# **Questions About Adoption? Our Permanency Navigator can help you find your way**

## A Permanency Navigator is ...

a trained expert who supports people before, during and after the process of adoption with specific expertise in adoption from the public child welfare system (foster care.) Finding loving, permanent, forever homes (permanency) for the youth being adopted is at the center.

### How can we help you?

We are available Monday through Friday, 9:00 am to 5:00 pm, to talk to families. We work in partnership with your social worker. The goal is to make certain you understand your process, feel supported and get your questions answered along the way.

## **Membership**

Get connected to a community of caring people who understand and support you in your adoption journey, every step of the way. More info – http://bit.ly/ancmember



## CONTACT

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## Adoption 101: Where Do I Begin?

For those who are just starting to think about becoming adoptive parents, we offer this overview workshop that explores a full range of options – public adoption from foster care, private infant adoption, and international.

TIME:	9:00 am to 1:00 pm
DATE OPTIONS:	Saturday, February 10, 2018 Saturday, May 12, 2018 Saturday, August 11, 2018 Saturday, November 17, 2018
COST:	<b>Member: \$20 per person, \$35 couple</b> Non-Member: \$30 person, \$55 couple +\$5 if paying the same day
	Includes extensive resource packet per person or couple. Light refreshments.
INFO + REGISTER:	http://bit.ly/a101wheredolbegin

#### Individualized Assistance: Adopting from Foster Care

For those who are exploring a public adoption, engaging the services of a Permanency Navigator is your next step. Get started by contacting Julius Jackson.

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## Adoption 201: Adopting Infants Domestically

For those who have attended Adoption 101 and who are exploring a private infant adoption, we offer this workshop to explain more details on the process, agency selection, family profiles, and the trends towards openness.

TIME:	6:00 to 8:00 pm
DATE OPTIONS:	Wednesday, April 11, 2018 Wednesday, May 23, 2018 Wednesday, September 19, 2018 Wednesday, November 28, 2018
COST:	<b>Member: \$15 per person, \$25 couple</b> Non-Member: \$20 person, \$35 couple +\$5 if paying the same day
INFO + REGISTER:	http://bit.ly/a201infants
LOCATION:	Adoption Network Cleveland 4614 Prospect Avenue, Suite 550 Cleveland, OH 44013 (216) 325-1000
	Prospect Park Building – on SE corner of E. 46 and Prospect Avenue. Look for black awning. A map is available on our website. FREE PARKING: On-street and in gated lot

(just east of our building) is available.