



MAINE

STATUTE: M.R.S. § 4018

DETAILS

What are the age restrictions?

The infant must be thirty-one (31) days old or younger.

Who can relinquish the infant?

The unharmed newborn may be anonymously relinquished by the parent of the child who does not intend to return for the child.

Who are Maine Safe Haven Providers?

- Any on-duty staff member at a:
 - Hospital
 - Law Enforcement Officer
 - Medical Service Provider

Is there anything else I need to know?

- Infant must be directly handed to provider, or an infant safety device at designated location if one is available. If there are not staff at a specific location please call 1-888-510-2229 for help.
- Provider to notify Department of Health & Human Services as soon as possible.