



ARKANSAS

STATUTE: A.C.A. 9-34-202

DETAILS

What are the age restrictions?

The infant must be thirty (30) days old or younger.

Who can relinquish the infant?

The unharmed newborn may be anonymously relinquished by the parent of the child.

Who are Arkansas Safe Haven Providers?

- Any on-duty staff member at a:
 - Hospital Emergency Department
 - Law Enforcement Officer

Is there anything else I need to know?

- Infant must be directly handed to provider or may utilize 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.
- The provider will notify the Division of Children & Family Services (DCFS) within 24 hours of relinquishment.