


TAKE A STAND AGAINST HUMAN TRAFFICKING

POSSIBLE RED FLAGS




In the company of a
controlling person or boss,
not speaking for themselves

Bruising and injuries, signs of
branding/tattoos




Presence of an older boy/girlfriend



Unexplainable appearance
of expensive gifts, clothing,
or other costly items

Signs of or history of
emotional, sexual, or other
physical abuse, sexually
transmitted diseases



Runaway/homeless

Lying about age, giving false
ID and/or no ID

Well-rehearsed and/or inconsistent stories



Lack of knowledge about a given
community or whereabouts

IF YOU SUSPECT HUMAN TRAFFICKING, CONTACT
THE NATIONAL HUMAN TRAFFICKING HOTLINE:
1-888-373-7888 OR TEXT "HELP" TO BE FREE (233733)



TRAFFICKING!

HUMAN TRAFFICKING

is the recruitment, harboring, transporting, obtaining, or maintaining of a person by means of force, fraud, or coercion for purposes of servitude, debt bondage, slavery or participation in the sex trade.

For children under age 18, force or coercion do not need to be shown for the minor to be considered a victim of sex trafficking.

Public awareness plays a key role, given the hidden nature of trafficking. Educating yourself about the signs of trafficking can help to identify victims and may assist in the investigation of cases.

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DCF Child Abuse Hotline

To report suspected child sex trafficking:

1-800-96-ABUSE or 1-800-962-2873

