

Your desire and efforts can give home and shelter to a homeless child

Adopting a homeless or an orphaned child

Adopting a child is legally valid (Section 22, Juvenile Justice Act)



Child Welfare Committee has certified that one is free to adopt any child less than six years of age.



A child can be legally adopted only through specialized adoption agencies duly approved and licensed by the state government.



Centralised Adoption Resource Authority (CARA) is the designated central agency by the Government of India and is responsible for issuing guidelines and rules related to the adoption of Indian children.

To adopt an orphan or a homeless child:



- Desirous parents can register online.
- Application form can be filled at www.cara.nic.in.



- District Child Protection Officer can be visited.