## Some of our Families













## **Support Group Activities**

TAP meets the fourth Saturday of each month except, May (we hold our annual fundraiser), July (our swim picnic), August (vacation), November (our annual conference), and December (Christmas Party).

"It's just good to be around people who get it" *Adoptive Parent* 

The motto for our meetings is the three F's

Family Food & Fun

#### What TAP means to me-

bringing adopted "kids" of all ages together to have fun creating adoption awareness to the attention of the public just talking to other TAP parents going to the annual TAP events like the summer picnic and holiday party and having my children interact with other adopted "kids" *Adoptive Parent* 

We have age appropriate activities for the children and youth.

We meet at Montgomery County Community College in Blue Bell, PA

**Contact Information** 

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Providing support, guidance, and information to the adoption, foster and kinship community.

www.taplink.org

Together as Adoptive Parents, Inc. (TAP) is non-profit, multi-racial adoptive, foster, and kinship parent group. Most of TAP's members have adopted children with special needs from the foster care system.

Our mission is to provide a support network among parents, to disseminate information and implement programs which promote the well being of the children, adoptive, foster, and kinship family.

By working closely with both public and private adoption agencies, TAP is able to accomplish this.

TAP believes that the adoption, foster, or kinship road should never be walked alone and that no family or child should have to figure out where to find help.

We offer the following programs

- A quarterly newsletter, *Taproot*
- A website, <u>www.taplink.org</u>
- A helpline, 215/256.0669
- Monthly parenting education meetings
- Various social events held throughout the year
- Parent Group Leadership Training
- Lending Library
- Information and Referral Services
- Conferences
- Adoption Subsidy information and training

# Our web site www.taplink.org

Taplink is a statewide web site that is dedicated to providing detailed information regarding community supports that are available to adoptive, foster and kinship parents in Pennsylvania.

This web site has over 400 web pages and covers the following information:

- Therapists trained in adoption issues
- Respite care providers
- Camps for children with disabilities
- Support groups in each county
- Tutors for children with special needs
- IEP (Individualized Education Program) help
- Special Education Mediation
- Information on the Medical Assistance Card
- Conferences, workshops, social events Subsidy Information, and much more

### **TAPLINK**

Promoting permanency by Providing comprehensive support to adoptive, foster and kinship families

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