

WARNING SIGNS AN INDIVIDUAL MAY BE TRAFFICKED:

- Signs of physical abuse such as burn marks, bruises or cuts
- Unexplained absences from class; overly tired in class
- Less appropriately dressed than before; sexualized behavior
- Withdrawn, depressed, distracted or checked out
- Brags about making or having lots of money
- Displays expensive clothes, accessories or shoes
- New tattoo (tattoos of a name, symbol of money or barcode are often used by pimps as a way to brand victims)
- Older boyfriend or new friends with a different lifestyle
- Talks about wild parties or invites other students to attend parties
- Shows signs of gang affiliation (a preference for specific colors, notebook doodles of gang symbols, etc.)

RAISE YOUR VOICE

- Report your concerns to the appropriate authorities.
- Call the National Human Trafficking Resource Center: 1 (888) 373-7888 ~ Text "HELP" or "INFO"
 - Call 911 to report a citizen concern or complaint; follow up one week later

TRAFFICKERS OFTEN EXHIBIT THESE BEHAVIORS:

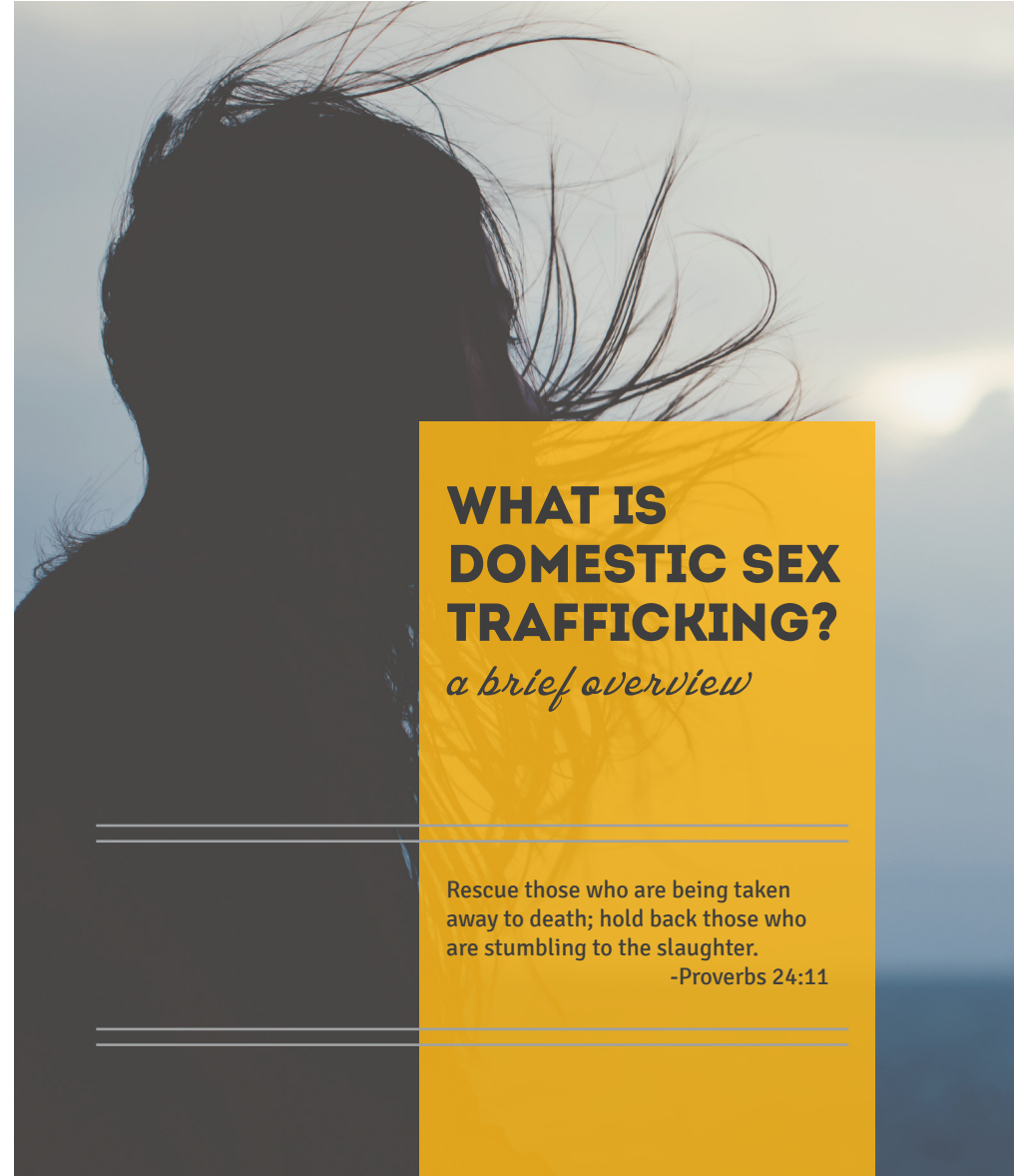
- Jealous, controlling and violent
- Significantly older than female companions
- Promise things that seem too good to be true
- Encourage victims to engage in illegal activities to achieve their goals and dreams
- Buy expensive gifts or owns expensive items
- Vague about his/her profession
- Pushy or demanding about sex
- Encourage inappropriate sexual behavior
- Isolate victim and monopolizes perception

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WHAT IS DOMESTIC SEX TRAFFICKING?

a brief overview

Rescue those who are being taken
away to death; hold back those who
are stumbling to the slaughter.

-Proverbs 24:11

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HUMAN TRAFFICKING IS A MODERN-DAY FORM OF SLAVERY INVOLVING THE ILLEGAL TRADE OF PEOPLE FOR EXPLOITATION OR COMMERCIAL GAIN.

AMP MODEL

Human trafficking by definition requires Action, Means & Purpose:

ACTION

Induce, Recruits, Harbors, Transports, Provides or Obtains

MEANS*

Force, Fraud or Coercion

PURPOSE

Commercial Sex (*Sex Trafficking*) or Labor/Services (*Labor Trafficking*)

*Minors introduced into commercial sex are human trafficking victims—regardless if force, fraud or coercion is present.

WOULD YOU ACCEPT THIS JOB?

Sex trafficking victims face these dangers while working in the commercial sex industry:

- 7 Year Life Expectancy
- Cause of Death: HIV or Homicide
- 58 Beatings by Pimp
- 68% are Raped at Work
- 82% are Physically Assaulted
- 83% are Threatened with a Deadly Weapon
- Service 868 Sexual Partners a Year

Victims of human trafficking never see this job description. Is this really a choice if they don't have all the information?

EVERY 30 SECONDS
SOMEONE BECOMES A VICTIM OF
MODERN-DAY SLAVERY.

ONLY 1-2%
VICTIMS ARE RESCUED.



Domestic minor sex trafficking (DMST) is the commercial sexual exploitation of American children within U.S. borders.

THE AVERAGE AGE IS 12.

CONTRIBUTING FACTORS

- Running away – 77% of teens have run away at least once before turning to prostitution
- Homelessness – Being homeless 30+ days is the single most determining factor causing youths to turn to prostitution to meet their basic needs
- Abuse & neglect – 90% have been sexually molested
- Delinquency – 54% use drugs and 32% are involved with a gang
- Family dysfunction – 64% reported severe conflict with parents; 41% reported family substance abuse in the home

QUESTIONS TO ASK

If you can speak with a suspected victim privately and without jeopardizing his or her safety, ask a few questions to gather more information:

- Can you come and go as you please?
- Have you or your family been hurt or threatened if you tried to leave?
- Do you live with your employer?
- Where do you sleep and eat?
- Are you allowed to keep the money you earn?
- Do you have your passport/identification? Who has it?

