

Human Trafficking Resources



National Resources

- The National Human Trafficking Resource Center (NHTRC): 1 (888) 373-7888
 - Operated by Polaris Project, the NHTRC is a non-profit and non-governmental organization
 - **Helpful for:** Reporting a tip, connecting with area services, requesting information and/or resources (Spanish-speaking help available)
 - National 24/7 Toll-Free Hotline: 1-888-373-7888 or text BeFree (233733). Text messaging has proved to be a very effective outlet in securing safety for victims.
- **Polaris Project** "is committed to combating human trafficking and modern-day slavery, and to strengthening the anti-trafficking movement through a comprehensive approach"
 - **Helpful for:** Resources, statistics, information, and research in addition to connections with human trafficking advocates
 - Website: www.polarisproject.org
- U.S. Department of Homeland Security Blue Campaign Resource Catalog
 - Helpful for: Accessing training materials for educators, law enforcement, and other service professionals' contains
 - Website: www.dhs.gov/resource-catalog
- National Immigrant Justice Center in Chicago, IL provides comprehensive legal services for noncitizen children and adults who have been trafficked in the U.S.
 - Helpful for: Answering legal questions, accessing legal services and resources for noncitizen individuals
 - Website: www.immigrantjustice.org Phone Number: 312-660-1370

Statewide Services and Resources

- Michigan Human Trafficking Task Force is a collaborative effort against trafficking made up of national organizations, statewide organizations, local advocacy agencies, and individuals
 - **Helpful for:** Connecting with professionals and advocates, accessing resources, getting involved in the anti-trafficking movement
 - Primary Contact: Director Jane P. White (517) 749-2345 jane.white@ssc.msu.edu
 - Website: http://www.humantrafficking.msu.edu
- The University of Michigan Law School: Human Trafficking Clinic provides legal services, including direct representation and advocacy, to human trafficking victims for both domestic and international cases
 - Helpful for: Obtaining legal resources and representation; accessing community education and training materials

Website: http://www.law.umich.edu/clinical/humantraffickingclinicalprogram/Pages/humantraffickingcl

Statewide Services and Resources (cont.)

- Jewish Family Services provides case management and counseling services to trafficking victims
 - Helpful for: Those looking for support due to human trafficking
 - Website: www.jfsdetroit.org
- Freedom House in Detroit, MI is a temporary home for those seeking asylum
 - Helpful for: Trafficking victims in need of housing
 - Website: http://freedomhousedetroit.org Phone (313) 964-4320
- Michigan Abolitionist Project is a grassroots organization committed to preventing trafficking
 - Helpful for: Resources, awareness tools, training, creative projects
 - Website: http://www.michiganabolitionistproject.org/