Horizons Adoption Agency, Inc. mission statement, our program is open to Christian families only.

TRAVEL: Escorting is not allowed. Both parents must travel. Stay is approximately 1-2 months. However, the U.S. Embassy may require additional time/investigation. Should DNA testing be required this charge will be passed on to you.

CHILDREN AVAILABLE: There are children 0 – 6 years old available. Sibling groups may be available. The ethnic background is African.

REFERRAL TIMES: The average wait time for a referral of a child 2 years and older is 6 - 12 months. The average wait time for a referral of a child under 2 years old is 1 - 2 years. The average time from referral to placement is 6 - 18 months.

Note: The following U.S. Agency Fees (NHAA Fees) and Foreign Country Program Expense fees will be paid directly to New Horizons by Adoptive Parents in installments listed below. NHAA does not use any of the fees to provide special services such as cultural programs for adoptees, scholarships, or other services.

The following New Horizons fees are estimated costs and are subject to change upon notification. Foreign fees and Third-party fees are set by the provider and subject to change without notification. **ALL FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE ONCE INVOICED AND PAID.**

If a child dies or the birth parent/guardian chooses to become re-involved prior to placement the family will be provided with the next available suitable referral. No refund will be provided for a withdrawal.

| PROGRAM FEES: | COST | TOTALS | NOTES |
|---------------------------------------|---------|----------|---|
| Acceptance of Referral | | \$24,000 | Due upon acceptance of referral |
| CEAS Passthrough Fee (per child) | \$850 | | |
| Wire Transfer Fee | \$600 | | |
| NHAA Agency Fee | \$4,750 | | |
| NHAA Foreign Program Fee #1 | \$2,500 | | |
| Child Support – (prior to referral) | \$2,500 | | |
| Liberian Liaison Fee | \$1,300 | | |
| Liberia Attorney Fee | \$5,400 | | |
| Ministry of Gender | \$1,500 | | |
| NHAA Foreign Program Fee #2 | \$2,500 | | |
| Education Fee – 2 nd Child | \$100 | | |
| Official Fees | \$1,000 | | (includes but not limited to Child's Birth Certificate, Passport, Witness Transportation, Paperwork, etc.) |
| Orphanage Support/Humanitarian Aid | \$1,000 | | |
| Childcare | | \$1,500 | \$250/month, based on 6 months (childcare starts after acceptance of referral and is due at the beginning of the month) |
| TOTAL ESTIMATED PROGRAM FEES | | \$25,500 | |

Please initial both this page and the following page that you have received a copy of the Estimated Liberia International Adoption Fees and Estimated Cost Schedule.

Date:____

Adopting Parents:

| OTHER COSTS (ESTIMATED) | COST | TOTALS | NOTES |
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| U.S. – Based Fees | | \$1,600 | |
| Post Adoption Reports (PAR) and delivery | \$1,600 | | Due with completion of report. |

- \$1,050 or current rate 1, 3, 6-month PAR after arrival in the US are required these reports are to be completed by a social worker and include 4 -6 photos. (current rate for a second child's report is \$350/report plus mileage and drive time if required in home)
- \$350 1 year PAR is required this report must be completed by a social worker and include a yearly progress report by adoptive parents (to include 4-6 good quality photos, a medical report for the child, and a report card (if applicable). (You will be charged the current rate for the PAR at the time of service, the current NHAA PAR rate is \$350/report for an additional child's report.)
- \$200 These reports will be completed by the adoptive family and must include 4 6 quality photos, a medical report for the child, and a report card (if applicable). A delivery fee will be charged for each yearly report at \$55/report or the current rate. (to be completed yearly until the child reaches 16 years old)
- If additional reports are required to be completed by a social worker you will be charged \$350/report or current rate,

| Family Direct In Country Expenses | | \$575 | |
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| Child's medical for visa | \$250 | | |
| Child's Visa | \$325 | | |
| Estimated Travel & Accommodations | | \$1,000 | |
| Estimated Airfare (1 child) | \$1,000 | Prices may vary based on preference an | nd time of travel |
| TOTAL OTHER COSTS ESTIMATES | | \$3,175 | |

TOTAL FEES & ESTIMATED EXPENSES

| ESTIMATED GRAND TOTAL |
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 (You may be eligible for the Federal Tax Credit which may reimburse your fees paid. To determine if you are eligible, please refer to the following web site: www.irs.gov/taxtopics/tc607.html)

\$ 28,675.00

 Note: As a humanitarian service to special needs and/or older children, fees may be reduced or waived based on the financial needs of the prospective family and assessed on a case-by-case basis by NHAA administration.

- Our agency does not customarily charge additional fees and expenses beyond those disclosed in the adoption services contract and has a written policy to this effect. Note: Disclosed fees are subject to change at any time upon written notification.
- **NOTE:** If obtaining Guardianship of the child(ren) is required to complete the adoption these fees will be passed onto you.

I have carefully reviewed and understand this document. Please sign and date this form and return to our office with your application.

Husband Signature

Date

Wife Signature

Date