CONFUSED ABOUT THE BEST WAY TO START A FAMILY? Consider a consultation with an attorney who is experienced in both assisted reproduction and adoption law . . .

Confused about the best way to build a family? There are more ways than ever to start or add to your family. Fertility clinics are plentiful, and there are a myriad of ways to get pregnant and have a child carried to term. Adoption choices are even more mind boggling -- there are over 20 licensed agencies in North Carolina alone offering international as well as domestic adoption. There are also adoption network consultants, facilitators and advertising services all over the United States.

Attorney E. Parker Herring is a Board Certified Family Law Specialist and the founder and director of a North Carolina based adoption agency — A Child's Hope. In each consultation she draws on her experiences as an adoptive mother of two boys and as a biological mother of a daughter born as the result of advanced assisted reproduction techniques. She has handled over 500 adoptions and regularly handles assisted reproduction contracts as part of her law practice.

A consultation takes about an hour to an hour and a half in her downtown Raleigh offices. She covers the following topics and you are given a wealth of written materials to help you decide the best way for you to build a family. The consultation fee is \$300.

*Choices in Fertility
(Donors, Surrogacy and Legalities)

*Adoption Consultants (Advertisers, Facilitators, Consultants)

*Financing Adoption/Fertility Treatments

*Domestic Adoptions (Agency, Indep., ICPC, Age, Cost, etc.)

*Older children & special needs

*Overview of North Carolina Agencies

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