

STOP Human Trafficking

Human Trafficking consists of **3** core elements:

The Act: Recruit, Transport, Transfer, Harbor, Receive

The Means: Threat or use of force, Coercion, Fraud, Deception, Abuse of a position of vulnerability, giving payments of benefits, abduction

The Purpose: For exploitation



MYTHS

Only women and girls can be victims and survivors of sex trafficking.

Human trafficking involves moving, traveling or transporting a person across state or national borders.

Traffickers target victims they don't know.

FACTS

Men and boys are also victimized by sex traffickers. LGBTQ boys and young men are seen as particularly vulnerable to trafficking.

In fact, the crime of human trafficking does not require any movement whatsoever. Survivors can be recruited and trafficked in their own home towns, even their own homes.

Many survivors have been trafficked by romantic partners, including spouses, and by family members, including parents.



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