



Contents

Acknowledgements vii

Contributors ix

Kate's story 1

Lisa's story 6

Part One: Overview

- 1 Getting Kids 11
 LISA A. MULHOLLAND
- 2 Family Structures 21
 KATE GRIFFIN
- 3 The World Outside 41
 LISA A. MULHOLLAND
- 4 Identity and Community 53
 KATE GRIFFIN

Part Two: Country Profiles

Albania 71
ANTONIA YOUNG

Austria 74
BARBARA FRÖHLICH

Belgium 77
CLAIRE TISJBAERT

Bulgaria 82

LISA A. MULHOLLAND

Croatia 84

LISA A. MULHOLLAND

Czech Republic 87

DÁŠA FRANČÍKOVÁ

Denmark 91

INGE-LISE PAULSEN AND VIBEKE NISSEN

Estonia 99

LILIAN KOTTER

Finland 104

KATI MUSTOLA AND PAULA KUOSMANEN

France 111

AUDREY VAN TUYCKOM AND
MICHELE DE DOBBELEER

Germany 115

MONIKA WIENBECK

Greece 126

IRENE PETROPOULOU

Hungary 129

JENNIFER C. BROWN

Ireland 133

PATRICIA PRENDIVILLE

Italy 140

DANIELA DANNA

Latvia 148

NICOLA WILLIAMS

Lithuania 152

MAUREEN SHARP

The Netherlands 158

SHELLEY ANDERSON

Norway 168

GRO LINDSTAD

Poland 172

THOMAS E. LAVELL III

Portugal 179

ADELAIDE PENHA e COSTA

Russia 183

MASHA GESSEN

Serbia 188

LISA A. MULHOLLAND

Slovakia 192

HANNAH WOLFSON

Slovenia 198

ALENKA PUHAR

Spain 203

PERE CRUELLS

Sweden 206

CECILIA BERGGREN

Switzerland 212

RUTH HOWALD

Turkey 215

LISA A. MULHOLLAND

United Kingdom 217

CATHERINE DONOVAN

Bibliography 225