

General Discussion Meetings

2019 Dates and Locations



General Discussion Meetings: support and discussion groups for adult adoptees, birthparents, adoptive parents, siblings, and anyone interested in the lifelong journey of adoption.

- ▶ No Charge — attendees are encouraged to become Adoption Network Cleveland members
- ▶ No RSVP needed — unless CEUs are desired for topic meetings or for the Virtual Webcam meetings. See information below.

Cleveland-Area

Heights • Third Thursday • 7-9 p.m.

Church of the Saviour

2537 Lee Rd., Cleveland Heights, 44118

Jan. 17, **Feb. 21**, March 21, April 18, May 16,
June 20, July 18, Aug. 15, Sept. 19, **Oct. 17**,
Nov. 21, Dec. 19

Lake County • Last Tuesday • 7-9 p.m.

Mentor Baptist Church

7500 Johnnycake Ridge Road, Mentor, 44060

Jan. 29, Feb. 26, March 26, **April 30**, May 28,
June 25, July 30, **Aug. 27**, Sept. 24, Oct. 29,
Nov. 26, No meeting in Dec.

Rocky River • First Thursday • 7-9 p.m.

West Shore Unitarian Church

20401 Hilliard Dr., Rocky River, 44116

Jan. 3, Feb. 7, **March 7**, April 4, May 2, **June 6**,
No meeting in July, Aug. 1, **Sept. 5**, Oct. 3,
Nov. 7, **Dec. 5**

Summit County • Second Wednesday • 7-9 p.m.

MedPoint Health Center

650 Graham Rd., Cuyahoga Falls, 44221

Jan. 9, Feb. 13, March 13, April 10, **May 8**, June 12,
July 10, Aug. 14, Sept. 11, Oct. 9, **Nov. 13**, Dec. 11

Around Ohio and Online

Cincinnati • Third Saturday • 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Cincinnati Library (Hyde Park Branch)

2747 Erie Ave., Cincinnati, 45208

Jan. 19, Feb. 16, March 16, No Meeting in April,
May 18, June 15, July 20, Aug. 17, Sept. 21,
Oct. 19, Nov. 16, Dec. 21

Columbus • Second Tuesday • 7-8:30 p.m.

Columbus Metropolitan Library (Karl Rd. Branch)

5590 Karl Rd., Columbus, 43229

Jan. 8, Feb. 12, March 12, April 9, May 14,
June 11, July 9, Aug. 13, Sept. 10, Oct. 8,
Nov. 12, Dec. 10

Greater Miami Valley • Time and Location TBD

Contact Traci Onders for information

Virtual Webcam • Fourth Thursday • 8-10 p.m. EST

Pre-Registration required at <http://bit.ly/generalmtgs>

Jan. 24, Feb. 28, March 28, April 25, May 23,
June 27, July 25, Aug. 22, Sept. 26, Oct. 24,
No meeting in Nov., Dec. 26

Dates in bold are topic focused or panel discussions.
See reverse side for topic and CEU information.

For more information



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Check out our calendar at
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up-to-date information and any
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Panel Presentations and Topics

Throughout the year panels, as well as focused discussions, are held on various adoption-related topics. CEUs are available only at the Rocky River and Heights Meetings.

Feb. 21 • Cleveland Heights (CEU's)

The Need for Support Before, During and After Search

March 7 • Rocky River (CEU's)

Search and Reunion: The Emotional Journey

April 30 • Lake County

Sharing the Truth along the Journey of Adoption

May 8 • Summit County

Identity as a Core Issue in Adoption

June 6 • Rocky River (CEU's)

The Impact of Social Media in Adoption

August 27 • Lake County

Expectations in Search and Reunion

Sept. 5 • 2019 Rocky River (CEU's)

Grief and Loss in Adoption

Oct. 17 • Cleveland Heights (CEU's)

Vulnerability as a Strength in Adoption

Nov. 13 • Summit County

Belonging to Two Families-How Adoptees Find a Balance

Dec. 5 • Rocky River (CEU's)

The Male Perspective on Adoption

Social Work and Counselor CEUs

Continuing Education Units are available for \$15 for social workers and counselors for meetings indicated above. Contact Traci Onders to RSVP for CEU credit at least 48 hours prior to the meeting.

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Facebook Group?

Ohio Adoption Search
and Reunion - Adoption
Network Cleveland

Find the group on
Facebook and ask to join.

Join Us!

Adoption Network Cleveland is a membership-based organization. Although our programs are open to the public and free, we ask those who utilize our services to become members. For membership information visit:

<http://bit.ly/JoinANC>

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