Human Trafficking:

A hidden crisis for youth in Orange County













Human trafficking is nothing less than a form of modern day slavery.

Its victims are forced, coerced, defrauded and exploited for sexual purposes, compelled to live in domestic servitude or perform sweatshop or migrant labor.

How to Recognize a Child Victim

Exploited youth may exhibit the following "red flags":

- History of multiple runaways or homelessness
- Do not attend school or are frequently absent
- Unexplained change in lifestyle or appearance
- ▶ In a controlling relationship
- Appear ashamed, humiliated, anxious, submissive or disoriented
- Often hungry and appear malnourished, fatigued or exhausted
- Work unusually long hours and often live at a workplace
- Have visible signs of physical or sexual abuse

How to Report Human Trafficking

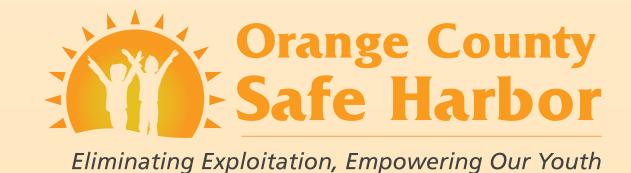
If you or someone you know has been impacted by human trafficking, call the National Human Trafficking Hotline:

1-888-373-7888

The Hotline operates 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, in more than 200 languages.

For additional information, local resources, services and support, please visit:

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