



# Adoption Law

Universally, clients engaged in adoption proceedings want to make sure their rights are protected and their wishes respected. Foster Swift's knowledgeable attorneys have the resources to guide you through a domestic adoption anywhere in the state of Michigan, including the adoption of children located out of state. With careful attention to detail in the complicated adoption process, Foster Swift attorneys work to ensure that your adoption is as smooth as possible and to help reduce the stress associated with the very emotional adoption process. Foster Swift adoption practitioners have an extensive domestic adoption practice, including direct placement, guardian, extended family and step-parent adoptions, along with the private termination of parental rights when required.

Foster Swift attorneys have represented both birth parents and adoptive families. Additionally, Foster Swift has experienced attorneys to advise on common issues related to adoption such as guardianship, parental rights, immigration, and estate planning for your changing family.

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Family law blog provides a plain English legal perspective, June 25, 2019

Grand Rapids Attorney Receives Outstanding Achievement Award from State Bar of Michigan, August 4, 2016

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