

## Standard Symbols for Genograms



## Symbols Denoting Addiction, and Physical or Mental Illness



Lesbian couple whose daughter was conceived with egg of one partner and sperm donor.



Artificial Insemination

Gay Couple whose daughter was conceived with sperm of John and an egg donor, and carried by surrogate mother till birth.



## Foster Children



Husband, His Current Wife and his Ex-Wives (who are shown lower and smaller). Husband's wives may go on left to be closest to him. Indicators "1st," "2nd" etc. make clear the oader of his marriages.



2 Wife, Her Current Husband and her Ex-Husbands (who are shown lower and smaller). Wife's previous relationships are shown on left to keep children in birth order, since they remained in her custody.



3 Couple with 3 year old, showing their previous spouses (smaller) and those spouses' new partners (even smaller)



4 Couple living with their joint child and her child from a previous relationship. The other spouses of the partners are shown smaller and lower on either side of the present household, indicated by a dotted line.

