



MARIE DOLFI, LCSW

Marie is a NYS licensed clinical social worker. She has her Masters Degree in Social Work from the State University of New York at Albany. After a number of years working as a clinician in inpatient & outpatient settings, Marie decided to specialize her private practice to working with adoption triad members & prospective adoptive parents. Marie has participated in extensive training on adoption issues to become an adoption competent therapist.

MEMBERSHIPS

Adoptive Families of the Capital Region

Adoptive & Foster Family Coalition NY

American Adoption Congress

North American Council on Adoptable Children

National Association of Social Workers

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Specializing in
Pre & Post Adoption
Services for
Members of the
Adoption Constellation

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SERVICES FOR PROSPECTIVE ADOPTIVE PARENTS

How to Adopt Sessions

Appointments review the different types of adoption (foster care, private domestic & international) and the adoption process. Sessions are individualized to meet each client's informational needs, interests and concerns.

Adoption Home Studies

Respectful domestic private agency and private placement (non-agency) home studies are available that document prospective adoptive parent's background and help applicants learn about adoption issues.

Post Placement Reports

Home visits for recent placements and reports documenting how a child and prospective adoptive parents are doing so their adoption can be finalized.

Child placement services are not provided.

PRE & POST ADOPTION COUNSELING SERVICES

Counseling services are available for adopted individuals (youth and adults), adoptive families, birth/first parents & individuals considering building a family by adoption. Marie understands that adoption can be an emotional and complicated journey and guidance and support can be helpful. Marie works with clients to clarify problem areas and goals they hope to achieve. Both short term consultation and long term counseling are available.

Please call for information on fees & insurances accepted

Appointments are scheduled in advance by phone. Day and evening appointments are available.



TRAINING FOR ADOPTIVE FAMILIES & MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

Training is available on a variety of adoption topics for professionals, adopted adults, adoptive parents and prospective adoptive parents. Some of the topics Marie has presented include: Working With Individuals Whose Lives Have Been Impacted by Adoption, Core Issues of Adoption, Responding to Unnecessary Adoption Comments with Education & Humor, and Helping Adoptive Families With Difficult Conversations.

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