

Let's Talk Adoption Conference March 5, 2022 - Strengthening Our Bonds | Supporting Their Needs

Conference at a Glance

Session	Time	Title	Presenter
	8:50	Conference Zoom Opens	
Welcome	9:00-9:15		
Keynote	9:15-10:15	Supporting Needs and Strengthening Bonds in Adoption	Jeanette Yoffe, M.A., M.F.T.
Break	10:15-10:30		
A	10:30-12:00	Ten Parenting Skills an Adoptee Wants Every Parent to Know	Jeanette Yoffe, M.A., M.F.T.
A	10:30-12:00	White Parents who are Parenting Children of Color: Navigating Race and Identity	Dr. Margaret O'Donoghue
A	10:30-12:00	Introduction to Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity and Gender Expression	Stacy Robustelli, PhD, Director of Education, HiTOPS, Inc.
Lunch	12:00-12:30		
B	12:30-2:00	Love Can't Replace Identity	Dr. Jane Aronson
B	12:30-2:00	Adoption: A Life Long Loss How Adoption Impacts Life Transitions	Rebecca Gallese, LCSW, NJ Adoption Resource Clearing House
Break	2:00-2:15		
C	2:15-3:15	Incorporating Emotional Intelligence and Maintaining Family Relationships in Chaotic Times	Jacqueline Adams, LCSW, Children's Aid and Family Services Inc.
C	2:15-3:15	Insight on Effective and Open Communication with your Adopted Child (Adult Adoptee Panel)	Facilitator: Yael Adler, Romanian Adoptee, Advocate, and Author of From Gypsy to Jersey: An Adoption Journey
C	2:15-3:15	Pre- and Post-Adoption Social Media & Cybersecurity Do's & Don'ts	Michele Kriegman, CISSP, CISM
	3:15-4:00	Wrap up and Exhibitors/Break Out Rooms	