

## Costs

### **Subscribing organisations**

£565 plus VAT  
Up to 10 participants (one trainer)

£930 plus VAT  
11-25 participants (two trainers)

### **Non subscribing organisations**

£645 plus VAT  
Up to 10 participants (one trainer)

£1150 plus VAT  
11-25 participants (two trainers)

The above prices exclude VAT, travel costs and where appropriate overnight accommodation and costs. There would be an additional supplement for groups larger than 25.

For further details please contact the administration team at IAC on 0208 449 2562

## **Intercountry Adoption Centre**

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### **Comments, Compliments and Complaints**

IAC welcomes comments on the services provided. If you have suggestions or wish to complain about a service please request our leaflet 'Comments, Compliments and Complaints'.

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**Intercountry Adoption**

**Training Programmes for Professionals**

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### **Training at Barnet**

IAC offers a range of training programmes for professionals at the Barnet Training Centre throughout the year.

Regular courses offered include:

#### **An introduction to legislation, procedures and practice issues in intercountry adoption.**

This course is designed for social workers or panel members new to intercountry adoption work and covers legislation, procedure, assessment of intercountry adopters and research outcomes.

#### **Health, Development and Social needs of children adopted from overseas**

This course is of benefit to any professional working within the field of intercountry adoption including Medical Advisors, Social Workers, Panel members, Health Visitors, GP's and other health professionals. The day covers the health needs of children coming into the UK from overseas, speech and language needs and research outcomes.

#### **Adoption Support needs in Intercountry Adoption**

A course for workers within Adoption Support teams and focusing on the post

placement needs of children from placement through to the adult years. Courses are advertised in the news section of the IAC web site and through the subscriber bulletin.

#### **Intercountry Adoption: The perspective of the adult adoptee**

This course is designed for social work staff working in the area of Intercountry adoption and adoption support. The day will cover issues connected with identity and belonging, returning to the birth country, search and reunion, with contributions from Intercountry adoptees.

#### **All courses:**

#### **Subscribing organisations:**

£90 plus VAT

#### **Non subscribing organisations:**

£110 plus VAT

#### **Bespoke Training Courses**

IAC also offers bespoke training courses for adoption social workers, their managers and for adoption panel members, panel advisors and administrators. The courses can be held

at Barnet or at a venue provided by the commissioning agency.

Each course is tailored to the needs of the commissioning agency but often will include topics from the following menu:

- A general introduction to intercountry adoption legislation, the Hague Convention and the different types of adoption
- Process and procedure and the duties of the adoption agency
- The UK as a State of Origin
- The pros and cons of intercountry adoption
- The countries overseas and their perspective and criteria
- Assessing intercountry adopters and evidencing adopter potential at Panel
- Research outcomes and signposting

Most courses run over one day.