

KNOW THE SIGNS

TRAFFICKING RED FLAGS

**Victims and traffickers can be male or female of any ethnicity and economic status*

- Presence of a controlling “boyfriend” or “girlfriend” (typically older than the victim)
 - Inability to speak to individual alone, avoids eye contact when addressed, doesn’t respond to questions, or responses appear coached and rehearsed
 - Individual cannot freely move about without accompaniment
 - May misrepresent their age and/or have a fake ID in their possession
 - Shows signs of physical abuse, hunger, sleep deprivation, or drug addiction
 - Has bruises in various states of healing and may attempt to conceal injuries
 - Shows signs of depression, anxiety, fear, and/or nervousness
 - Makes references to frequent travel to other cities
- Acts uncharacteristically promiscuous and/or makes references to sexual situations
 - Sudden change in hygiene, attire, relationships, friendships, mood, school performance, sleep habits, eating habits, beliefs and/or possessions
 - Name tattoos, branding marks, hotel keys, keycards, prepaid cell phones, and/or large amounts of cash in their possession
 - Unable to give information about parents or guardians

**TO REPORT A
SUSPICIOUS SITUATION
National Human Trafficking Hotline**

1.888.373.7888

**If someone is in immediate danger
CALL 911**