SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF VENTURA
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FORMS:	**ADULT ADOPTION**
Last Revision Date	February 18 2026
Purpose	These forms are used to adopt a person who is 18 or older (the adult).
Required Forms	You can access the forms by clicking on the highlighted form number below. • Petition for Approval of Adoption Agreement (Adult): VN-201 • Adoption Agreement (Adult): VN-202 • Consent to Adoption (Adult): VN-203 • Order of Adoption (Adult): VN-204
Filing Fee	There is a filing fee due at filing. To apply for a fee waiver, prepare and file: • Request to Waiver Court Fees: FW-001 • Order on Court Fee Waiver: FW-003
Online Form Preparation Program	There is not an online form preparation program available at this time. Please contact the Self-Help Legal Access Center for assistance.
Resources & Guides	• Adult adoption in California | California Courts | Self Help Guide
Assistance	Parties without an attorney may receive help from the Self-Help Legal Access Center (Civil Self-Help Center). To request help: • Complete an intake here: Self-Help Legal Access Center Intake • Contact us by phone or make an appointment. For contact information, click here: SHLAC Flyer [Español]