Family Deposit

Institution: Ministry of Social Affairs (National Institute of Child Protection).

Service: Social Promotion.

Field of service: child deposit at the National Institute for Child Protection.

Conditions of the service

Children aged between one day and 6 months.

- Deposit authorization from Family judge or a request from child protection officer or an authorization from the Ministry of Interior and Local Development departments, or

request from the mother.

Required Documents

- 1) Deposit authorization of Family judge or a request from child protection officer or an authorization from the Ministry of Interior and Local Development departments.
- 2) The child birth certificate.
- 3) The child's health booklet.
- 4) A medical certificate on the health status of the child.
- 5) A copy of the national identity card of the mother or her tutor, and of the father in case of his availability.
- 6) View of the case by the social assistant undertaking the situation.
- 7) A Report by the child protection officer.

	Stages of the service	Stakeholders	Dates of service
Either:		- The Family Judge	-Immediately in emergency cases and on
•	Permission to deposit	- The child protection officer	fixed appointment
•	Or deposit request	- The Ministry of Interior and Local	-Immediately when there is a vacancy in
•	Or harness or occasional acceptance request	Development departments - The National Institute for Child Protection	the other cases.
•	Acceptance of the child	 -Or Living units of the associations contracting with the institute. 	

Where to submit the application

Section:

- National Institute for Child Protection
- Or living units of the associations contracting with the Institute

Address:

- National Institute for Child Protection, 01 Rue Gibran Khalil Gibran 2010 Manouba
- Or living units of the associations contracting with the Institute.

Date of providing the service

- Immediately after submission of the deposit request in emergency cases and on a fixed appointment in the other cases.
- Immediately after submission of the deposit request or its authorization when there is a vacancy in the living units.

Where to get the service

Section:

- National Institute for Child Protection
- Or living units of the associations contracting with the Institute
- Hospitals or maternity centers in exceptional cases

Address:

- National Institute for Child Protection, 01, rue Jabrane Khalil Jabrane-2010 Manouba- Tunisie.
- Or living units of the associations contracting with the Institute.

Legislative References and/or ordinal

- Law No. 27 of 1958, dated March 4, 1958 regarding adoption law and child custody enacted with the law of 69 Of June 19,1959. Law No 75 of 1998, dated October 1998 regarding the attribution of a family name for abandoned children or children of unknown parentage.