



Adoption adds a layer of complexity to an already confusing life event - puberty!

How can we lead the way through new situations and lend a hand without alienating our changing children?

How do we reinforce our family structure and set the stage for a smooth adolescence?

A Parenting Workshop hosted by FCC Indiana

# Adoption-Parenting Your Tweenie

Help your child with:

- Change and transition (middle school!)
- Making friends
- Anxiety
- The significance of puberty (and 'risky business')
- Sensory issues
- Empowerment

**Date:** Saturday, April 28, 2007  
**Time:** 9:00am - 12:45pm  
**Place:** International Medical Group (IMG)  
 2960 N. Meridian Street  
 Indianapolis, IN  
**Cost:** FCC members \$2  
 Non-FCC Members \$5

Jean MacLeod's books "At Home in this World" and "Adoption Parenting: Creating a Toolbox, Building Connections" will be available for purchase and autographing, if we receive a sufficient number of requests, so please note your interest on the form below.

**Presenters**

DORIS LANDRY, MS, LLP, Adoption & Attachment Specialist  
 Doris@adoptionparenting.net, www.adoptionparenting.net, family therapist with a Master's Degree in Clinical Psychology, has worked with children adopted domestically and internationally, and has focused on treating children from Eastern Europe and Asia who are experiencing adoption or attachment issues.

JEAN MACLEOD, Author & Editor, Jean@TheWriteMagic.com, www.TheWriteMagic.com, free-lance writer and editor, whose work has been published in Adoptive Families Magazine, Adoption TODAY, and in adoption essay books. She holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in English/ Creative Writing and Masters credits in Library and Information Science, and also has three daughters (ages 17, 11, and 7), two of whom were adopted from China.

## Registration Requested by April 14<sup>th</sup> to Ensure Adequate Space

\* and interested parents of younger children (who want to know what to expect!)

**Adoption-Parenting Your Tweenie - Checks Payable to FCC-IN**

Names of adults attending:	Phone:	E-mail:
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<b>TOTAL</b>	_____

Yes, I would like to purchase one of Jean's books     At Home in This World     Adoption Parenting

Mail registrations to:  
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