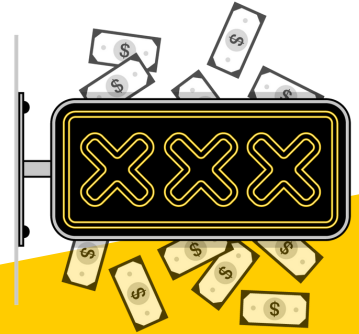


HUMAN TRAFFICKING HAPPENS EVERYWHERE



Human trafficking and modern slavery are hidden crimes affecting men, women and children every day in the UK.

WHAT IS HUMAN TRAFFICKING?

Human trafficking is the movement of people by deception or coercion for the purpose of exploitation. It includes sex trafficking, forced labour, forced criminality, domestic servitude and organ harvesting.

THE SCALE OF THE PROBLEM

- 40.3 million people are estimated to be in modern slavery across the world
- 10 million children are estimated to be in modern slavery across the world
- 136,000 people are estimated to be in modern slavery in the UK
- Modern slavery is happening in every corner of the world and can affect any person, regardless of age, socio-economic background or location

SPOT THE SIGNS

The first step towards helping victims and preventing modern slavery in your community is to be able to spot the signs. There are many signs of exploitation including if a person:

- Behaves as if they are instructed by another
- Appears to be in the presence of a controller
- Lacks self-esteem or seems fearful or anxious
- Has signs of physical or psychological abuse
- Has untreated injuries
- Has little or no contact with family or loved ones
- Receives threats against themselves or their friends and family

RESPOND APPROPRIATELY

If someone is in immediate danger dial 999

If you need help or advice call the Modern Slavery Helpline 0800 0121 700

If you see something suspicious, download and anonymously report through the STOP APP to build the global picture of human trafficking

