



NEW YORK

STATUTE: NY CLS PENAL § 260.15

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 relinquished by the parent and did not express an intent to return for the child.

Who are New York Safe Haven Providers?

- Any on-duty staff member at a:
 - Hospital
 - Police Station
 - Fire Station

Is there anything else I need to know?

- Infant must be directly handed to provider.
- Provider to immediately notify Office of Children and Family Services.

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