

How You Can Help

Recognize

Know the signs



Report

Call the tipline about suspicious activity



Respond

HSI will respond to your call by assisting victims and targeting traffickers



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Report Suspected Human Trafficking



1-866-347-2423

If you or someone you know is in immediate danger, please call 911.

Download the HSI Tipline contact card to your smartphone now.

www.ice.gov/tipline



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Strategic Targeted Outreach Program, a new initiative driven by Homeland Security Investigations (HSI) to mitigate trafficking by engaging key industries and raising public awareness to **RECOGNIZE & REPORT** trafficking.

HSI will **RESPOND** to your call to action.

HSI's Mission to Combat Human Trafficking is Two-Fold:

1. Identify, disrupt and dismantle cross-border human trafficking organizations and minimize the risk they pose to national security and public safety.
2. Employ a victim-centered approach, whereby equal value is placed on the identification, rescue, and stabilization of victims as well as on the deterrence, investigation, and prosecution of traffickers.

Immigration relief is available to foreign national trafficking victims.

***Each year, HSI operations result in:**

 **1,000**
Trafficking
Cases

1,200
Criminal
Arrests 

 **900**
Indictments

400
Victims Assisted 

500
Convictions 

*AVERAGE OVER A 5 YEAR PERIOD

Indicators of Human Trafficking

Recognizing key indicators of human trafficking is the first step in identifying victims and can help save a life. Here are some common indicators:

- The person is under the age of 18 and is providing commercial sex acts.
- The person appears fearful, anxious, depressed, submissive, tense, nervous, or paranoid.
- The person appears disconnected from family, friends, community organizations or houses of worship.
- The adult engaging in commercial sex has a pimp, manager or controlling partner.
- The individual is not in control of his/her own money, identification documents, or personal possessions.
- The person may not be free to come and go from work and home as he/she chooses or may have unreasonable security measures at his/her home or work.
- The individual has been threatened with harm if he/she attempts to leave a situation, including threats to loved ones and threats of deportation.
- The person lacks knowledge about where he/she is staying, his/her whereabouts, or sense of time. There are numerous inconsistencies in his/her story.
- The person works excessively long and/or unusual hours; he/she is unpaid, paid very little, or only paid through tips; or he/she is not allowed breaks or suffers under unusual restrictions at work.
- The person appears harmed, malnourished, or deprived of water, sleep, medical care, or other life necessities.
- The person was recruited for one job and forced to engage in another job.
- The person owes a large debt and is restricted on how he/she can pay it off.
- The person is not allowed or able to speak for himself/herself.
- Another person insists on being present or translating when the person is in the company of others.

Not all indicators listed above are present in every human trafficking situation, and the presence or absence of any of the indicators is not necessarily proof of human trafficking.