About Pre-Adoption Birth Certificates (PACs)

Although legislation regarding Pre-Adoption Birth Certificates (PACs) was written to include the local registrar’s office; we do not have access to the original files and therefore, cannot issue PACs. Adoptees can apply through the Bureau of Vital Records as follows:


or

https://www.health.ny.gov/vital_records/preadoption.htm

For more information contact the NYS Dept. of Health Bureau of Vital Records (BVR) at 1-855-322-1022.