

# 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*

### UNITED STATES

403,000 victims estimated

*Source: Global Slavery Index 2018*

### CALIFORNIA

6,211 victims assisted by CalOES programs

*Source: California Office of Emergency Services 2018*

### SEX TRAFFICKING

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

### LABOR TRAFFICKING

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

### 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.



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