LEARN ABOUT HUMAN TRAFFICKING

WHAT IS IT?

Human trafficking is an exploitation-based crime that deprives a person of their personal liberty and involves the use of force, fraud, or coercion for the purpose of carrying out labor services or commercial sex acts. Due to their age of consent, minors who are trafficked for the purpose of commercial sex are considered victims and the show of force, fraud or coercion is not required.

WORLDWIDE

40.3 million victims estimated *Source: Global Slavery Index 2018*

CALIFORNIA

6,211 victims assisted by CalOES programs
Source: California Office of Emergency Services 2018

LABOR TRAFFICKING

Labor trafficking often occurs in domestic service, agriculture, hospitality service, cleaning service, restaurant/food industry

UNITED STATES

403,000 victims estimated Source: Global Slavery Index 2018

SEX TRAFFICKING

Sex trafficking often occurs in motel/hotel, street, internet, massage parlor, residential brothel

GLOBAL PROFITS

\$150 billion estimated annually. 2/3 of profits generated from sex trafficking.

Source: Profits & Poverty, International Labor Organization, 2014

ORANGE COUNTY FACTS

13 new victims identified every month.





In 2016, of the total **284** victims assisted, 15% were labor trafficking and 82% were sex trafficking.

In 2016, 88% of labor trafficking victims were foreign nationals, 94% of sex trafficking victims were U.S. nationals, and **32%** of sex trafficking victims were minors.



Between 2012 and 2016, **256** felony cases prosecuted. In 2016, 69 cases received convictions and state prison.

