

Human Trafficking and the Hotel Industry

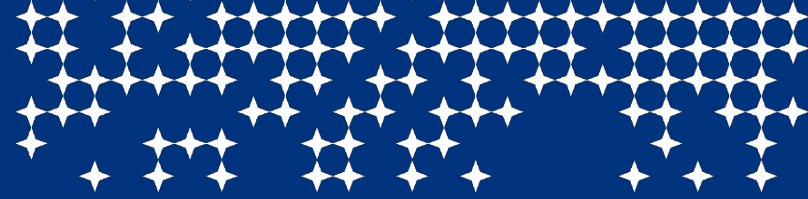
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*Polaris is a leader in the global fight to
eradicate human trafficking and restore
freedom to survivors*



Trafficking Indicators in Hotels

Sex Trafficking

- ✓ Room is paid for with cash or pre-paid card
- ✓ Room requested with view of parking lot
- ✓ Heavy foot traffic in and out of room
- ✓ Dressed inappropriately for the climate
- ✓ Frequent requests for new linens and towels
- ✓ Presence of excessive alcohol, drugs, or sex paraphernalia

Sex and Labor Trafficking

- ✓ No knowledge of current or past whereabouts
- ✓ Signs of physical or sexual abuse
- ✓ Signs of poor hygiene, malnourishment, or fatigue
- ✓ No freedom of movement or monitored movement
- ✓ No control of money, identification, or phone
- ✓ Exhibits fearful, anxious, or submissive behavior

Labor Trafficking

- ✓ Doing different work than was contracted
- ✓ Recruited through false promises
- ✓ Living and working on-site
- ✓ Number of guests exceeds room limit
- ✓ Group transport to/from job site
- ✓ Unpaid or paid very little
- ✓ Exorbitant fees deducted from paychecks

What is the NHTRC?

A NATIONAL HOTLINE AND RESOURCE CENTER

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OPERATED BY: POLARIS
FUNDED BY: HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (HHS) AND OTHER
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NHTRC Hotel and Motel Cases

Cases of trafficking in hotels and motels

1,434

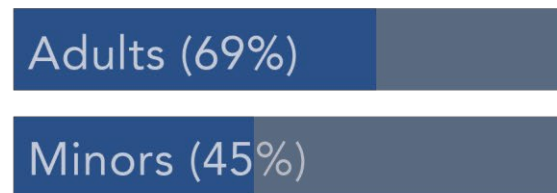
Victims and survivors identified

1,867

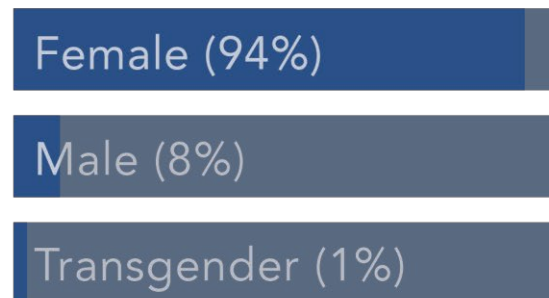
Type of trafficking

Sex trafficking **92%**
Labor trafficking **5%**
Sex & labor trafficking **2%**

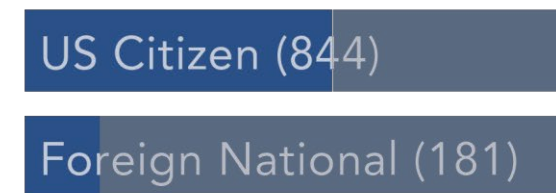
Age



Gender



Citizenship



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