



VISTA DEL MAR  
CHILD & FAMILY SERVICES

# PRE-ADOPTION SUPPORT GROUPS

For those considering adoption and those waiting to become parents through adoption

Wednesday evenings

7:00-8:30 P.M.

8 Session Commitment – **limited seating**

\$30 per couple per session, \$15 per person

September 23 – November 11

- ✚ Is adoption right for you
- ✚ What to do while you are waiting
- ✚ Preparing for parenting when you don't know when it will happen
- ✚ How to talk to kids about adoption
- ✚ Share thoughts and feelings with others in the same situation
- ✚ Preparing friends and family for your child's arrival

**Carole LieberWilkins - facilitator**

Marriage and Family Therapist

Carole LieberWilkins is a Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist in private practice in West Los Angeles, providing individual, couples and group counseling. A specialist in the field of reproductive medicine, adoption and family building options since 1986, she became a founding member of Resolve of Greater Los Angeles in 1987, serving on the Board of Directors and facilitating support groups for many years.

She is well known for her work regarding disclosure of information to children, having helped hundreds of patients feel comfortable about talking with their kids about how they built their families. Many clinics and practitioners around the world distribute to patients her groundbreaking article, [Talking With Children About Their Conception](#).

Her own experience creating a family through adoption and ovum donation deepens her understanding of the challenges others face when exploring these complex family building options.

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