

REPORT SUSPECTED HUMAN TRAFFICKING

National Human Trafficking Hotline

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BRAKES ON
HUMAN
TRAFFICKING**

Indicators of Human Trafficking

Human traffickers use transportation systems to recruit, transport, and exploit their victims in urban, rural, and tribal communities. Victims/traffickers can be of any age, race, ethnicity, sex, ability, nationality, citizenship, or socioeconomic background. Look for signs when you're in and around rights-of-way, construction areas, and access roads.

When you see multiple indicators of human trafficking, report your suspicion.

**If something doesn't seem right, don't dismiss it.
Trust your instincts.**

**For help and support:
Text 233733 or Call 888-373-7888**

In an emergency call 9-1-1 or contact local authorities.

The National Human Trafficking Hotline provides confidential help regardless of immigration status.

- Traversing, trespassing, or solicitation in rights-of-way or construction areas.
- Signs of a struggle, discarded clothing, and/or living materials in rights-of-way or construction areas.
- Unauthorized personnel using construction sites for shelter.
- A vehicle that repeatedly drops off individuals and then returns a short while later to pick them up near man-camps, pipeline projects, mining or drilling areas, hotels/motels, and popular recreational areas.
- Inadequate workplace equipment/clothing for job.
- Works excessively long hours, is provided few/no breaks, and/or employer is withholding pay.

Do not attempt to confront a suspected trafficker or engage with a victim.



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