PARENTING QUESTIONNAIRE

Αŗ	oplicant's Name: Date:
1.	What do you see as your role (duties/responsibilities/privileges) as a parent?
2.	If applicable, what do you see as your spouse/significant other's role?
3.	What are the most important factors to you in child rearing? Do you and your spouse/significant other agree on the importance of these factors?
4.	What method of discipline do you use?
5.	What values/morals will you instill in your adopted child(ren) that would help the child develop or maintain their identity?
6.	What do you like or think you will enjoy about becoming an adoptive parent?
7.	What do you think is/will be most challenging about being an adoptive parent(s) and how do you plan to address this?
8.	What type of behavior exhibited by your adopted child(ren) would be most upsetting to you? How would you help the child(ren) deal with their behavior?

9.	How would you explain sexuality to your adopted child(ren)?
10.	When and how do you plan to teach your adopted child(ren) about inappropriate sexual behavior? (i.e., good and bad touch, etc.)
11.	What changes do you expect with your spouse/significant other when the child(ren) come into your home?
12.	What changes do you expect with your biological child(ren) when adopted child(ren) come into the home? How do you plan to address the conflict?
13.	Have you discussed your adoption plans with immediate/extended family? If so, what are their feelings/opinions? If not, why?
14.	Please tell us about childcare arrangements and other social/family supports.
15.	How will you ensure that placement of the child(ren) in your home will not interfere or diminish the child(ren)'s right to his/her culture and heritage?
16.	How do you deal with family crisis in your home?
17.	What are your expectations of the child(ren) you will adopt?