



**FOR PARENTS IN
TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE (TDCJ)
Texas State Prisons**

Biological father:

- The mother of the child listed below has identified you as the father of this child. If you are certain that you are the biological father of the child and want to become the legal father, you may take this worksheet to the law librarian and sign an Acknowledgment of Paternity (AOP)

Presumed father:

- The mother of the child listed below has identified another man as the father of this child. If you are certain you are not the biological father of this child, you may take this worksheet to the law librarian and sign the Denial of Paternity section of the Acknowledgment of Paternity (AOP).

MOTHER:

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| First Name | Middle Name | Last Name |
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CHILD:

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| First Name | Middle Name | Last Name |
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| Date of Birth | City | County | State |
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AOP faxed to VSU by TDCJ certified staff: _____

After the AOP has been faxed, the incarcerated parent should send this worksheet to the other parent along with the completed portion of the **Application for a New Birth Certificate Based on Parentage** (Revised 12/2005), if applicable.