

Directions

Values: Identifying Assumptions

1. Choose a scribe and a reporter in your group.
2. The scribe will write a "**Belief**" with one color marker and the "**Effect on Practice**" (beneath the belief) with another color marker.
3. Identify beliefs and assumptions that you have heard about adoption from relatives, friends, television, radio, newspapers, etc. and record on left side.
4. Each group will examine at least two assumptions and identify how these beliefs / assumptions can turn into values that limit and prevent making adoptive placements.