



STOP HUMAN TRAFFICKING

It's happening in El Dorado County too

Human trafficking is a form of modern-day slavery where victims are controlled or forced to perform labor, are sexually exploited, or both. Sex trafficking, or the Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children (CSEC), is happening to boys and girls right here in El Dorado County. Under California law, children who are sexually trafficked are victims of child abuse.

Victims of Human Trafficking May Be:

- Abused physically or emotionally
- Unable to leave home or work
- Without many personal possessions or friends
- Disoriented or distant emotionally
- Falsely thinking their trafficker will love and protect them

Help is Available!
Call the 24- hour
National Human
Trafficking Resource
Center Hotline:
1-888-373-7888

CSEC Victims May Also:

- Show signs of physical abuse (burn marks, bruises or cuts)
- Have unexplained absences from class or school
- Inappropriately dress or display expensive clothes or accessories
- Have overly sexual behavior
- Have a new tattoo - (Traffickers may “brand” victims with a name, money symbol or barcode)

El Dorado County Wants to Stop Human Trafficking

Local citizens, community groups, agencies and non-profits in El Dorado County are working to stop human trafficking. El Dorado County agency partners include:

- 3Strands
- Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA)
- Child Abuse Prevention Council
- Child Protective Services (CPS)
- County Office of Education
- District Attorney's Office
- Mental Health Division
- Partners Against Trafficking of Humans (PATH)
- Placerville Police Department
- Probation Department
- Public Defender's Office
- Public Health Division
- Sheriff's Office
- Soroptomist International
- South Lake Tahoe Police Department
- Summitview Child and Family Services, Inc.



For more information see:
www.edcgov.us/stophumantrafficking
<https://traffickingresourcecenter.org/>