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WHAT IS FAMILY FORWARD?

Prospective parents can receive up to a 3% interest rate reduction on loans that can be used for qualified adoption expenses up to \$50,000. Qualified adoption expenses include (but are not limited to) adoption agency expenses, court and legal fees, expenses incurred on behalf of the birth mother, health and psychological exam fees, home studies, and travel expenses.

By chipping away at these financial barriers, Family Forward can help families take shape and lead more children into loving homes.

HOW DO I QUALIFY?

Participants **MUST**:

- · Be an Ohio resident
- Provide an approved home study letter or show proof that all requirements set forth by the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services have been met
- Receive approval for a qualifying loan from a financial institution



HOW DO I GET STARTED?

1

Visit ohiotreasurer.gov/FamilyForward for more information and to view a list of participating financial institutions.

2

After completing the necessary home study, apply for a qualifying loan from a participating financial institution.

3

After loan terms are determined, the loan officer completes and submits the Family Forward application on behalf of the applicants.

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