

FY2015 Adoption Footnotes

Element	State	Note
A00	Louisiana	SEVERAL AFCARS DATA EXTRACTION CODE REVISIONS WERE COMPLETED PER TA REPORT FROM NRCCWDT.
A00	Louisiana	THIS IS OUR USUAL ADOPTION SUBMISSION. THANK YOU.
A00	Nebraska	NO CHANGES
A00	Utah	There are a total of 19 adoption maintenance cases that did not come from FC cases.
A00	Utah	There are a total of 24 adoption maintenance cases that did not come from FC cases.
A01	Utah	Single AD father (grandpa) passed away- so there is a deceased date. No second TPR date as there was no mother.
A01	Utah	Record 000036692391 and 000036677793: Mother is deceased thus no TPR date on Mother. Deceased date is on record.
A02	Utah	Single adoptive mother relinquished parental rights. No 2nd TPR date.
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A02	Utah	Record 000043212892 - Single adoptive mother relinquished her parental rights. There is no TPR on a father.
A03	Florida	SYSTEM GENERATED AFCARS ID NUMBER IS ENCRYPTED.
A03	Iowa	Record numbers are encrypted in data submission.
A04	Iowa	The extract does not reflect private adoptions.
A05	Iowa	A date of birth is required. We do not estimate date of birth
A05	Michigan	ALL CHILDREN IDENTIFIED AS 18 YEARS OR OLDER ARE STILL WARDS OF THE STATE AND ARE CONSIDERED DEPENDENT CHILDREN
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A09	Iowa	Special needs includes: retardation; blind; deaf; physical; medical, emotional, or learning disability; substance abuse; racial background; age; sibling group; and delinquency.
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A15	Iowa	Other conditions include a medical learning disability, medical condition, medical alcohol abuse and drug abuse.
A17	Michigan	AGENCY REPORTED BIRTH YEAR OF BIRTH FATHER AS UNKNOWN. IN SOME CASES WHEN THE EXACT YEAR OF BIRTH WAS UNKNOWN, AN ESTIMATED YEAR WAS ENTERED.

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A19	Montana	Customary adoptions through tribal courts require a tribal court to have legal authority over the child and modify the custodial and legal relationship of the birth parents with the child but do not terminate the birth parent's rights.
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A29	Iowa	Iowa does not track non-welfare stepparent adoptions.
A30	Iowa	Iowa law defines relative as the fourth degree of consanguinity.
A33	Iowa	Due to Iowa law, we do not perform adoptions that would be considered as "another country" -- AFCARS value 3.
A34	Iowa	The extract does not reflect private, independent, tribal adoptions, birth parent adoptions.
A35	Florida	CODED YES IF PAYMENT WAS MADE FOR MAINTENANCE SUBSIDY, WHETHER OR NOT TITLE IV-E.
A36	Florida	MOST RECENT MONTHLY AMOUNT PAID BASED ON MOST RECENT ADOPTION SUBSIDY AGREEMENT IN THE REPORT PERIOD
A37	Florida	CODED YES IF PAYMENT WAS MADE FOR MAINTENANCE SUBSIDY, TITLE IV-E.