National Human Trafficking Hotline Text 233733 or Call 888-373-7888 24/7 · Toll free

Confidential · 200+ languages In an emergency call 911 or contact local authorities.

Indicators of Human Trafficking

Human traffickers recruit, transport, and exploit minors in urban, rural, and Tribal communities. Victims/traffickers can be of any age, race, ethnicity, sex, ability, nationality, citizenship, or socioeconomic background.



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School Bus Indicators

- Unexplained changes in attire, material possessions, personal hygiene, behavior, relationships, attendance, and/or academic performance.
- New signs of fatigue, substance use, irritability, mood swings, panic, or shame.
- Comments suggesting a student is exchanging sex for money, material items, shelter, etc.
- Comments indicating a student formed an inappropriate relationship online, has an older romantic partner, or is making a quota.

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