

## Potential Indicators & Red flags of Human Trafficking

- Does the person appear disconnected from family, friends, community organizations, or houses of worship?
- Has a child stopped attending school?
- Does the person have bruises in various stages of healing?
- Does the person exhibit unexplained injuries or signs of prolonged/ untreated illness or disease? Do they appear malnourished?
- Do they show signs of physical and/or sexual abuse, physical restraint, confinement, or torture?
- Is the person fearful, timid, submissive, anxious or depressed?
- Does the person show signs of having been denied food, water, sleep, or medical care?
- Does the person show signs of drug dependency?
- Is the person often in the company of someone who seems to be in control of the situation, e.g., where they go or who they talk to?
- Does the person appear to be coached on what to say?
- Does the person exhibit poor personal hygiene? Are they living in unsuitable conditions?
- Does the person lack personal possessions and appear not to have a stable living situation?
- Does the person have freedom of movement? Can the person freely leave where they live? Are there unreasonable security measures? Can they come and go as they wish?
- Does the person work excessively long and/or unusual hours?
- Do they owe a large and/or increasing debt that they are unable to pay off?
- Are they not in control of their own money or identification documents (e.g. ID, passport, visa)?
- Do they claim to be “just visiting” and are unable to clarify where they are staying or provide an address?
- Do they exhibit lack of knowledge of whereabouts and/or does not know what city they are in?
- Is the person disoriented or confused, Do they exhibit a loss of a sense of time?