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A Loving Choice Adoption Associates					World Child, Delaware	2009
Adoptions from the Heart	The Adoption Agency					
Agency has Files					Harlem Dowling, NY	12/2013
Agency has Files					Juvenile Justice, PA	
Agency has files					Tabor, PA	10/2010
Bethany Chistian Services	Bethany Christian Home					
Better Living Adoption Services					Carolina Adoptions	2015
Better Living Adoption Services					Growing Families	12/2006
Better Living Adoption Services					Journey Home	04/2008
Better Living Adoption Services					With Hope and Love	08/2010
Better Living Adoption Services					Children World Association (CWA), North Carolina	
Catholic Charities, Diocese of Trenton	Catholic Welfare Bureau	St. Micheal's Hopewell				
Catholic Charities, Diocese of Trenton					Merger	09/2009
Catholic Charities, Metuchen		Jewish Family Services				
Catholic Community Services	Catholic Charities/ Catholic Children's Aide Assn.					
Catholic Guardian					Catholic Home Bureau	Merger
Catholic Social Services	Catholic Aid Society/ Children's Aid and Protective Society					
Children's Aid and Family Services	Children's Aid & Adoption Society/ Children's Aid & Protective Society	Sister Mary Eugene Foundation				
Children's Home Society of NJ		Adoption Placement Services, Inc.	W. Jersey Orphnage for Destitute Colored Children/ NJ Children's Home			

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Christian Homes for Children	Christian Home for Orphan Children	Good Will Home and Missions	Christian Home for Orphan Children			
Conklin Youth Center	Mr. Bratts's Home/ Edna B. Conklin Welfare Home					
Family & Children's Services (Elizabeth)	Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children/ Family and Children's Society					
Family Options					American Adoptions-Sharon checking with OOL	07/2010
Files in Paterson/ Catholic Charities of Newark has custody of files					Catholic Family, Paterson	
Golden Cradle	Golden Cradle Home					
Golden Cradle Adoption Services					Families through International Adoption (FTIA)	05/2008
HOLT International Children's Services					Reaching Out	07/2008
HOLT International Children's Services					Seedlings	
Homestudies and Adoption Placement S	Homestudies, Inc				Adopt a Miracle	
Homestudies and Adoption Placement S					AMOR, Matawan NJ	
Homestudies and Adoption Placement Svs					Christian Homes for Children, Hackensack NJ	
Homestudies and Adoption Placement S					Adopt a Miracle, Warren NJ	
Jewish Family and Children Services of Monmouth County	Jewish Family and Children				Branch; Adoption House (closed 7/2010)	
Jewish Family and Children Service of Monmouth County					Family & Children's Services, Long Branch	03/2008
Jewish Family and Children's Service of Greater Philadelphia					Jewish Family Services, Cherry Hill	10/2008
Jewish Family of MetroWest	Jewish Counseling and Service Agency/ Jewish Family Service	Jewish Family Services of South Middlesex County				

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Jewish Family Services, Philadelphia					Jewish Family Services, Cherry Hill (Samost); Jewish Family Services, Metro-West (closed)	09/2012
Lutheran Social Ministries	Lutheran Social Services/ Lutheran Welfare Assn.					
Madison Adoption Associates/Catholic Guardian/ A Loving Choice Adoption					Adoption House	07/2018
Madison, Delaware					Welcome House, PA	07/2012
Madison Adoption Associates					The New Jersey Welcome House (Pearl S. Buck Institute) (via Leonette Boiarski)	
Madison, Delaware; A Loving Choice has two files					Jewish Child Care NY	08/2015
Morris County Board of Social Services	Morris County Welfare Board	Morris County Children's Home	Morris County Children's Home			
NJ Division of Child Protection and Permanency (DYFS now DCP&P)	Bureau of Children's Services/ State Board of Children's Guardians/ State Board of Child Welfare	Spaulding for Children/Spaulding; Children of the World (COW)				5/2007
No Files					PERL	08/2007
Refused to give up - kept NJ files					Friends in Adoption VT	05/2010
Refused to give up; State of Texas has the files					Adoption Services, Texas	09/2009
Sisters of St. Joseph of Peace	St. Michael Provincial House/ St. Michael Villa	Barbara Giveranaud Orphanage/ St. Joseph's Home				
The below data is from the NJ Office of Adoption Licensing and YCS						
Unknown					Brookwood Child Care	06/2003
Unknown					Graham Windham	02/2004

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Unknown					New York Foundling	12/2006
Unknown					Small World	03/2007
YCS (Youth Consulation Services/ Search and Reunion Program)					Goodwill Home	
YCS (Youth Consulation Services/ Search and Reunion Program)					Home for Friendless	
YCS (Youth Consulation Services/ Search and Reunion Program)					Jersey City Orphanage	
YCS (Youth Consulation Services/ Search and Reunion Program)					Ft Lee Orphanage / The Christian Home for Children of	
YCS (Youth Consulation Services/ Search and Reunion Program)					Newark Home for Foster Care	
YCS (Youth Consulation Services/ Search and Reunion Program)					Newark Orphan Asylum	
YCS (Youth Consulation Services/ Search and Reunion Program)					Protestant Foster Home	
YCS (Youth Consulation Services/ Search and Reunion Program)					Children's Aid Society (Newark, closed in 1960s)	
YCS (Youth Consulation Services/ Search and Reunion Program)	Children's Aid Society/ Child Service Assn	Florence Crittendon Home		Newark Foster Home		
YCS (Youth Consulation Services/ Search and Reunion Program)					Christian Homes For Children / The Christian Home for Orphan	
YCS (Youth Consulation Services/ Search and Reunion Program)					Christian Homes	