

North Carolina Human Trafficking Resource Directory

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Important Notes

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We encourage all users to research and assess each entity by reviewing agency websites, learning agency mission and values, asking questions about policies, procedures, political or religious affiliations, and previewing admission paperwork or client agreements before determining appropriate fit for referrals. The [NC Secretary of State website](#) is also a resource to search for information on a business or charity, including charitable solicitation license and non-profit status.

To search the document for a specific service, organization, or location (county or city), we recommend using control + find (ctrl + f). The directory is organized by type of organization, with the location and services provided included for each organization.

The Tier Ratings in this directory refer to an organization's self-identified specification on human trafficking from the Polaris Project. The tiers do not refer to quality or preference but only to the organization's focus on trafficking. Tiers 1 through 4 indicate the following level of specification:

Tier 1: The organization's primary focus and/or mission is human trafficking.

Tier 2: Human trafficking is part of the organization's focus, but they also focus on other populations, and they have a specific human trafficking project or staff person dedicated to human trafficking.

Tier 3: The organization's focus and mission are not focused specifically on human trafficking, but their mission is focused on other high-risk populations or victim services, and has no specific human trafficking project or dedicated staff.

Tier 4: The organization is a general social services organization that is part of the anti-human trafficking effort by accepting referrals, attending training, etc.

Definitions for different group types come from the Regional Response Team (RRT) and Task Force Local Collaboration Enhancement toolkit created in partnership with NC Coalition Against Human Trafficking.

Definitions are not meant to limit or pigeon-hole local efforts but rather facilitate cooperation and maximize efficiency when connections need to be made quickly and to provide shared definitions and uniform language.

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To ensure a shared, uniform language, the Resource Directory defines the following terms as:

Emergency Shelter: An organization provides shelter admission to its target population 24/7 with low barrier requirements (e.g., no application process or requirement to sign a lease or occupancy agreement) for the purpose of safety and initial stabilization.

Housing: Refers to non-emergency shelter housing options, such as transitional housing or shelter, residential programs, or long-term/permanent housing.

Direct Outreach: The organization interacts with potential survivors/victims either for the purpose of providing services or building relationships, such as in jails, homeless shelters, massage parlors, strip clubs, etc.

Awareness Education and Training: An organization provides trainings and/or engages in activities to raise awareness about trafficking to general public or businesses/employees that may interact with potential survivors/victims of trafficking.

The abbreviations below are used frequently throughout the Resource Directory:

Co.: County

CSEC: Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children

DA: District Attorney

DHS: Department of Homeland Security

DMST: Domestic Minor Sex Trafficking

DSS: Department of Social Services

DV: Domestic Violence

ESL: English as a Second Language

HT: Human Trafficking

NGO: Non-governmental organization

PD: Police Department

SA: Sexual Assault

SANE: Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners

National Human Trafficking Hotline Protocol

The Regional Response Team and Task Force sections states whether an organization is listed as part of the National HT Hotline Protocol. To be included, organizations must apply to the Polaris Project's National Human Trafficking Hotline resource directory. To be included, the agency must be accepted by Polaris and the HTC. Organizations may be included in one of three capacities: 1) join Polaris Projects' public referral list, 2) join private internal referral list, or 3) be approved to receive 24/7 victim response calls.

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1. [North Carolina Human Trafficking Commission \(NC HTC\)](#)

North Carolina Justice Center, Raleigh

Background/Mission: Established in 2012 and revised in 2013, the HTC is the legislatively mandated leader of anti-human trafficking efforts in NC

Duties/Responsibilities: Examine and combat human trafficking; fund and facilitate research; create measurement, assessment, and accountability measures; inform and educate law enforcement, social services providers, and the general public; suggest new policies, procedures, and legislation; identify gaps in law enforcement or service provision and recommend solutions; receive funding to combat and examine human trafficking; development of regional responses

Meetings: Annual statewide training symposiums with multiple tracks for professionals, open to the public. HTC meetings and committee meetings are open to the public and are usually held every other month

Contact: Executive Director: Christine Long: christine.s.long@nccourts.org

Office Phone: 919-890-1424

2. [North Carolina Administrative Office of the Courts \(NCAOC\)](#)

North Carolina Judicial Center, Raleigh

Background: Administrative agency for the NC Judicial Branch

Duties/Responsibilities: Provide human trafficking training and technical assistance for NC judges and other court personnel

Contact: Court Management Specialist Tara Minter: tara.n.minter@nccourts.org

Office Phone: 919-890-1215

3. [North Carolina Department of Justice](#)

Statewide

Background/Mission: Protect the people of NC; works to prevent crime and support law enforcement, safeguard consumers, and to defend the State, its people, and their constitutional rights

Duties/Responsibilities: Public Protection Section: Prevent crime, reform the justice system, and support victims through policy and public education. This work includes a focus on victims and survivors of violent crime, such as domestic violence, sexual assault, and human trafficking. As part of that work, it provides public education on human trafficking and internet safety.

NC Justice Academy: Provides human trafficking training and education for law enforcement officers.

Contact: outreach@ncdoj.gov

Public Protection: 919-716-6400

Justice Academy: 910-525-4151

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4. North Carolina Council for Women and Youth Involvement

NC Department of Administration, Raleigh

Background/Mission: Advise the governor and state legislature on issues impacting women in NC

Duties/Responsibilities: Provides resource on HT in NC (English and Spanish); provides trainings and speakers; offers grants; maintains these programs:

SEE NC (Seek, Engage, and Empower) focuses on interdisciplinary collaboration and improving identification and response of HT in marginalized, underserved communities; interagency collaboration, accessible culturally specific resources, and training/technical assistance

C.O.P.E (Collaboration, Operation, Protection & Education) aims to increase awareness about HT and factors that make youth vulnerable to exploitation; provides training, technical assistance, and resources; assists schools and youth-serving organizations on identifying and responding to human trafficking

Contact: Director of HT Program: Kiricka Yarbough Smith:

kiricka.yarbough.smith@doa.nc.gov

HT Youth Outreach Specialist: Kendra Underwood

kendra.underwood@doa.nc.gov

HT Housing Assistance Coordinator: Sharon Springs

Sharon.springs@doa.nc.gov

5. North Carolina Department of Public Safety (NC DPS)

Raleigh

Background/Mission: Safeguard the lives/property of people in NC

Duties/Responsibilities:

NC Alcohol Law Enforcement (ALE) trains alcohol distributors across the state on what to look for with HT. ALE investigates violations & enforces all criminal laws occurring on any of the ABC permitted businesses, including investigating HT allegations & other crimes. ALE Special Agents train alcohol industry members on how to identify HT victims & ways to report suspected violations, and ensure the Human Trafficking Hotline poster is prominently displayed at each business.

Contact: Special Agent Kris Johnson kris.johnson@ncdps.gov

Reentry, Programs and Services (ended 12/2020) studied the scope of HT among women entering prison. The deliverables will be a tool to identify human trafficking victims during diagnostic admissions to prison, to identify programmatic needs to address human trafficking-induced trauma, and specific training for custody staff to better identify HT related behaviors. **Contact:** nicole.sullivan@ncdps.gov

State Capitol Police distributes human trafficking public awareness information (obtained through ISAAC) in the Downtown Government Complex and disseminates this information while conducting our crosswalk safety program.

NC State Bureau of Investigations (SBI) has state jurisdiction over human trafficking and offers assistance to law enforcement across the state with Intel, investigations training, etc. SBI's Human Trafficking Unit (HTU) investigates HT cases across NC.

Contact: Special Agent in Charge: Kellie Hodges khodges@ncsbi.gov

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State Highway Patrol Special Operations Criminal Interdiction Unit (CIU) is coordinating with SBI HTU to receive Texas DPS Interdiction for the Protection of Children human trafficking training; partners with multiple organizations to teach awareness and prevention of human trafficking curriculum to minors, including middle and high school students; participates in numerous conferences and trainings to stay up-to-date on patterns of human trafficking. **Contact:** Trooper Donald Cuff: Donald.Cuff@ncdps.gov

NC Center for Missing Persons (NCCMP): Works with local, state, and federal law enforcement to assist with missing persons cases and the families of missing persons. The NCCMP assists with both children and adult cases across the state of NC. The Center maintains the state's AMBER, SILVER, and BLUE alert systems. NCCMP is state-mandated to maintain and staff a 24/7 hotline (800-522-KIDS (5437)). **Contact:** Director: Nona Best: nona.best@ncdps.gov

6. North Carolina Commission of Indian Affairs

NC Department of Administration, Business Administration Building, Raleigh

Background/Mission: Advocacy & resource for American Indian community in NC

Duties/Responsibilities: Advocates in tribal communities provide safe and confidential referral and direct services to victims of crime.

Direct Services Provided: Advocates in community to help with direct services after victimization: Sexual Assault Advocacy, Domestic Violence Advocacy, Safety Planning, Action Planning, Safe Housing Referrals, Community Education, Support and Education Groups

Contact: Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Program Director: Nikki Locklear: tennly.locklear@doa.nc.gov

Executive Director: Greg Richardson: greg.richardson@doa.nc.gov

Office Phone: 984-236-0167

7. North Carolina Department of Labor

Main office in Raleigh, regional offices throughout the state

Background/Mission: Foster a safe, fair, and productive NC

Duties/Responsibilities: Administer and enforces:

Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA), which sets forth safety and health requirements for most private and public sector workplaces; conducts compliance inspections; provides education and training on OSHA standards to employees and employers;

Migrant Housing Act, which sets forth requirements for migrant housing; annually inspects migrant housing prior to occupancy; and

Wage and House Act, which includes coverage for minimum wage, overtime, youth employment, wage payment, etc.; accepts and investigates employee complaints

Contact: 1-800-625-2267

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8. North Carolina Department of Commerce – Agricultural Services Unit

Raleigh

Background/Mission: Help people in NC find jobs; takes employment & supportive services directly to migrant/seasonal farmworkers & agricultural employers to ensure access to programs and services available through Workforce Development System.

Duties/Responsibilities: Outreach staff is trained on protecting farmworkers against sexual harassment & similar issues including sexual coercion, assault, & HT, which help outreach staff identify when these issues may be occurring in the fields and how to document and refer the case to appropriate enforcement agencies. Staff also trained in procedure for informal resolution of complaints.

Direct Services Provided: Employment & training; work with partnering agencies to provide additional assistance; informally resolve complaints & apparent violations reported; Report complaints and apparent violations to the proper enforcement agencies if it is determined that the unit cannot resolve what has been reported

Contact: Director of Agricultural Services & Foreign Labor: Luis Cruz:
luis.cruz@nccommerce.com; 919-814-0464

Agricultural Program Monitor Advocate: Victor D. Garcia:
victor.garcia@nccommerce.com; Office: 919-814-0463; Mobile: 818-812-4608

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State Level Nonprofit Coalitions

This section lists registered non-profits that have a statewide reach and presence and engage in anti-human trafficking work. To be included, the agency must be a registered non-profit organization in North Carolina.

1. North Carolina Coalition Against Human Trafficking (NCCAHT)

Raleigh

Background/Mission: A coalition of committed members collaborating in knowledge and practice to provide leadership and support across the state to eradicate human trafficking in North Carolina.

Duties/Responsibilities: The Coalition for charitable and educational purposes: support survivors of human trafficking through Survivor Network; raise awareness about human trafficking, provides public speakers; support efforts to prosecute traffickers; provide resources for the public, law enforcement, service providers, and government agencies

Membership: Open to governmental agencies, NGOs, and individuals who support the purpose of the coalition. Coalition members identify with four categories (Government and Law Enforcement, Direct Service, Training and Education, and Community and Faith-based), and membership meets quarterly each calendar year as determined by the Board of Directors.

Contact: nccaht@gmail.com

2. North Carolina Coalition Against Sexual Assault (NCCASA)

Raleigh

Background/Mission: Statewide alliance working to end sexual violence through education, advocacy, and legislation

Duties/Responsibilities: Statewide: coordinate Sexual Assault Response Team (SART)¹; educate state legislators, promote awareness through education and media campaigns; educate the community.

Locally: Advocate for local rape crisis programs, provide information, referrals, and resources to individuals, rape crisis programs, and other organization, supports rape crisis programs to address sexual violence.

Anti-Human Trafficking Specialist: Develops training and programs to provide technical assistance to rape crisis programs and member agencies on human trafficking issues (direct services, building capacity to serve survivors of human trafficking, systems advocacy, outreach/awareness, and program support)

Membership: Organization and individual membership information found [here](#)

Contact: Executive Director: Monika Johnson-Hostler: monika@nccasa.org

Associate Director: Robin Colbert: robin@nccasa.org

Anti-Human Trafficking Specialist: Courtney Dunkerton: courtney@nccasa.org

¹ SART is an interagency response to sexual assault involving victim advocates, law enforcement, hospitals, and prosecutors.

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3. North Carolina Victim Assistance Network (NCVAN)

Raleigh

Background/Mission: Through advocacy, training, and technical assistance, NCVAN supports the rights and well-being of surviving loved ones of homicide victims and others harmed by violent crime in North Carolina

Duties/Responsibilities: Provides volunteer opportunities and accepts donations; conducts victim's assistance training academy 2x a year to certify service providers

Direct Service Provider: Assists victims in understanding the investigative/criminal process; refers victims to specialized trauma-informed counseling services; provides peer support through Homicide Support Group; assists victims with navigating systems/processes such as victim's compensation, estate probate, funeral service, insurance; provides post-trial advocacy; provides directory of Victims Services (DV programs, social services, Rape Crisis centers, local mental health providers, etc.)

Membership: Volunteer and individual, agency, or student membership info [here](#)

Contact: Executive Director: Frances Battle: frances@nc-van.org

General Email: info@nc-van.org

Office Phone: 919-831-2857 or toll-free at 1-800-348-5068

4. North Carolina Coalition Against Domestic Violence (NCCADV)

Durham

Background/Mission: Statewide membership organization serving domestic violence service providers across all 100 counties of North Carolina

Duties/Responsibilities: Facilitate trainings on a variety of topics related to DV, including our Advocates' Institute, Legal Advocates' Institute, Latinx Advocates' Institute, & Executive Director Leadership Institute; provide technical assistance to DV service providers in NC to improve the response to DV; work within a network of stakeholders to improve the response to DV at all levels; work with systems partners to change the culture to prevent DV; advocate for policy change for better services for survivors of DV & to prevent DV at a local, state, & national level

Membership: Information available [here](#)

Contact: Executive Director: Carianne Fisher: cfisher@nccadv.org; 919-956-9124

5. Children's Advocacy Centers of North Carolina, Inc. (CACNC)

35 Accredited & 12 Provisional Child Advocacy Centers, locations found [here](#)

Background/Mission: Statewide membership organization that provides training, technical assistance, and guidance to local Children's Advocacy Centers who collaborates with their local community partners to serve abused children.

Duties/Responsibilities: Develop, train, & sustain high-quality children's advocacy centers; conduct 2 statewide child abuse symposiums annually; host forensic interviewing, abbreviated forensic screening, medical sexual abuse, & medical physical abuse trainings throughout the year; oversee all NC CACs that provide direct services to child victims, to include child victims of HT. Services include facilitation of the multi-disciplinary teams, forensic interviews, advocacy, medical & evidence based mental health treatment

Membership: Only for Accredited and Provisional Children's Advocacy Centers

Contact: Executive Director: Deana Joy: deana@cacnc.org; 336-886-4589

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6. [North Carolina Stop Human Trafficking](#)

Farmville, Pitt County; formally known as Eastern NC Stop Human Trafficking

Background/Mission: Creating communities actively working to abolish HT through education, collaboration, and legislative advocacy, as well as introducing fair trade products into the local market. The vision is a state free of HT. NC Stop Human Trafficking is 501c3 nonprofit provides a wide array of services, including basic community awareness campaigns, digital awareness campaigns and advocacy campaigns. It also provides education programs and professional trainings for law enforcement, social workers, foster parents, guardians ad litem, health care professionals and educators.

Duties/Responsibilities: Provides training and anti-human trafficking education programs; facilitates and assists in developing local coalitions across the state to improve prevention programming and stronger victim response, with the oldest and strongest coalition being the [Pitt County Coalition Against Human Trafficking](#); advocates for stronger human trafficking legislation on state and federal levels; introduces fair trade products into the local market through awareness initiatives and its sub-program, Fair Traders Project.

Membership: Individual, agency/nonprofit, and business membership [here](#)

Contact: Founder and CEO: Pam Strickland: pam@ncstophumantrafficking.org

Community Outreach Coordinator: Melinda Sampson:

melinda@ncstophumantrafficking.org

General Email: info@ncstophumantrafficking.org

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Regional Response Teams (RRTs)

RRTs coordinate agencies to meet critical needs when identified victims of HT are in crisis situations requiring immediate response and are structured to provide referrals for comprehensive resources for survivors. RRTs do not respond to all emergent situations.

1. Cape Fear Area

This team is listed on the National HT Hotline protocol.

Leader: A Safe Place; located in Wilmington, NC

Counties Covered: New Hanover; Brunswick; Columbus, Onslow, and Pender

Member Agencies on the Team: A Safe Place, Salvation Army, Carousel Center, Coastal Horizons, Probation/Parole, Recovery International, Families First, Legal Aid, Wilmington Treatment Center, DA's Office, Area Recovery Houses, New Hanover County Medical Center, and other NGO's in the community

Meetings: Second Thursday every other month at 10:00am

Contact: 855-723-7529 ext. 3 or info@asafeplacetogo.com

2. Coastal Carolina

This team is listed on the National HT Hotline protocol.

Leader: Project FIGHT

Counties Covered: Craven, Lenoir, Pamlico, Jones, Carteret

Member Agencies on the Team: Project FIGHT; True Justice International; NCSBI; FBI; Craven Co Sheriff's Office; Jones Co Sheriff's Office; JusticeMatters; Legal Aid; Conference of DAs; US Attorney's Office; DA's Office in District 4; Coastal Women's Shelter of Jones, Craven, Pamlico Co.; Promise Place of Jones, Craven, Pamlico

Meetings: Every other month on the second Wednesday (no open meetings)

Contact: elizabeth.hunter@uss.salvationarmy.org

3. Currituck-Dare Counties

This team is listed on the National HT Hotline protocol.

Leader: Outer Banks Hotline; located in Elizabeth City

Counties Covered: Dare, Currituck, Camden

Member Agencies on the Team: Outer Bank Hotline; Beloved Haven, Inc.; NCSBI; Dare County Clerk of Court, District Attorney's Office District 1

Meetings: Quarterly or as needed

Contact: Michael T. Lewis: mlewis@obhotline.org; 252-473-5121

4. High County

This team is listed on the National HT Hotline protocol.

Leader: Project FIGHT; located in Boone NC

Counties Covered: Avery, Watauga, Ashe

Member Agencies on the Team: Project FIGHT; Avery Co. Sheriff's Office; Watauga Co. Sheriff's Office; Boone PD; Ashe Co. Sheriff's Office; NCSBI; A Safe Home for Everyone; Oasis; Ashe Memorial Hospital; Watauga Co. DSS; Watauga Co. Schools; Daymark Recovery Services; Ashe & Alleghany Farm Worker Health Program; Ashe Co. Schools; District Attorney's Office Prosecutorial District 35

Meetings: Quarterly (no open meetings)

Contact: Danyelle Smith danyelle.smith@uss.salvationarmy.org; 919-830-1843

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5. North East Coastal (Disbanding September 30, 2012)

This team is listed on the National HT Hotline protocol.

Leader: Hyde County Hotline; located in Engelhard NC.

Counties Covered: Hyde, Tyrrell, Beaufort

Member Agencies on the Team: Hyde County Hotline; Ruth's House; Inner Banks Hotline; Legal Aid of NC - Greenville Office, Integrated Family Services, NCSBI, Salvation Army – Project FIGHT. Additional collaborations with Hyde Co. Sheriff's Department; District Attorney's Office District 2; Hyde Co. Department of Social Services; Hyde Co. Schools; Kid's First Child Advocacy Center; NCVAN, Hyde Co. Commissioners, Hyde Co. Health Department

Meetings: Quarterly or as needed (no open meetings)

Contact: Marla Gibbs: mgibbshydehotline@gmail.com

Office Phone: 252-925-2500

6. Onslow County

This team is listed on the National HT Hotline protocol.

Leader: True Justice International; located in Jacksonville NC.

Counties Covered: Onslow

Member Agencies on the Team: True Justice; Jacksonville PD; Project FIGHT, Onslow County Sheriff's Office, Child Advocacy Center, Marine Forces SART team (Sexual Assault Response Team); SBI; Legal Aide of NC; Onslow Pregnancy Resource Center; Dix Crisis Center; Onslow Women's Shelter

Meetings: Every Other Month – Second Tuesdays 1-3pm (no open meetings)

Contact: traci@truejustice.global

7. Pitt County Area

This team is listed on the National HT Hotline protocol.

Leader: Project FIGHT; located in Greenville NC.

Counties Covered: Pitt

Member Agencies on the Team: Project FIGHT; NCSBI; Legal Aid, Battered Immigrant Project; Real Crisis Intervention; Vidant Hospital, Emergency Unit; Family Violence Prevention; NC Department of Public Safety; Greenville PD

Meetings: Every other month (even) on the third Wednesday (no open meetings)

Contact: Juliana Mariani: juliana.mariani@uss.salvationarmy.org

Office Phone: 919-748-1174

8. Rockingham County

This team is listed on the National HT Hotline protocol.

Leader: Help, Incorporated, which is located in Reidsville NC.

Counties Covered: Rockingham

Member Agencies on the Team: Help, Incorporated; Rockingham County Sheriff's Department

Meetings: Quarterly (no open meetings)

Contact: jstultz@co.rockingham.nc.us

Shelter Staff Office Phone: 336-342-3332

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9. Stanly County Area (No Longer Operating)

10. Triad

This team is listed on the National HT Hotline protocol.

Leader: World Relief Triad, offices located in High Point and Winston-Salem

Counties Covered: Guilford, Forsyth, Davidson

Purpose: Collaboratively and rapidly coordinate and execute emergency case management services for victims identified within NC. Two TRRT Initiatives are the Street Outreach and Youth Initiative.

Member Agencies on the Team: World Relief Triad; AbolitionNC; Family Services of the Piedmont; Family Services of Davidson Co.; Family Services Inc of Forsyth Co.; Next Step Ministries; Youth Focus; SBI; Greensboro and Winston-Salem PDs; Forsyth & Guilford Sheriff's; Homeland Security Investigations; FBI; US Attorney's Office; Forsyth Co. District Attorney; Guilford & Forsyth Child Protective Services; Guilford Adult Protective Services; Cone Health Forensic Nurses; Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center; Legal Aid of NC

Meetings: Quarterly on 2nd Thurs of the designated month (no open meetings)

Contact: Anti-Trafficking Outreach Specialist: Victoria Plybon: vplybon@wr.org

11. Triangle

This team is listed on the National HT Hotline protocol.

Leader: Project FIGHT; located in Raleigh NC.

Counties Covered: Wake, Durham, Orange

Member Agencies on the Team: Project FIGHT; Justice Matters; Legal Aid; NCSBI; FBI; Raleigh PD; Apex PD; Durham PD; Orange Co. PD; Rocky Mounty D; Knightdale PD; Interact; Durham Crisis Response Center; Wren House; Wake Med; UNC Beacon

Meetings: Quarterly (no open meetings)

Contact: Elizabeth Hunter: elizabeth.hunter@uss.salvationarmy.org; 919-280-0948

12. Western Piedmont I (No Longer Operating)

13. Western Piedmont II

This team is listed on the National HT Hotline protocol.

Leader: Our Voice, located in Asheville NC.

Counties Covered: Buncombe, Henderson, Madison, McDowell, Transylvania, Yancey

Member Agencies on the Team: Our Voice; Project FIGHT; Buncombe Co. DSS; RHA Mobile Crisis; Mountain Child Advocacy Center; Mission Hospital; Trinity Place; My Safe Haven; Life 107 Ministries; ADOPT; Legal Aid of NC; Pisgah Legal; Asheville PD; Buncombe Co. Sheriff's Office; FBI; SBI's., Helpmate, Safelight, New Hope of McDowell, My Sister's Place, SAFE, Inc., Family Violence Coalition

Meetings: Quarterly (no open meetings)

Contact: projectwestnc@ourvoicenc.org or 828-252-0562

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Local Task Forces

Task Forces are usually led by law enforcement agencies or District Attorney's office and coordinate investigations and other criminal justice responses for the purpose of successful prosecutions. These multi-disciplinary groups are different from RRTs because their main purpose is **not** to provide 24/7 victim response.

1. Alamance County (ACAHTAC)

*Leaders of this team are **NOT** listed on the National HT Hotline protocol.*

Leader: Alamance County District Attorney's Office

Counties Covered: Alamance

Member Agencies: Crossroads; Alamance Co. Law Enforcement; SANE; DSS

Meetings: Last Wednesday of each month at 10am (no open meetings)

Contact: Elizabeth Olivier: elizabeth.a.olivier@nccourts.org

2. Cabarrus County Task Force

*Leaders of this team are **NOT** listed on the National HT Hotline protocol.*

Leader: Cabarrus County District Attorney's office: Ashlie Shanley, Chief ADA 25

Counties Covered: Cabarrus

Purpose: Multi-disciplinary team to investigate HT, prepare strong cases for prosecution, provide services for victims & to educate the community about HT risks

Member Agencies: Cabarrus Co. District Attorney's Offices Cabarrus Co. Sheriff's Office, Concord PD, Kannapolis PD, SBI, Cabarrus Co. DHS, Cabarrus Co. School System, Kannapolis City School System, Department of Juvenile Justice, Department of Community Corrections, Present Age Ministries, Cardinal Innovations, Jeff Gordon Child Advocacy Center, SANE, Creative Counseling.

Meetings: Quarterly as task force and monthly in committees (no open meetings)

Contact: Ashlie Shanley: ashlie.p.shanley@nccourts.org

3. Catawba Area Anti-Human Trafficking Task Force (Inactive)

4. Charlotte Metropolitan Human Trafficking Task Force

*Leaders of this team are **NOT** listed on the National HT Hotline protocol.*

Leader: US Attorney's Office and Pat's Place Child Advocacy Center.

Counties Covered: Mecklenburg

Purpose: Justice & healing for victims through the support of collaborative services & education in the community; formed to focus on investigating/prosecuting persons who engage in sex/labor trafficking & to provide services & assistance to HT victims.

Member Agencies: Atrium Health SANE Program, Atrium Health HT-EMAT, Novant Health, Pat's Place CAC, US Attorney's Office, FBI, HSI, Charlotte Mecklenburg PD, Mecklenburg Co. DA's Office, Mecklenburg Co. Youth & Family Services, Present Age Ministries, Justice Ministries, A21, Project FIGHT, Council for Children's Rights, Mecklenburg Co. Guardian ad Litem, Moore & Van Allen PLLC, Teen Health Connection, Legal Aid of NC, Lily Pad Haven, Safe Alliance, Mecklenburg Co. Community Support Services

Meetings: Every other month (no open meetings)

Contact: Shirley Rutledge (USANCW) at shirley.rutledge@usdoj.gov or Shawna Pagano at shawna@patsplacecac.org

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5. Durham County Task Force Against Child Exploitation

Leaders of this team are NOT listed on the National HT Hotline protocol.

Leader: Durham DSS and staff from Durham Crisis Response Center (DCRC)

Counties Covered: Durham

Purpose: To bring awareness about human trafficking to Durham County residents.

Member Agencies: Durham Co. DSS; DCRC; Durham Co. PD; Durham Co. Health Department; Alliance Health; Justice Matters; among other county agencies

Meetings: Last Monday of every month; always looking to add new members

Contact: Durham DSS: Tanza Moye: tmoye@dconc.gov

Co-Chair: Charlene Reiss: charlenereiss@gmail.com

6. Moore County Task Force

Leaders of this team are NOT listed on the National HT Hotline protocol.

Leader: Friend to Friend of Moore County

Counties Covered: Moore County and Regional Judicial District

Purpose: Continuously improve coordinated rapid response system for HT victims.

Member Agencies: Local Law Enforcement, Sherriff Dept, DSS, First Health Hospital, Moore Co. Schools, Recovery Services, Mental Health Services, Friend to Friend, Legal Aid, Moore Co. Child Advocacy Center, Mobile Crisis, Daymark, DA's Office, Moore County Commissioner, Sandhills Pride/LGBTQ organization

Meetings: Quarterly (no open meetings)

Contact: Executive Director: Anne Friesen: anne@annefriesen.com

Manager of HT Community Education: Jan: jemf2f@gmail.com

7. Triad Labor Trafficking Task Force

Leaders of this team are listed on the National HT Hotline protocol.

Leader: World Relief Triad, offices located in High Point and Winston-Salem

Counties Covered: Guilford, Forsyth, and Davidson

Purpose: Focused on enhancing and developing tools to proactively identify situations of labor trafficking in the Triad through collaboration, research, & outreach.

Member Agencies: Family Services of the Piedmont, Family Services of Davidson Co., Forsyth Co. Sheriff, Forsyth Co. DSS, High Point PD, Kernersville PD, FaithAction International House, Cone Health, Bethesda Center for the Homeless, UNCG – Center for New North Carolinians, Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center, United Way Forsyth Co., World Relief Triad, Legal Aid of NC, Forsyth Co. DA's Office

Meetings: Monthly in the Triad region

Contact: Anti-human Trafficking Program Manager: Rachel Parker: rparker@wr.org

Office Phone: 336-823-6978

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Local Coalitions

Coalitions are comprised of individuals representing various agencies and disciplines working together to address human trafficking. In addition to victim services and allied service agencies, coalitions may include community partners focused on awareness, outreach, primary prevention, and other facets of a comprehensive response.

1. Carteret/Craven County Anti-Child Sex Trafficking

Facilitator: Vicki Dalia, Safe Homes: Anti Child Sex Trafficking

Counties Covered: Carteret and Craven

Purpose: Survivor-led coalition working to prevent sex trafficking through education, especially of the younger, familial child. Provide trainings, training manual, and book: "The Long Shadow Of Darkness; A Season Of Remembering And Healing"

Member Agencies on the Team: Primarily volunteers from social service agencies and therapists. Pam Strickland, founder of NC Stop Human Trafficking

Meetings: Second Thursday of the month from 12:00-1:30

Contact: Vicki Dalia: 20.vicki@gmail.com

2. Charlotte Diocese Anti-Human Trafficking Task Force

Leader: Diocese of Charlotte Catholic Charities Office of Social Concerns and Advocacy

Counties Covered: Western NC Counties

Purpose: Education; raise awareness about the issue of Human Trafficking

Member Agencies on the Team: Primarily volunteers working in parish ministry and other related organizations. Led by diocesan representative.

Meetings: Bi-monthly (no open meetings, can arrange a guest with advance notice)

Contact: Jessica Grabowski: jgrabowski@charlottediocese.org

3. Charlotte Roundtable (Inactive)

4. Community Partnership Network

Leader: Transformation Exchange, LLC (a consulting firm providing technical resources and tools for capacity building in the non-profit, human services, and social justice areas.) It is the steward for the Community Partner Network (CPT) which represents a consortium of service providers, agencies, and advocates in Wake County that work together to raise public awareness about critical issues and connect resources to people in poverty and crisis.

Counties Covered: Wake

Purpose: To build capacity of service providers through network connectivity, public engagement, and education.

Member Agencies on the Team: Connected and actively recruiting resources with member organizations across the following fields: education, employment, equitable access food security, family services, health services, housing, human trafficking, immigration, legal services, reentry & diversion, & supportive services & ministries.

Meetings: Usually monthly

Contact: Frances Bisby: fbisby@gmail.com or 919-779-4546

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5. Hope Church (Inactive)

6. Person County Human Trafficking Coalition

Leader: Mitze Taylor-Thomas, Guardian Ad Litem Advocate

Counties Covered: Person

Purpose: Informational organization that educates the public and holds a public training event annually.

Member Agencies on the Team: Safe Haven, Person Co. Sheriff's Department, NC State Highway Patrol, City of Roxboro law enforcement, Roots and Wings, SADD, Person County CPS, Council for Women and Youth Involvement, DA's Office, Person Family Medical and Dental Center, Person Co. DSS, NC DHHS

Meetings: Quarterly

Contact: Mitze Thomas: mitze.thomas3@gmail.com

7. Roanoke-Chowan Coalition

Facilitators: LaVern Coulton-Harrell, Roanoke Chowan SAFE and Pam Strickland, NC Stop Human Trafficking

Counties Covered: Bertie, Gates, Herford, Northampton

Mission Statement: To eradicate human trafficking by empowering organizations and individuals through education, collaboration, and training

Member Agencies on the Team: Gates Co. Sheriff Office, Guardian Ad Litem, Hertford County E911, NC Stop Human Trafficking, Northampton Co. Public Schools, Hertford Co. District Attorney's Office, Roanoke Chowan SAFE (DV), Roanoke Chowan Community Health Center, Vidant Roanoke Chowan

Meetings: 2nd Tuesday at 2pm; open meetings (email LaVerne for Zoom link)

Contact: LaVerne Coulton-Harrel: lavern.rcsafehtsc1@outlook.com

Pam Strickland: pam@ncstophumantrafficking.org

8. Pitt County Coalition Against Human Trafficking

Facilitator: NC Stop Human Trafficking staff

Counties Covered: Pitt County

Purpose: To eradicate human trafficking by empowering organizations and individuals through collaboration, leadership, and training.

Member Agencies on the Team: NC Stop Human Trafficking; TEDI BEAR Child Advocacy Center; Center for Family Violence Prevention; Daughters of Worth; Pitt Co. Sheriff's Office; Greenville PD; Pitt Co. Public Schools; Legal Aid of NC; Access East; Pitt Co. DSS; AMEXCAN; The Salvation Army, Project FIGHT; Trillium; PFLAG; NC Council for Women; REAL Crisis Intervention; Vidant Health

Meetings: Monthly on the 3rd Thursday from 9:30am-11am at Sheppard Memorial Library, Meeting Room A, open meetings (virtual meeting links found [here](#))

Contact: pccaht@gmail.com

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NGOs Providing Services to Human Trafficking Populations

This section lists agencies providing services to human trafficking victims/providers. Each agency's [website](#) is hyperlinked with the agency's name, followed by the agency's office location and [tier rating](#). The "Service Area Covered" lists counties that the agency primarily serves. The subsequent [Emergency Shelter](#) section contains detailed information on each shelter (number of beds, length of stay, etc.).

This section primarily consists of non-profit (501c3) agencies; however, it also includes agencies that are no longer operating, not currently providing services, and that are in the process of building their organization and anticipate providing services in the future.

Services are grouped into the following categories:



Case Management: Includes employment assistance/job coach, medical assistance, accompaniment to law enforcement, hospitals, and/or to court, transportation, safety planning, assistance with Crime Victim Compensation forms, and other forms of case management



Life Skills: Includes financial literacy



Counseling/Therapy: Specific type of counseling listed per agency, if necessary



Peer Support/Mentorship: Includes support groups



Housing: Includes emergency housing, transitional housing, and long-term housing; see each agency for specification



Respond 24/7: Includes agencies who respond to requests at all hours or have a 24/7 crisis line.



Education Services: Includes GED support, tutoring, ESL classes, etc.



Legal Services: Includes legal services provided directly by the agency; may include immigration law, family law, or other forms of legal support



Direct Outreach: Agency interacts with potential survivors/victims either for the purpose of providing services or building relationships, such as in jails, homeless shelters, massage parlors, strip clubs, etc.



Awareness Education and Training: Organization provides trainings and/or engages in activities to raise awareness about trafficking to general public or businesses/employees that may interact with potential survivors/victims of HT



Law Enforcement Support: Agency assists law enforcement with removing victims from trafficking situations and/or prioritizes prosecuting traffickers

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1. **5 Sparrows (No Longer Operating)**

Office was Located In: Fayetteville

2. **30th Judicial Alliance (No Longer Operating HT Program)**

3. **The A21 Campaign**

Charlotte, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: All counties within 1-hour radius of Charlotte

HT Population Served: Adults or Minors independent from DSS or parental custody, any gender, labor and sex trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Case Management (Spanish services available), Life Skills, Peer Support/Mentorship, Education Services

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to community; provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Survivor Services: Kailey Kelley: kailey.k@a21.org

Email: Volunteer Services: ali.p@a21.org

Referral Line: 949-500-7988 via call or text

Business Type: Non-profit

4. **AbolitionNC**

Greensboro, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: All counties (curriculum provided to all statewide)

HT Target Population: School-aged children and school personnel

Services Provided: Awareness Education and Training (online training, school district training, education for youth; curriculum, and presentations via trauma-informed video-based student curriculum and educator training per NC legislation requirements)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to community; provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: abolitionNC@gmail.com or freewayNC@abolition.nc.org

Office Phone: 336-365-1065

Business Type: Non-profit

5. **A Fresh Start CLT Inc**

Charlotte, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Mecklenburg, Gaston, Cleveland, Catawba, Union, Anson, Stanly, Cabarrus, Rowan, Lincoln, and Iredell

HT Population Served: Female sex trafficking survivors with children

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Life Skills, Counseling/Therapy, Housing (18-month Restorative Living Facility), Education Services

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to community

Contact: Executive Director Monique Johnson: monique@afreshstartclt.com

Office Phone: 301-537-1090

General Email: info@afreshstartclt.com

Business Type: Non-profit

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6. Anti-Human Trafficking Intelligence Initiative (ATII)

Wilmington, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Statewide/National

HT Target Population: All

Services Provided: Awareness Education and Training (Anti-Human Trafficking Compliance Programs including training/eLearning courses, red flags, typologies or indicators), Law Enforcement Support (investigation and intelligence support to state, local, federal law enforcement, DA's Offices, and US Attorney's Offices)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to community via law enforcement, prosecutors, corporations, financial institutions; provides volunteer opportunities for the public for professionals that work in synergistic disciplines

Contact: Founder/CEO: Aaron Kahler: aaron@followmoneyfightsslavery.org

Chief Communications Officer: Samantha Graber

sam@followmoneyfightsslavery.org

Business Type: Non-profit, registered in South Carolina

7. A Safe Home for Everyone (Program of Partnership of Ashe)

Jefferson, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Ashe

HT Population Served: Sex trafficking victims/survivors

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy (including arts therapy), Housing ([emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community via presentations on trafficking and the dynamics of how it interacts with sexual assault/domestic violence; provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Housing and Resource Advocate: Jessica Peele

Email: handradvocate@ashechildren.org

Office Phone: 336-982-8851; **Crisis Hotline:** 336-246-5430

Business Type: Non-profit under Partnership of Ashe

8. A Safe Place

Wilmington, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: New Hanover, Brunswick, Columbus, Onslow, and Pender (will take referrals from other areas in NC, U.S., and international)

HT Population Served: Sex trafficking/Exploitation, adult women (provide case management to minors and males and refer to community partners when needed)

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Life Skills, Counseling/Therapy (Substance Abuse, Trauma Therapy, Equine Therapy), Housing (60-day shelter with referral from required for admission (women only, priority given to women who are pregnancy/have children)), Respond 24/7, Direct Outreach (businesses, jail, online)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to community via hotel and motel training and minor prevention program, provides volunteer opportunities for the public (quarterly trainings)

Contact: info@asafeplacetogo.com or 855-723-7529 ext. 4

Crisis Hotline: 855-723-7529 ext. 1

Business Type: Non-profit registered under A Centre of Redemption

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9. Atrium Health Foundation: Human Trafficking Emergency Medical Advocacy Team (HT-EMAT)

Charlotte, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Mecklenburg, Cabarrus, and surrounding

HT Population Served: Any victim of human trafficking (adult and adolescent)

Direct Services Provided: Medical Services (screening, assessment, healthcare navigation, emotional support, and medical case management); support navigating Atrium Health to determine how best to use the healthcare system to support victims

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to community

Contact: Stacy Reynolds: stacy.reynolds@atriumhealth.org

Business Type: Non-profit

10. Beloved Haven, Inc

Elizabeth City, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Camden, Currituck, Dare, Pasquotank

HT Population Served: Female victims of labor and/or sex trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy, Peer Support/Mentorship, Legal Services, Housing (14-day transitional housing program (no children), referrals), Respond 24/7, Direct Outreach (Drop-In Center)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to community; provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: thebelovedhaven@gmail.com

Office Phone: 252-722-1977

Direct Line: 252-404-2304

Business Type: Non-profit

11. BLOOMHERE

Raleigh, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Wake

HT Population Served: Women over 18 years of age

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy (including substance rehabilitation support), Housing (transitional), Education Services, Respond 24/7; 2-year program with focus on physical health/wellness and advocacy and empowerment

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Founder: Melinda Taylor: melinda@bloo-here.org

Melinda Taylor Office Phone: 704-560-9899

General Email: info@bloom-here.org

Office Phone: 919-264-8686

Business Type: Non-profit

Note: BLOOMHERE is an affiliate or sister agency of Thistle Farms

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12. [The Bridge International](#)

Durham, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Wake, Durham, Sampson, Wayne, Duplin, Johnson, Harnett, Cumberland

HT Population Served: All survivors of human trafficking regardless of gender identity, age, sexual orientation, or trafficking type

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Housing (emergency shelter via hotels if appropriate), Direct Outreach (migrant farmworkers and street outreach)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Executive Director: Danyelle Kara: danyelle@thebridgeinternational.net

Outreach Director: Kathy Nuñez: kathy@thebridgeinternational.net

Office Phone: 704-966-9233

Business Type: Non-profit

13. [Cabarrus Dream Center](#)

Concord, Tier 4

Service Area Covered: Cabarrus

HT Population Served: Female adolescent sex trafficking victims

Direct Services Provided: Collaborative Community Entity providing housing for Present Age Ministries

Contact: Gwen Stowers: gstowers@multiply.church

Business Type: Non-profit, 501c3 registered to Multiply Church

14. [Changing Destinies Ministry](#)

West End, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Moore

HT Population Served: Females 18+, any type of trafficking/sex industry

Direct Services Provided: Referrals

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community via survivor testimonies when requested

Contact: Executive Director: Kym Nixon: changingdestiniesministry@gmail.com

Business Type: Non-profit

15. [Charlotte Center for Legal Advocacy](#)

Charlotte, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Alexander, Ashe, Avery, Burke, Cabarrus, Caldwell, Catawba, Cleveland, Gaston, McDowell, Mecklenburg, Mitchell, Stanly, Union, Watauga, Wilkes, Yancey

HT Target Population: All populations of immigrants

Direct Services Provided: Legal Services/Advocacy – immigration status

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community via “know your rights” presentations, power of attorney sessions, and healthcare programs for medical insurance within the context of immigration, provides training opportunities for the public via Immigrant Justice Program.

Contact: Ruth Santana: ruths@charlottelegaladvocacy.org; 980-202-7350

Business Type: Non-profit

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16. [Coastal Horizons Rape Crisis Center](#)

Duplin, Pender, Brunswick, and New Hanover; Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Duplin, Pender, Brunswick, New Hanover

HT Population Served: All victims of sex trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Counseling/Therapy, Respond 24/7, Direct Outreach (educational classes with Salvation Army for homeless populations)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Program Manager: Chelsea Croom: supportrcc@coastalhorizons.org

Office Number: 910-392-7185

Crisis Line: 910-392-7285

Business Type: Non-profit

17. [Compassion to Act](#)

Union County, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Mecklenburg, Union, Gaston, Cabarrus, Iredell

HT Population Served: Adult women victims 18 years and older

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Housing ([emergency shelter](#), safe house), Respond 24/7, Direct Outreach (adult entertainment industry)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Executive Director: Debbie Hancock: debbie@compassiontoact.org

Crisis Line: 980-319-9595

Business Type: Non-profit

18. [Corral Riding Academy, Inc.](#)

Cary and Raleigh, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Wake

HT Population Served: Girls ages 11-17

Direct Services Provided: Counseling/Therapy (Equine-Assisted Psychotherapy), Peer Support/Mentorship, Education Services (academic support)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: General email: info@corralriding.org

Phone: 919-355-2090

Referral Coordinator: Rachel Smith: Rachel.smith@corralriding.org

Program Director: Lauren Clements: lauren@corralriding.org

Manager of Mental Health Services: Heather Brewer:

heather.brewer@corralriding.org

Founder and President: Joy Currey: joy@corralriding.org

Community Relations Manager: Jennifer Brown:

Jennifer.brown@corralriding.org

Business Type: Non-profit

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19. [CrossRoads: Sexual Assault Response & Resource Center, Inc. \(formerly Alamance for Freedom\)](#)

Burlington and Yanceyville, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Alamance and Caswell

HT Population Served: Any human trafficking victim

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy (referrals), Peer Support/Mentorship, Direct Outreach (jails through diversion program for individuals with prostitution charges; school outreach with mentoring; high risk neighborhoods)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Sexual Assault and Human Trafficking Program Director: Claudia

Patterson: claudia@crossroadscares.org

General Email: crossroads@crossroadscares.org

Alamance Office Phone: 336-228-0813

Caswell Office Phone: 336-694-4250

Crisis Line: 336-228-0360

Business Type: Non-profit

20. [Crossroads Compassion Project Inc](#)

Claremont, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Overseas focus in Moldova and Romania

HT Target Population: Orphanage “graduates”, impoverished and at-risk young people, and people with disabilities

Services Provided: Direct Outreach (orphanages, rural, impoverished villages, “street kids”)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: 828-459-6567

Business Type: Non-profit

21. [Cry Freedom Missions](#)

Goldsboro, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Primarily Eastern NC (will take referrals from agencies across NC, U.S., and international organizations)

HT Population Served: Any victim of human trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Case Management (including pregnancy services), Counseling/Therapy (substance abuse and trauma therapy), Housing ([emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7, Direct Outreach (jail, homeless, strip club), Employment

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Beverly Weeks: beverly@cryfreedommissions.com

General Email: info@cryfreedommissions.com

Main Office and Crisis Hotline: 919-988-9262

Business Type: Non-profit registered under Wayne Pregnancy Center

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22. [Dahlia Grove, Inc.](#)

Charlotte, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: All

HT Population Served: Female victims 18 years and up

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Life Skills, Housing, Direct Outreach

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Email: info@dahliagrove.org or 704-891-3033

Business Type: Non-profit (*NOTE: Affiliate or sister agency of Thistle Farms*)

23. [Daughters of Worth](#)

Greenville, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Pitt, Beaufort, Greene, Martin, Nash, Johnston, Hyde

HT Population Served: Girls elementary aged through 25 years old

Direct Services Provided: Counseling/Therapy, Peer Support/Mentorship, Emergency Services

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community through GLAM Girls mentorship and partners with NC Stop Human Trafficking Now to provide prevention/training, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Founder/CEO: Liz Liles: liz@daughtersofworth.org

Office Phone: 252-295-7517

Business Type: Non-profit

24. [Designed For Joy \(DFJ\)](#)

Raleigh, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Triangle counties

HT Population Served: Women ages 20-70

Direct Services Provided: Employment, Referrals

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public via local and global mission trips

Contact: Executive Director and Founder: Cary Heise: cary@designedforjoy.com

Office Phone: 919-278-7258

Business Type: Non-profit

25. [Durham Crisis and Response Center \(DCRC\)](#)

Durham, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Primarily Durham, serves all (no geographic limitations)

HT Population Served: All victims of human trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Case Management (bilingual services), Counseling/Therapy, Housing ([emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public 3 times a year

Contact: Human Trafficking Services Coordinator: Jayme Kimbrough:

jkimbrough@durhamcrisisresponse.org

Office Phone: 919-403-9425; **Crisis Line:** 919-403-6562

Business Type: Non-profit

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26. El Futuro

Durham and Silver City, Tier 3

Service Area: Durham, Orange, Chatham, Randolph, Moore, Lee, Guilford

HT Population Served: Spanish-speaking populations

Direct Services Provided: Counseling/Therapy (Mental Health Services)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community on issues of mental health through the La Mesita network; provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Durham Clinic Manager: Mariana Abraham: mampiequilar@el-futuro-nc.org

Office Phone: 919-688-7101

Business Type: Non-profit

27. El Pueblo, Inc. (Program of Assistance, Resources, and Education (PARE))

Raleigh, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Wake

HT Target Population: Latinx survivors of DV/SA, 18 years and over (El Pueblo serves youth and adults on leadership programs)

Services Provided: Provides information on DV and SA in areas including assistance, resources, and education. The goal is to empower Latinas so that they can act and advocate for better services and policies that promote violence-free societies PARE curriculum includes a session dedicated to Human Trafficking, facilitated by experts in that field.

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community about DV/SA and HT, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: PARE Program Manager: Mónica Drasal-Hinton: monica@elpueblo.org

Office Phone: 919-835-1525

Business Type: Non-profit

28. Empty Frames Initiative

Knightdale, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Primarily Wake, Durham, Orange, Franklin; will serve all counties in NC

HT Target Population: Youth aging out of foster care

Services Provided: Support organizations in their case for youth aging out of foster care; provide guidance on the needs or physical donations for the population; provide supportive community and connections to organizations in our area; working to set up short-term supportive community that will provide life skills training, counseling, community, and access to the Gospel.

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to community

Contact: Executive Director: Miriam Cobb: miriam@fillingemptyframes.org

Business Type: Non-profit

29. Esther House of Stanly County (No Longer Have HT Program)

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30. FaithAction International House

Greensboro, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Primarily Guilford and Triad counties, accepts from others

HT Population Served: Immigrant and refugee families

Direct Services Provided: Case Management (including direct help with food, housing, and healthcare), FaithAction ID cards, Legal Services (emergency help for those facing detention and deportation), Direct Outreach (to community newcomers through faith community and cultural organizations on services and programs)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community via trainings on immigration and diversity to health and social service agencies, schools, city departments, and faith communities, provides volunteer opportunities for the public after orientation and background check process

Contact: Director of Operations: Eniris Riddick: eniris@faihouse.org

Office Phone: 336-3497-0037

Business Type: Non-profit

31. Family Services of Davidson County, Inc.

Lexington, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Davidson

HT Population Served: Any victim of human trafficking, DV, SA, or stalking

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Housing ([emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Crisis Intervention Advocate: Emma Lookabill: elookabill@fsdc.org

Crisis line: 336-243-1934

Business Type: Non-profit

32. Family Service of the Piedmont, Inc.

High Point and Greensboro, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Guilford

HT Population Served: Any victim of human trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy, Housing ([emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7, Direct Outreach (targeted areas, traveling fairs, large local events for which sex workers are brought in from other areas)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community (support and education to law enforcement, court personnel, etc. and to areas where they may be people who might solicit sex for money), provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: President and CEO: Tom Campbell: tom.campbell@fspcares.org

Director of Victim Services: Robyn Ward: robyn.ward@fspcares.org

Human Trafficking Advocacy and Outreach Specialist: Maria Harkins: maria.harkins@fspcares.org

Office Phone: 336-387-6161

Crisis Line: Greensboro: 336-273-7273; High Point: 336-889-7273

Business Type: Non-profit

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33. The Family Violence Prevention Center, Inc., DBA InterAct

Raleigh, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Wake

HT Population Served: Both male and female survivors of all ages (certain services may not be available to minors)

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy, Housing ([emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7, Solace Center (community-based, sexual assault forensic examination center staffed by SANE nurses and advocates)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Executive Director: Allison Strickland: allisons@interactofwake.org

Senior Director of DV Services: Tasha Sullivan: tashas@interactofwake.org

General Email: info@interactofwake.org

Office Phone: 919-828-7501; **Crisis Line:** 919-828-7740

Business Type: Non-profit

34. Fashion and Compassion

Charlotte, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Mecklenburg

HT Population Served: Female labor or human trafficking victim aged 18 and older

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Life Skills, Peer Support/Mentorship, Employment, Paid Stipend

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community

Contact: Executive Director: Beth Bell: beth@fashionandcompassion.com

Artisan Empowerment Manager: Emily Adkisson:

emily@fashionandcompassion.com

Note: Website has items for purchase, and 100% of purchases go back to the organization to empower more women via partnerships with NGOs and artisan groups in Africa, South America, and Central America.

Business Type: Non-profit

35. First Fruit Ministries

Wilmington, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: New Hanover, Brunswick, Pender

HT Population Served: All survivors (sex/labor trafficking, adults, domestic and foreign born, all gender identities, and regardless of sexual orientation)

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Life Skills, Counseling/Therapy, Housing (transitional and rapid re-housing), Direct Outreach (unsheltered homeless),

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community via *Collaborative Against Sex Trafficking (CAST)* initiative, provides volunteer opportunities to the public via Mentorship Program

Contact: Executive Director: Lee Anna Stoker: lstoker@firstfruitministries.org

Program Manager: Hannah Parham: hparham@firstfruitministries.org

Phone: 910-612-9440

Business Type: Non-profit

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36. Five 14 Revolution, Inc.

Wilmington, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: New Hanover and Pender

HT Target Population: Primarily women over age 18

Direct Services Provided: Referrals (counseling, housing, therapy), Financial Support (30 days), Storehouse for women providing essentials

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: rebecca@514revolution.org; **Office and Hotline:** 910-506-8514

Business Type: Non-profit

37. Friend to Friend

Carthage, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Primarily Moore County, will take from anywhere in U.S.

HT Population Served: Any victim of human trafficking (all types)

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Life Skills, Counseling/Therapy (dog, horse, and art therapy), Peer Support/Mentorship, Housing ([emergency shelter](#) and up to 18 months at the Serenity House), Respond 24/7, Education

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community via Thousand Eyes program and provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Executive Director: Anne Friesen: anne@annefriesen.com

Manager of Human Trafficking Community Education: jemf2f@gmail.com

Office Phone: 910-947-1703; **Crisis Line:** 910-947-3333

Business Type: Non-profit

38. Garden of Hope

Apex, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Triangle region (Wake, Durham, Orange)

HT Target Population: Survivors of human trafficking, specifically Chinese communities and immigrants

Direct Services Provided: Direct Outreach, Awareness Education and Training, Referrals, Interpretive Assistance

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community

Contact: Susan Chung: susanchung@gohny.org or 332-217-6268

General Email: info@gohny.org; **Helpline Number:** 1-877-990-8595

Business Type: Non-profit based in Flushing, New York

39. Gate Beautiful

Cumberland County, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Cumberland and surrounding counties

HT Population Served: All labor and sex trafficking victims; independent commercial sex workers

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Crisis Response, Housing (support finding emergency shelter), 24/7 Response, Long-Term/Restoration Planning

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to community upon request, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: info@gatebeautiful.org or **Crisis Line:** 910-808-3123

Business Type: Non-profit

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40. Genesis...A New Beginning Counseling Services

Concord and Salisbury, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Mecklenburg, Rowan, Davison, Stanley and all others

HT Target Population: All victims

Direct Services Provided: Counseling/Therapy

Contact: Administrative Director: Daphne Houghton: daphne@genesis-anb.com

Office Phone: 704-420-7770

Business Type: Non-profit

41. Green Light Foundation, Inc. (In Building Phase)

Winston Salem, Tier 1

Contact: Katrina Ramon: greenlight.rebuild@gmail.com

42. Harbor Inc.

Smithfield, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Johnston

HT Population Served: Sex trafficking, DV, and SA survivors

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Respond 24/7, Housing (emergency shelter), Bilingual Services, Referrals

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Advocate: Tahjanay H.: tahjanayh@harborshelter.org

Office Phone: 919-938-3566; **Crisis Line:** 919-631-5478

Business Type: Nonprofit

43. Help, Incorporated: Center Against Violence

Wentworth, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Rockingham

HT Population Served: Any human trafficking victim

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy, Housing ([emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7, Legal Services, Direct Outreach (jail)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Jessica Stultz: stultz@co.rockingham.nc.us

Office Phone: 336-342-3331; **Crisis Line:** 336-342-3332

Business Type: Non-profit

44. Hendersonville Rescue Mission

Hendersonville, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Primarily Henderson, will serve from all except Buncombe

HT Population Served: Single females (non-trans) and women with children

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Life Skills, Counseling/Therapy, Peer Support/Mentorship, Housing (Shelter, Day Center), Direct Outreach

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: office@hendersonvillerescuemission.com; **Office Phone:** 828-697-1354

Business Type: Non-profit registered under "Ministry Seven"

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45. [Hope Reins](#)

Raleigh, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Primarily Wake and Durham (will serve statewide)

HT Population Served: Youth ages 5-18

Direct Services Provided: Mentoring through therapeutic horse interaction

Community Engagement: Provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Hilary Schofield: hilary@hopereins.org

Office Phone: 919-345-4914

Business Type: Non-profit

46. [Human Trafficking Rescue, Inc.](#)

Lexington, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Davidson

HT Target Population: All

Services Provided: Law Enforcement Support

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to community

Contact: Chairman of the Board: Ronald Stockton: htrescue@gmail.com

Business Type: Non-profit

47. [Hyde County Hotline, Inc.](#)

Engelhard, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Hyde, Tyrrell, Beaufort

HT Population Served: Any victim of human trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy, Housing ([emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7, Peer Support/Mentorship, Awareness Education and Training

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Executive Director: Kathy Ballance: kbhydehotline@gmail.com

Office Phone: 252-925-2502; **Crisis Line:** 252-925-2500

Business Type: Non-profit

48. [Inner Banks Hotline – Tyrrell County Inner Banks Hotline, Inc.](#)

Columbia, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Tyrell

HT Population Served: Marginalized groups, all that need services (primarily sexual assault and domestic violence)

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Housing ([emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Executive Director: Janie Spencer: spencre@ibxhotline.org

Office Phone: 252-796-5526; **Crisis Line:** 252-216-8737

Business Type: Non-profit

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49. [InStepp, Inc.](#)

Durham, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Wake, Durham, Orange, and surrounding

HT Population Served: Females, Latinx/Hispanic-Latino immigrant survivors and Latinx/Hispanic-Latino immigrant women who are unemployed or underemployed

Direct Services Provided: Life Skills, Legal Services, Employment

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community

Contact: Director of Latina Services: Ivette Kerr: iekerr@instepp.org

General Email: info@instepp.org; **Office Phone:** 919-680-8000

Business Type: Non-profit

50. [Joy International Outreach, Inc.](#)

Winston Salem (main office in Conifer, CO), Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Statewide

HT Target Population: Any age/gender, primary focus is sex trafficking

Services Provided: Law Enforcement Support

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to community via training to professionals and specialized tactical training to qualified police and anti-HT task forces; provides volunteer for the public via international mission trips

Contact: 303-838-0880

Business Type: Non-profit

51. [JusticeMatters, Inc.](#)

Durham and Raleigh, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Statewide

HT Population Served: Any victim of human trafficking

Direct Services: Legal Services (family & immigration law, victim-witness advocacy)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer training opportunities for the public

Contact: *For inquiries from partners:* Chief Program Officer: Charissa Gray:

charissa@justicemattersnc.org; 919-794-7411 ext. 5

For potential clients: Please call and leave a message: 919-794-7411 ext. 2

Business Type: Non-profit

52. [JUSTICE MINISTRIES](#)

Charlotte, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Statewide (NC and SC)

HT Population Served: Primarily female survivors of sex trafficking, will serve labor trafficking survivors, males, minors, and LGBTQ

Direct Services: Housing (emergency shelter via hotel from 3 days to 3 months, long-term 4-bed safehouse), Respond 24/7, Direct Outreach

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides minimal volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: info@justiceministries.org

Office Phone: 980-236-9313; **Crisis Line:** 888-222-9182 (local: 980-458-2930)

Business Type: Non-profit registered in SC

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53. [Kiran, Inc.](#)

Raleigh, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Statewide

HT Population Served: South Asian victims

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Housing (emergency shelter arrangement), 24/7 Response, Translation Services, Direct Outreach (teens)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Executive Director: Seema Kak: seema@kiraninc.org

General Email: kiran@kiraninc.org; **Crisis Line:** 1-877-625-4726

Business Type: Non-profit

54. [L.A.M.B.'s Place](#)

Greenville, Tier 4

Service Area Covered: Pitt

HT Population Served: Youth ages 18-25

Services Provided: Life Skills, Peer Support/Mentoring, Housing (transitional)

Community Engagement: N/A

Contact: lambplace@outlook.com; 252-258-3270

Business Type: Non-profit

55. [Legacy of Hope International](#)

Asheville, NC and Irmo, SC, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Buncombe

HT Target Population: Overseas populations

Services Provided: Provide services for victims overseas: "Safety Parties" for ages 5-10 in communities with activities & education for kids & guardians about Body Safety and Safe Adults; "blessing bags" to all ages with basic needs & HT hotline along with directions & contacts of local organizations that can meet basic needs

Community Engagement: Provide education and awareness to community; provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Stateside Manager: Jennifer Wilson: lohi.communications@gmail.com

CEO: Brendon: legacyofhopeinternationalceo@gmail.com

Business Type: Non-profit registered 501c3 in SC

56. [Legal Aid of North Carolina, Inc.](#)

Statewide, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: All 100 counties

HT Population Served: All victims of sex and labor trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Legal Services (immigration, civil legal remedies, representation), Direct Outreach ([Farmworker Unit](#))

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community via training for attorneys, provides volunteer opportunities to the public

Contact: Farmworker Unit: 919-523-6665, calls, texts, and WhatsApp

Battered Immigrant Project: 1-866-204-7612

Farmworker Unit: 919-865-2180

Business Type: Non-profit

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57. [Life 107 Ministries, Inc.](#)

Asheville, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Western North Carolina counties

HT Population Served: Any victim-survivor or sex trafficking, any persons at high risk for trafficking, and youth/children for prevention efforts

Direct Services Provided: Case Management (referrals), Life Skills, Peer Support/Mentoring, Housing (emergency shelter via hotel vouchers for 24-48 hours), Direct Outreach (ReachOut office)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community via trainings for schools, clinics, hospitality management, and other groups, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Executive Director: Demetria Gilliam-Williams: director@life107.org

Office Phone: 866-272-5209

Business Type: Non-profit

58. [Life Matters Centers for Hope, Health and Healing \(No Longer Operating\)](#)

59. [Lily Pad Haven, Inc.](#)

Charlotte, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Mecklenburg, Gaston, York, and Rowan

HT Population Served: Adult female survivors of sex or labor trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy, Housing (transitional, [emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7, Legal Services, Medical Care, Direct Outreach to vulnerable populations

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Executive Director: Benjenus Jenkin: benjenus@lilypadhaven.org

General Email: info@lilypadhaven.org

Office Phone: 704-312-2011

Business Type: Non-profit

60. [Lutheran Family Services in the Carolinas](#)

Salisbury, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Wake, Durham, Orange, Johnston

HT Population Served: All ages, genders, & types of trafficking for Dignity of Work (DOW); only foreign-born for Trafficking Victims Assistance Program (TVAP)

Direct Services Provided: TVAP: Case Management (including financial assistance)

DOW: Life Skills (job readiness and financial assistance)

Community Engagement: N/A

Contact: survivors@lscarolinas.net

Office Phone: 704-637-2870

Business Type: Non-profit

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61. Magnolia Hope (Program of Falcon Children's Home & Family Services) (Opening September 2021)

Falcon, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Cumberland & surrounding, will serve all counties & states

HT Target Population: 11-18 year old female victims of Sex Trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Life Skills, Counseling/Therapy (Trauma-informed, substance abuse treatment, equine), Peer Support/Mentorship, Housing (residential and emergency shelter), Education (on-site school classes)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities via donations of goods, services, and finances

Contact: MagnoliaHope@fchfs.org

Business Type: Non-profit via under Falcon Children's Home & Family Services

62. Market Your Mind Foundation (Neet's Sweets)

Charlotte, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Statewide

HT Target Population: Sex trafficking, minor females (CSEC and DMST)

Services Provided: Awareness Education and Training (Encourage, Equip, and Exemplify a positive transformation in young women and girls in this highly sexualized society; provides Public Policy Research Development Training & Consultation for the local and state government)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to community

Contact: Kendra M. King: k.burch.mym@gmail.com; **Office Phone:** 704-293-1744

Business Type: Non-profit

63. Moore & Van Allen Human Trafficking Pro Bono Project

Charlotte, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Mecklenburg

HT Population Served: Victims of sex and labor trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Legal Services

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community

Contact: Senior Counsel: Sarah Byrne: sarahbyrne@mvalaw.com

Chris Thompson: christhompson@mvalaw.com

Business Type: Non-profit

64. The Mission Haven (In Building Phase)

Raleigh, Tier 1

HT Target Population: Female, minor sex trafficking victims between 9-19 years old, with the possibility of accepting up to 25-years-old

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: 919-777-4931

Business Type: Non-profit

65. My Safe Haven (No Longer Operating)

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66. [My Sister's House, Inc.](#)

Nashville and Tarboro, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Nash, Edgecombe

HT Population Served: Any victim of human trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy, Housing ([emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7, Direct Outreach (Latino Outreach Program), Law Enforcement Support, Referrals

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: msh05@suddenlinkmail.com

Nashville Office Phone: 252-462-0366

Tarboro Office Phone: 252-641-6404

Crisis Line: 252-459-3094

Business Type: Non-profit

67. [My Sister's Place of Madison, Inc](#)

Marshall, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Madison (will serve survivors from all counties)

HT Population Served: All victims/survivors

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Life Skills (referrals), Housing ([emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7, Referrals, Direct Outreach (rural communities and thrift store)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities to public via thrift store and education services and support group services

Contact: Director: crystalannwebb@gmail.com

Office Phone: 828-649-2582

Crisis Line: 828-649-2446

Business Type: Non-profit

68. [NC Faith and Freedom Coalition](#)

Gastonia, Tier 3

Services Provided: Law Enforcement Support (trainings), Awareness Education and Training (trainings and government advocacy)

Community Engagement: Provides volunteer opportunities to the public

Contact: Director: Jason Williams: jason@ncfaithandfreedom.com

Business Type: Non-profit

69. [NC Institute Against Human Trafficking](#) (In Building Phase)

Belmont, Tier 1

Business Type: Non-profit (formed April 2021)

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70. NC Justice Center (Immigrant and Refugee Rights Program)

Raleigh, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Statewide

HT Target Population: Immigrant and migrant workers

Direct Services Provided: Legal Services (representation), Awareness Education and Training (advance policies, opportunities for economic security)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community

Contact: Executive Director: Rick Glazier: rick@ncjustice.org

Immigrant & Refugee Rights Director: Dani Moore: dani@ncjustice.org

Workers' Rights Project Senior Attorney: Carol Brooke: carol@ncjustice.org

Office Phone: 919-856-2570

Business Type: Non-profit

71. NC StreetLight

Walburg, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Forsyth

HT Target Population: Women employed by adult entertainment industry

Services Provided: Direct Outreach (strip clubs), Referrals (education, housing)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities to the public

Contact: tammy@streetlightnc.org or streetlightws@gmail.com

Office Phone: 336-422-6292

Business Type: Ran by volunteers

72. Not One Tear (No Longer Operating)

73. On Eagles Wings (Youth4Abolition; Fields of Hope; Hope House)

Cabarrus County, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Statewide and out of state

HT Population Served: Female victims of sex trafficking or exploitation, ages 12-24

Direct Services Provided: Counseling/Therapy, Housing (Transitional and Long Term; residential aftercare), Education Services, Direct Outreach (schools and youth-serving organizations through Youth4Abolition), Job Training (Fields of Hope)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to community via Youth4Abolition, a youth peer-to-peer mentoring program that raises awareness about DMST via monthly meetings across NC; provides volunteer opportunities to the public

Contact: info@oewhope.org

Residential Referrals: Maris McCammon: gracehavenfreedom@gmail.com

Office Phone: 877-647-1230

Business Type: Non-profit

74. Operation Restoration (No Longer Operating)

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75. Operation Royalty Rescue

Wilmington, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: New Hanover, Pender, Brunswick, Onslow, Columbus

HT Target Population: Sex trafficking with minors

Services Provided: Direct Outreach (care bags to vulnerable populations), Awareness Education and Training (free trainings for the public)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities to the public

Contact: CEO: Kaelyn Fuglaar: kaelyn@operationroyaltyrescue.org

Business Type: Non-profit registered in Alabama

76. Operation Wolf Eyes

Haywood, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Haywood and surrounding counties

HT Target Population: Education and awareness on child sex trafficking

Services Provided: Raise awareness about child sex trafficking primarily on social media platforms and grooming techniques; educate parents and other adults about online child sex trafficking; opening an after school program for children in Haywood and five surrounding counties; cyber unit with collaboration with law enforcement

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities to public via community events & as ambassadors

Contact: operationwolfeyes@gmail.com

Business Type: Non-profit

77. Our Voice

Asheville, Tier 2

Service Area: Buncombe, Henderson, McDowell, Madison, Transylvania, Yancey

HT Population Served: Any victims ages 13 & up (primary & secondary survivors)

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy, Respond 24/7, Direct Outreach (farm/agricultural, high-risk neighborhoods, shelters/housing)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public by request

Contact: Executive Director: Angélica Wind: angelicaw@ourvoicenc.org

Crisis Line: 828-255-7576

Business Type: Non-profit

78. The Outer Banks Hotline, Inc.

Nags Head, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Dare

HT Population Served: Any victim of human trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy, Housing ([emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7, Direct Outreach (hotel, restaurant, schools, jail)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: info@obhotline.org

General Phone: 252-473-5121; **Crisis Line:** 252-473-3366

Business Type: Non-profit

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79. **Partners Against Trafficking of Humans (No Longer Operating)**

Transferred operations and business practices to the NCCAHT.

80. **Pat's Place Child Advocacy Center**

Charlotte, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Mecklenburg

HT Population Served: Minors, any gender and type of human trafficking victimization, referral must come from DSS or law enforcement

Direct Services Provided: Counseling/Therapy, Medical Evaluations, Direct Outreach (child abuse prevention education for elementary-aged children)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community

Contact: Chief Program Officer: Ann Glaser: annglaser@patsplaceac.org

General Phone: 704-335-2760

General Email: info@patsplaceac.org

Business Type: Non-profit

81. **Pisgah Legal Services**

Asheville, Henderson, Brevard, Rutherfordton, Burnsville, Highlands, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: All services: Avery, Buncombe, Henderson, Jackson, Macon, Madison, Mitchell, Polk, Rutherford, Transylvania, Yancy

For immigrant clients and clients seeking access to healthcare: Those above plus Burke, McDowell, Haywood, Swain, Graham, Cherokee, and Clay Counties.

HT Population Served: All victims/survivors

Direct Services Provided: Legal Services (civil, family law remedies, immigration, eviction prevention, privacy, security healthcare), Direct Outreach (churches, jails, Community Centers)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities to the public

Contact: Executive Director: Jim Barrett: jim@pisghalegal.org

Screener: Patricia Furnish: patricia@pisgahlegal.org

Main Line: 828-253-0406 or 800-489-6411

Business Type: Non-profit

82. **Present Age Ministries, Inc.**

Cabarrus County, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Mecklenburg, Cabarrus, Iredell, Rowan

HT Population Served: Female Adolescent Sex trafficking victims (under 18)

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy (individual, family, group), Peer Support/Mentoring, Education Services (GED, tutoring), Direct Outreach (at-risk vulnerable youth), spiritual development (if desired)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: info@presentageministries.org

Office Phone: 704-956-2120

Business Type: Non-profit

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83. Project FIGHT, The Salvation Army

Asheville, Boone, Charlotte, Durham, Fayetteville, Greenville, Raleigh, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: All NC Counties

HT Population Served: All survivors (sex and labor trafficking, minors and adults, domestic and foreign born, all gender identities and regardless of sexual orientation)

Direct Services Provided: Case Management (referrals), Housing ([emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7, Direct Outreach (farm/agriculture)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Coordinator: Elizabeth Hunter: Elizabeth.hunter@uss.salvationarmy.org

General Email: info@projectfight.org

Business Type: Non-profit

84. Prolific Change Charities (No Longer operating)

85. Raleigh Dream Center

Raleigh, Tier 4

Service Area Covered: Wake and surrounding counties

Services Provided: Awareness Education and Training

Community Engagement: Provide education and awareness to community; provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: info@raleighdreamcenter.org

Business Type: Non-profit

86. Randolph County Family Crisis Center, Inc.

Asheboro, Archdale, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Randolph

HT Population Served: Any victim/survivor

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy, Housing ([emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Executive Director: Dare Spicer: spicerfcc@randolphfcc.org

Asheboro Office Phone: 336-626-5040; **Archdale Office:** 336-781-0021

Business Type: Non-Profit

87. REACH of Macon and Jackson Counties

Franklin, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Macon and Jackson

HT Population Served: All victims/survivors

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Life Skills, Counseling/Therapy, Housing ([emergency shelter](#) and limited relocation assistance), Respond 24/7

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: reach@reachofmaconcounty.org; Text REACH to 20121

Macon County Office and Crisis Line: 828-369-5544

Jackson County Office and Crisis Line: 828-586-8969

Business Type: Non-profit

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88. Redeeming Joy (No Longer Operating)

89. The Relatives, Inc.

Charlotte, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: All counties and states

HT Population Served: All youth ages 7-17

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy, Housing (emergency shelter), Respond 24/7, Direct Outreach (schools/youth programs)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Youth Crisis Center Program Manager: Akeliah Stewart:

astewart@therelatives.org

General Email: info@therelatives.org

Office Phone: 704-344-1111

Crisis Line: 704-337-0602

Business Type: Non-Profit

90. Restore One / Anchor House (No Longer Operating)

Office was Located In: Greenville – CLOSED JUNE 2019

Registered 501C3 was transferred to Cry Freedom at Wayne Pregnancy Center.

91. RootedNC (No Longer Operating)

92. Ruby + Root

Huntersville, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Mecklenburg, Cabarrus, Iredell

HT Target Population: Females 18+, post HT 1 year after program completion

Services Provided: Referrals to Justice Ministries (18+) or Present Age Ministry (under 18 years old), focus on job placement and sustainable housing

Community Engagement: N/A

Contact: Marci Parrot: rubbyandroot@gmail.com

Business Type: Non-profit

Note: *website and direct services in process*

93. The Ruby Organization

Concord, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Cabarrus and Rowan

HT Target Population: Adult women

Services Provided: Peer Support/Mentoring, Direct Outreach (strip club ministry, motels, and spas), Connection to needed resources

Community Engagement: Provide education and awareness to community; provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Director: Tracy Minchin: director@therubyorg.org

Office Phone: 704-970-7829

Business Type: Non-profit

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94. [Ruth's House, Inc.](#)

Beaufort County, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Beaufort

HT Population Served: All survivors of sex trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy, Housing ([emergency shelter](#), shelter), Referrals

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Client Services Manager Jessica Yoder: sheltermanager@ruths-house.org

General Phone: 252-940-0007

Business Type: Non-profit

95. [S.A.F.E. of Rocky Mount, Inc. \(No Longer Operating\)](#)

96. [Safe Alliance, Inc.](#)

Charlotte, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Mecklenburg

HT Population Served: Any victim of domestic violence and sexual assault regardless of age, gender, or sex.

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Housing ([emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7, Direct Outreach (jail)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: President and CEO Karen Parker: karen.parker@safealliance.org

Sexual Trauma Resource Center Advocate Manager: Carmen Crape:

carmen.crape@safealliance.org

General Email: info@safealliance.org

General Phone: 704-332-9034

Business Type: Non-profit

97. [Safe Haven of Person County](#)

Roxboro, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Primary Person but will help others

HT Population Served: DV, SA, and human trafficking survivors and their children

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Peer Support/Mentorship, Respond 24/7, Education Services, Housing (emergency shelter), Referrals

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community and partner with other local/state agencies to provide trainings, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Executive Director: Annette Hampton:

ahampton@personcountysafehaven.org

General Email: admin@personcountysafehaven.org

Office Phone: 336-330-0331

Crisis Line: 336-599-7233

Business Type: Non-profit

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98. [Safelight, Inc.](#)

Hendersonville, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Statewide

HT Population Served: Survivors of sex trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy, Housing (emergency shelter), Respond 24/7; For minors: Counseling/Therapy, Referrals

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community via school-based education, education/training for the public/professionals, and 'Safe Dates' and 'Darkness to Light' trainings, provides volunteer opportunities for public

Contact: Shelter Director: Kristen Goossens: kristen@safelightfamily.org

Executive Director: Lauren Wilkie: lauren@safelightfamily.org

Crisis Line: 828-693-3840

Business Type: Non-profit

99. [SAFE of Harnett County \(Sexual Assault Family Emergency\)](#)

Lillington, Tier 4

Service Area Covered: Harnett

HT Population Served: Any survivor of domestic or sexual violence, regardless of sex/gender identity

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy, Housing ([emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7, Direct Outreach (Prison Rape Elimination Act)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: info@safeofhc.org; **Crisis Line:** 910-893-7233

Business Type: Non-profit

100. [Shelter Home of Caldwell County, Incorporated](#)

Lenoir, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Caldwell and Alexander

HT Population Served: All victims of sex trafficking (SA and DV shelter)

Direct Services Provided: Housing ([emergency shelter](#), advocacy finding housing), partner with Project FIGHT for case management

Community Engagement: Provides volunteer opportunities to the public

Contact: info@shelterhomecc.org

Caldwell County Phone: 828-758-0888; **Alexander County:** 828-635-8850

Business Type: Non-profit

101. [Shield North Carolina](#)

Apex, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Wake (surrounding counties by request)

HT Target Population: Any survivor

Services Provided: Awareness Education and Training (trainings/advocacy; outreach/awareness to hotels, ABC stores, foster care, government officials, schools, tattoo parlors, convenience stores, medical facilities, houses of worship)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Nicole Bernard: nicole@shieldnc.org

Business Type: Non-profit

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102. Stand Against Trafficking, USA Inc. (StATUSA)

Shallotte, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Brunswick, New Hanover, NC and Horry County SC

HT Population Served: Adult victims of sex or labor trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Life Skills, Housing (financial support), Direct Outreach (jail ministry, adult entertainment industry, bystander intervention)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community (male demand awareness program), provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Executive Director/Founder: Allysa McKenzie: allysa@statusa.org

Office Phone: 910-368-7728

Business Type: Non-profit

103. Sufficient Grace Outreach, Inc

Asheville, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Buncombe

HT Population Served: Sex trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Direct Outreach (local strip clubs, online escort ads)

Community Engagement: N/A

Contact: Amanda McCoy: sufficientgrace9@gmail.com; **Phone:** 442-444-4037

Business Type: Non-profit

104. The Third Talk Inc.

Raleigh, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Statewide

HT Population Served: Parents, educators, and other adults who work with children

Services Provided: The Third Talk aims to prevent human trafficking through the prevention of exposure of online pornography to young people. Provide support and resources for parents and other adults to initiate a conversation between them and their young people regarding avoiding exposure to explicit adult material.

Community Engagement: Provides volunteer opportunities for the public by seeking Mom groups, Dad groups, and young people to blog, assist us with social media, and contact their local schools and PTAs – every voice counts.

Contact: Founder: John Van Arnam: john@thethirdtalk.org; **Phone:** 919-283-6007

Business Type: Non-profit

105. Thompson Child & Family Focus

Charlotte, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Cardinal Catchment Area: Mecklenburg, Union, Cabarrus, Stanly, Davidson, surrounding counties in the Piedmont region

HT Population Served: Females 12-17 who are experiencing significant behavioral health challenges due to their trafficking experience

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy, Education, Housing (residential treatment program), Medical Services (24/7 nursing staff)

Community Engagement: N/A

Contact: info@thompsoncff.org

Chief Program Officer: Sara Nilsson: 704-536-0375; **Phone:** 704-536-0375

Business Type: Non-profit

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106. Transforming Hope Ministries (No Longer Operating)

Office was Located In: Durham

107. Triad Ladder of Hope (Information Pending)

High Point, Tier 1

Contact: info@triadladderofhope.org

Business Type: Non-profit

108. True Justice International, Inc.

New Bern and Jacksonville, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Onslow, Craven, Carteret, Lenoir, Pender, New Hanover, Wayne

HT Population Served: Labor and Sex Trafficking, any age or gender, Hispanic

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Counseling/Therapy, Peer Support/Mentorship, Housing (Anna's House (female and over 18 years old only), Respond 24/7, Direct Outreach (jail, prison, adult entertainment)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community via HT 101, Social Media and Internet Safety, Inextricably Bound – The Crossroads of HT, Pornography and Strip Clubs, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: info@truejustice.global

New Bern Office Phone: 252-631-5111; Jacksonville Office: 910-939-5928

Business Type: Non-profit

109. The Ursus Institute

Charlotte, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: Statewide, National, International

HT Population Served: Any sector of human trafficking, adult victims

Direct Services Provided: Counseling/Therapy (support groups & music therapy), Housing ([emergency shelter](#))

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community via education, training, data-collection, and research studies with universities, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Executive Director/Founder: Tammy Harris: tammy@ursusinstitute.net

Office Phone: 704-519-7901

Business Type: Non-profit

110. U.S. Committee for Refugees and Immigrants (USCRI) North Carolina – Trafficking Victim Assistance Program (TVPA)

Raleigh, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: TVPA: statewide by partnering with local organizations to provide direct services in a client's location; NC's field office: primarily Wake/Durham

HT Population Served: TVPA: foreign national survivors of any age/gender, sex or labor trafficking, living in US without legal status; NC field office: immigrants and refugees in NC (some services only available for minors)

Direct Services Provided: TVPA: Case Management (referrals); NC field office: Legal Services; **for minors**: Counseling/Therapy, Peer Support/Mentoring

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Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community via trainings about identifying foreign national survivors and connecting them to resources, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: TVAP: Youth Program Officer Elizabeth Mitaro: emitaro@uscrimail.org

TVAP Program Officer: Sherlynn Wu: sherlynnwu@uscrimail.org

NC Field Office Director: Scott Phillips: sphillips@uscrinc.org

Office Phone: 919-334-0072

Business Type: Non-profit

111. Vigilante Truth Inc.

Charlotte, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: USA

HT Population Served: Any human currently a victim of trafficking

Services Provided: Law Enforcement Support

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community

Contact: 704-425-1600

Business Type: Non-profit

112. The Voice for Hope International

Charlotte, Tier 1

Service Area Covered: International, National

HT Population Served: Any sector of human trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Counseling/Therapy (addiction treatment included)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community via training, data-collection, research studies with university; provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Executive Director: Tammy Harris: tammy@tvohope.com

Office Phone: 704-519-7901

Business Type: Non-profit

113. Wesley Shelter, Inc.

Wilson, Tier 3

Service Area Covered: Wilson

HT Population Served: Any victim of sex trafficking

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Life Skills, Counseling/Therapy, Peer Support/Mentorship, Housing ([emergency shelter](#)), Respond 24/7 (after hours only LE), Education, Legal Services, Direct Outreach (Hispanic and Youth outreach)

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Executive Director: Lynne White: lwhite@wesleyshelter.org

Office Phone: 252-291-2344

Business Type: Non-profit

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114. World Relief Triad

Winston-Salem, Tier 2

Service Area Covered: Forsyth, Guilford, Davison; Middle and Western counties

HT Population Served: All victims in Forsyth, Guilford, Davidson; foreign national victims in Middle and Western NC

Direct Services Provided: Case Management, Legal Services, Direct Outreach

Community Engagement: Provides education and awareness to the community, provides volunteer opportunities for the public

Contact: Anti-Human Trafficking Program Manager Rachel Parker: rparker@wr.org

Business Type: Non-profit via National Association

115. Wrenn House (Haven House program) (No Longer Operating)

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Emergency Shelter Beds for Human Trafficking

To be included in this section, the organization should provide shelter admissions to its target population 24/7, with low barrier requirements. If the program has an application process that has to be sent prior to admission, it is not considered an emergency shelter.

1. A Safe Home for Everyone

Jefferson, Tier 3

Shelter Located In: Ashe County

HT Population Served: All sex trafficking victims

Referrals Accepted From: No restrictions, accept from hotline

Length of Stay: 30 days (up to 60 depending on circumstances)

Number of Beds: 10

Private Rooms: All private (family or single person per unit)

Contact: House and Resource Advocate: Jessica Peele:

handradvocate@ashechildren.org

Office Phone: 336-982-8851

Crisis Hotline: 336-246-5430

2. Compassion to Act

Union County, Tier 1

Shelter Located In: Union County

HT Population Served: Female victims 18 years and older

Referrals Accepted From: Local agencies

Length of Stay: 2 weeks

Number of Beds: 1

Private Rooms: 1

Contact: Executive Director: Debbie Hancock: debbie@compassiontoact.org

3. Cry Freedom Missions

Goldsboro, Tier 1

Shelter Located In: Greene County

HT Population Served: Any victim of human trafficking (male, female, transgender, females with children, pregnant women)

Referrals Accepted From: No restrictions

Length of Stay: 30 days or less – help clients find transitions or long-term shelter following 30-day stay

Number of Beds: 8

Private Rooms: Yes

Contact: CEO: Beverly Weeks: beverly@cryfreedommissions.com; 919-920-5189

General Email: info@cryfreedommissions.com

Office Phone and Crisis Hotline: 919-988-9262

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4. Durham Crisis Response Center

Durham, Tier 2

Shelter Located In: Durham County

HT Population Served: Any adult victim or minor victim – minors must be accompanied by parent or legal guardian

Referrals Accepted From: No restrictions

Length of Stay: 4-6 weeks

Number of Beds: 14-beds within domestic violence shelter, based on availability

Private Rooms: None

Notes on Eligibility: Must be homeless due to victimization

Contact: Human Trafficking Services Coordinator: Jayme Kimbrough:

jkimbrough@durhamcrisisresponse.org

Office Phone: 919-403-9425

Crisis Hotline: 919-403-6562

5. Family Services of Davidson County

Lexington, Tier 1

Shelter Located In: Davidson

HT Population Served: Any victims of DV, SA, HT, or stalking

Referrals Accepted From: No restrictions

Length of Stay: TBD – Case by case

Number of Beds: 20

Private Rooms: 6 total bedrooms with one family per room

Notes on Eligibility: Must be feeling DV/SA or HT situation

Contact: Shelter Coordinator: April Lawson: alawson@fsc.org

6. Family Service of the Piedmont

Greensboro and High Point, Tier 3

Shelter Located In: Guilford county

HT Population Served: Adults (any gender), as long as they can live independently

Referrals Accepted From: No restrictions

Length of Stay: Typically, 3-14 days, but up to 30 days

Number of Beds: Up to 23 beds in shelter, none restricted to only trafficking – depends on availability

Private Rooms: For families, singles in dormitory style room

Notes on Eligibility: Must have been screened and identified as a HT victim

Contact: President and CEO: Tom Campbell tom.campbell@fspcares.org

Director of Victims Services: Robyn Ward: robyn.ward@fspcares.org

Office Phone: 336-387-6161

Greensboro Crisis Hotline: 336-273-7273

High Point Crisis Line: 336-889-7273

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7. The Family Violence Prevention Center, Inc., DBA InterAct

Raleigh, Tier 3

Shelter Located In: Undisclosed

HT Population Served: Survivors of domestic & sexual violence and their children

Referrals Accepted From: No restrictions

Length of Stay: Average length of stay is around 3-4 months

Number of Beds: 30 rooms

Private Rooms: During COVID, everyone has private room –may change in future

Notes on Eligibility: Intimate partner violence and in imminent danger

Contact: Senior Director of Domestic Violence Services: Tasha Sullivan:

tashas@interactofwake.org

Executive Director: Allison Strickland: allisons@interactofwake.org

Main Email: info@interactofwake.org

Office Phone: 919-828-7501

Crisis Hotline: 919-828-7740

8. Friend to Friend

Carthage (Moore County), Tier 2

Shelter Located In: Undisclosed

HT Population Served: Adult female and their children; adult males

Referrals Accepted From: Friend to Friend Crisis Hotline

Length of Stay: TBD

Number of Beds: 34 bed shelter

Private Rooms: Double and Family rooms

Notes on Eligibility: Completed Call Screening and space availability

Contact: Manager of Human Trafficking Community Education: jemf2f@gmail.com

Executive Director: Anne Friesen: anne@annefriesen.com

Office Phone: 910-947-1703

Crisis Hotline: 910-937-3333

9. Help, Incorporated: Center Against Violence

Wentworth, Tier 2

Shelter Located In: Rockingham county

HT Population Served: Any victim of human trafficking

Referrals Accepted From: No restrictions

Length of Stay: Minimum 5 days, assessed at regular intervals to determine how long stay is required

Number of Beds: 10

Private Rooms: 2

Notes on Eligibility: All clients get 5 days for staff to assess the situation and determine if our shelter is most appropriate. If our shelter is not the most appropriate, shelter staff will assist with re-housing.

Contact: Jessica Stultz: jstultz@co.rockingham.nc.us; 336-342-3331

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10. Hyde County Hotline

Engelhard, Tier 2

Shelter Located In: Hyde County

HT Population Served: Victims of labor and sex trafficking; males over age 15 placed in separate shelter

Referrals Accepted From: Law Enforcement, Courts, Other Agencies

Length of Stay: Temporary Shelter – up to 30 days

Number of Beds: 1 bed available for HT (if shelter is not full)

Private Rooms: 1 bed available for HT (if shelter is not full)

Contact: kbhydehotline@gmail.com; 252-925-2500

11. Inner Banks Hotline

Columbia, Tier 2

Shelter Located In: Tyrell County

HT Population Served: Marginalized groups in need of our services

Referrals Accepted From: No restrictions

Length of Stay: 3 days in safe house, partner with sister shelter for longer term housing

Number of Beds: 2

Private Rooms: 2

Notes on Eligibility: Rules are given for safe house (shelter has its own guidelines)

Contact: Executive Director: Janie Spencer: spencer@ibxhotline.org

Office Phone: 252-796-5526

12. Lily Pad Haven, Inc.

Charlotte, Tier 1

Shelter Located In: Undisclosed

HT Population Served: Adult females ages 18 and older

Referrals Accepted From: Law enforcement and direct service providers

Length of Stay: TBD – case by case

Number of Beds: 1

Private Rooms: Yes

Contact: On call number: 704-312-2011; BJ at 980-552-0075

13. My Sister's House, Inc.

Nashville and Tarboro, Tier 3

Shelter Located In: Undisclosed

HT Population Served: All victims of DV, SA, and Human Trafficking

Referrals Accepted From: No referral necessary

Length of Stay: 1 week on emergency basis, then reevaluate as needed

Number of Beds: 16

Private Rooms: No

Notes on Eligibility: Must be a victim of DV, SA, or HT

Contact: 24-hour crisis line: 252-459-3094 for services

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14. My Sister's Place

Madison County, Tier 2

Shelter Located In: Undisclosed

HT Population Served: All

Referrals Accepted From: No restrictions

Length of Stay: No limit, eval every 30 days to ensure clients still want to receive services, one-on-one counseling twice a week

Number of Beds: 16-bed capacity

Private Rooms: All rooms set up to be private; option to bunk up if full capacity

Contact: crystalannwebb@gmail.com

Office Phone: 828-649-2582; **Hotline:** 828-649-2446 (toll-free: 888-765-3441)

15. Outer Banks Hotline

Nags Head, Tier 2

Shelter Located In: Dare

HT Population Served: Labor and sex trafficking victims

Referrals Accepted From: No restrictions

Length of Stay: TBD

Number of Beds: 23 within domestic violence shelter, based on availability

Private Rooms: 1

Contact Information: info@obhotline.org or 252-473-3366

16. Project FIGHT

Charlotte and Raleigh, Tier 2

Shelter Located In: Mecklenburg and Wake Counties

HT Population Served: Adult female-identifying survivors of sex/labor trafficking

Referrals Accepted From: National Human Trafficking Hotline, law enforcement, other direct service providers

Length of Stay: Case by case basis

Number of Beds: 5 beds in each location

Private Rooms: None

Contact: Lead Case Manager: Chelsea Darida:

Chelsea.darida@uss.salvationarmy.org or 919-824-1361

General Email: info@projectfight.org

Referrals: referprojectfightnc@uss.salvationarmy.org

17. Randolph County Family Crisis Center

Asheboro, Tier 1

Shelter Located In: Randolph County

HT Population Served: Any adult victim (over 18)

Referrals Accepted From: All agencies; need to speak to client first to determine eligibility for our shelter

Length of Stay: 5-day emergency shelter

Number of Beds: 16 maximum (first come first serve for DV, SA, and HT)

Private Rooms: None for human trafficking victims

Notes on Eligibility: Cannot accept clients in active addiction

Contact Information: 336-626-5040

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18. REACH of Macon County

Franklin, Tier 3

Shelter Located In: Macon County

HT Population Served: All

Referrals Accepted From: No restrictions

Length of Stay: Varies; average is 60 days

Number of Beds: 20

Private Rooms: All rooms have the ability to be private & have private bathroom

Notes on Eligibility: Individual must be fleeing human trafficking; Staff must speak directly with the victims/survivor in order to complete the assessment

Contact: reach@reachofmaconcounty.org; 828-369-5544; text REACH to 20121

19. The Relatives, Inc.

Jefferson, Tier 3

Shelter Located In: Mecklenburg Country

HT Population Served: Homeless and runaway youth ages 7-17

Referrals Accepted From: Anywhere a youth in need shows up

Length of Stay: 14 days (varies case by case, can be shorter/longer)

Number of Beds: 9

Private Rooms: No

Notes on Eligibility: If client is on medications, need all of their current medications in their original bottle/package and a copy of the original prescription from the doctor.

Contact Information: Crisis Counselors of 704-3770602

20. Ruth's House

Beauford County, Tier 2

Shelter Located In: Beauford County

HT Population Served: All survivors of sex trafficking

Referrals Accepted From: No restrictions

Length of Stay: 60 days

Number of Beds: 13-person capacity on first come first served basis

Private Rooms: Only for survivors with children

Contact: Jessica Yoder: sheltermanager@ruths-house.org; 252-940-0007

21. Safe Alliance

Confidential, Tier 3

Shelter Located In: Mecklenburg County

HT Population Served: Victims of domestic violence or human trafficking that are in imminent danger, regardless of gender or sex. The victim must be an adult or accompanied by a guardian. The shelter will not serve victims of labor trafficking unless the referring agency has funds to support the victims' placement in a hotel.

Referrals Accepted From: No restrictions

Length of Stay: Case by case, up to 90 days

Number of Beds: 120

Private Rooms: None

Contact: Client Care Specialist Manager: Rosa Rivero: rosa.rivero@safealliance.org

Greater Charlotte Hope Line: 980-771-4673

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22. SAFE of Harnett County (Sexual Assault Family Emergency)

Lillington, Tier 3

Shelter Located In: Harnett County

HT Population Served: All

Referrals Accepted From: No restrictions

Length of Stay: Case by case

Number of Beds: 12

Private Rooms: Only for families

Contact Information: Brandy Johnson: brandy@safeofhc.org

Susan Rodriguez: susana@safeofhc.org

Office Phone and Crisis Hotline: 910-893-7233

23. Shelter Home of Caldwell County

Lenoir, Tier 2

Shelter Located In: Caldwell County

HT Population Served: All survivors of sex trafficking, DV, SA

Referrals Accepted From: No restrictions

Length of Stay: Short term emergency shelter; focus on survivor empowerment; no set period; no restriction for clients engaging in services/working towards their goal

Number of Beds: 40 beds (about 15 rooms)

Private Rooms: A few

Notes on Eligibility: Must be coming out of SA, HT, DV

Contact Information: info@shelterhomecc.org; 828-758-0888

24. The Ursus Institute

Charlotte, Tier 1

Shelter Located In: Mecklenburg County

HT Population Served: Adults only

Referrals Accepted From: No restrictions

Length of Stay: Need to complete trauma-informed program, no set limit

Number of Beds: 2

Private Rooms: None

Contact: Executive Director: Tammy Harris: tammy@ursusinstitute.net

Office Phone: 704-519-7901

25. Wesley Shelter

Wilson, Tier 3

Shelter Located In: Wilson

HT Population Served: Adult victims of sex or labor trafficking

Referrals Accepted From: No restrictions, staff must speak with victim

Length of Stay: Temporary shelter; maximum stay is 8 weeks

Number of Beds: 25

Private Rooms: Communal living; 5 bedrooms with 3 baths; possibility to have a private bedroom, depending on space demands.

Contact: Executive Director: Lynne White: lwhite@wesleyshelter.org

Office Phone: 252-291-2344

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Farmwork Outreach

This section contains agencies that provide services for farmworkers in the state.

1. [Amexcan](#)

Statewide, Tier 3

Project Description: Support groups for farmworkers with partner organization; provides education and informational sessions to inform farmers about trafficking

Type of work provided: Provide clothing and education on ESL

Outreach Area Covered: Statewide, Eastern North Carolina

Type of Business or Classification: 501c3

Contact: Juvencio Rocha Peralta: juvenciorp@amexcannc.org

Office Phone: 252.258.9967

General Email: amexcan@gmail.com

2. [Episcopal Farm Worker Ministry](#)

Tier 3

Project Description: Responds to the physical, emotional, and spiritual needs of migrant and seasonal farmworkers and their families, and actively supports opportunities for them to become self-directive.

Type of work provided: We seek to minister to farmworkers in three principle ways:

- a. Direct services
- b. Through development and support of programs that work towards the empowerment of farmworkers
- c. By encouraging leadership development, advocacy, and education aimed toward a systemic change of agricultural policy at local and state levels.

Outreach Area Covered: Sampson, Harnett, Johnston, Lenoir, Duplin

Type of Business: Episcopal Ministry

Contact: Executive Director: Lariza Garzon: lariza@efwm.org

3. [Farm Labor Organizing Committee \(FLOC\)](#)

4. [Legal Aid of North Carolina, Farmworker Unit](#)

Statewide, Tier 2

Project Description: The Farmworker Unit is a statewide project of [Legal Aid of North Carolina](#) committed to providing high quality civil legal services to address the special legal needs of migrant and seasonal farmworkers in North Carolina. We represent individual farmworkers and their families, advising them about their legal rights and helping them get what the law requires.

Type of work provided: Our case work addresses common issues facing by farmworkers in this state, including: Recovering unpaid wages; Redressing violations of health and safety standards on the job and in housing; Obtaining medical attention and compensation for workers injured on the job; Addressing violations of H-2A workers' contracts; Redressing retaliation against workers who seek to assert their rights; Obtaining both damages and other civil relief and immigration status for victims of forced labor trafficking; Addressing discrimination against farmworkers by civil authorities and private entities, either on basis of status, race, religion, sex, ethnicity, or age or any other impermissible reason; Assisting farmworkers with naturalization and other representation on immigration matters

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including U visas, T visas, and VAWA self-petitions; Representing workers to bring cases enforcing workers' employment rights, including the right to a safe workplace in accordance with OSHA; and other meritorious cases that may significantly impact the special needs of migrant workers and meet the listed goals to the extent that resources allow for the representation of such cases.

Type of Business or Classification: 501C3

Notes: *In addition to representing individual farmworkers, we:* Perform extensive [outreach and community education](#) to farmworkers about their legal rights; Give [free presentations to the public](#), in both small and large group settings, about farmworkers and the law; Provide information to both English and Spanish language media to educate the public about current issues affecting farmworkers; Invite interested people to [join us for outreach](#) to learn more about and connect with farmworkers; Advocate with government agencies for improved enforcement of laws and regulations protecting farmworkers; Provide information to farmworkers about using and coping with institutions in the United States, both public and private including the justice system, licensing and tax systems, services provided by state, county, local or federal governments, employment law principles, family and consumer law, education law, civil rights, public benefits, and housing; and provide farmworkers with information and referrals to other agencies and community organizations.

Contact: To reach the Farmworker Unit specifically: 1-800-777-5869 (during office hours M-F); 919.523.6665 (calls, texts, and WhatsApp messages)

5. [NC Council of Churches](#)

Statewide, Tier 3

Project Description: Raise public awareness, publish fact sheets and Bible-based curriculum, participate in dynamic statewide coalitions, and advocate for positive farmworker legislation.

Type of work provided: Education and advocacy opportunities

Type of Business: Nonprofit

Contact: Immigration Program Coordinator and Communications Coordinator:
Rachel Baker: rachel@ncchurches.org

6. [NC Farmworker Project](#)

Tier 3

Project Description: The NC Farmworkers' Project serves as the resource center, home base, and connection to care for 3,000+ farmworkers in five counties around Benson, NC. Each agricultural season, we visit farmworkers in their homes to assess their needs, engage in health education, share information and resources, and build community. Our mission is to promote the organization of farmworkers so that they can find solutions to their problems collectively, to encourage the political participation of farmworkers, and to improve their living and working conditions.

Type of Work Provided: Health services including mobile clinics after hours, vaccinations, COVID-19 testing at farmworker camps/housing sites, and telehealth appointments; referrals to health services; case management; referrals to other resources as needed; health education; interpretation; transportation to

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appointments (currently on hold because of COVID); Marketplace insurance enrollment assistance; behavioral health telehealth appointments

Outreach Area Covered: All of Johnston County, Sampson County north of Clinton (including most of Clinton), Harnett County east of Hwy 401, Southern Wake County, parts of Duplin County around Faison and Mount Olive

Type of Business: Nonprofit

Contact: Janeth Tapia, Outreach Coordinator: 919-915-2220 or Ana Jaramillo, Behavioral Health Specialist: 910-891-8505

7. NC Farmworker Health Program (NCFHP)

Tier 3

Project Description: NCFHP is a Migrant Health Voucher Program within the NC Office of Rural Health that seeks to improve the health of migrant/seasonal farmworkers & their families by providing funding, training, & technical assistance to a statewide network of outreach and health care providers. NCFHP works with [local agencies](#) to provide care throughout the state to meet the needs of geographical areas with localized densities of farmworkers. NCFHP responds to gaps in health care that would otherwise prevent farmworkers from accessing needed care. NCFHP strives to achieve its mission through the following core activities/strategies:

1. Funding local agencies and reimbursing private providers to increase access to health care and dental services for farmworkers and their families
2. Building capacity, through training & technical assistance, to increase the provision of quality, culturally & linguistically appropriate services for farmworker families
3. Building relationships and collaborations to connect and leverage resources in the community

Type of work Provided: We contract with local agencies throughout NC to increase access to primary & preventive health care & dental services for farmworkers & their families. Outreach workers at our grantee sites find farmworkers at migrant camps & in communities and assess farmworker health issues. Outreach workers refer farmworkers to primary & specialty providers, & support farmworkers in getting the care they need by offering enabling services such as interpretation, transportation, and case management. At some sites, mobile medical teams provide medical services in the field. Outreach teams provide health education about preventive care, health care resources, & broader community resources, link farmworkers with resources in the community, & respond to farmworker concerns by adapting programming to meet expressed needs. NCFHP supports special initiatives with community and healthcare partners to respond to farmworkers' unique needs.

Outreach Area Covered: NCFHP currently serves [55 counties](#) in the state

Type of Business: HRSA funded Migrant Health Voucher Program housed within NC Office of Rural Health, NC DHHS

Contact: Ann Watson, Strategic Operations & Collaborations Specialist, ann.watson@dhhs.nc.gov, (919) 527-6470, 311 Ashe Avenue, 2009 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-2009

NOTE: [Farmworker Health Clinics Map](#): lists all of our sites and contact information as well as the other free-standing Migrant Health Centers across the state that are funded directly by HRSA

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8. NC Justice Center – Workers’ Rights Project

Eastern North Carolina, Tier 3

Project Description: Provides legal representation to employees in cases with major impact, advocates for policies to improve workplaces, and educates workers and advocates about workers’ legal rights.

Type of work provided: Legal representation, policy advocacy, community education

Type of Business: Legal services

Contact: Senior Attorney: Carol Brooke: carol@ncjustice.org

Office Phone: 919-856-2144

Legal Intake Line: 919-856-2161

Address: Workers’ Rights Project, NC Justice Center, PO Box 28068, Raleigh, NC 27611

9. Salvation Army, Project FIGHT

Statewide, Tier 2

Project Description: As needed, we provide outreach to migrant farmworker groups. We collect hygiene and food to provide to farmers. We also provide Disaster Response (feeding, emotional care, social services).

Type of Business: Nonprofit

Contact: Director: Elizabeth Hunter: Elizabeth.hunter@uss.salvationarmy.org; 919.280.948

Lead Case Manager (Project FIGHT): Chelsea Darida: chelsea.darida@uss.salvationarmy.org; 919.824.1361

General Email: info@projectfight.org

Referrals: referprojectfightnc@uss.salvationarmy.org

10. Student Action for Farmworkers (SAF)

Statewide (Office in Durham), Tier 3

Project Description: SAF works with young people and farmworkers to improve the living conditions of farmworkers. SAF has four main programs:

1. Into the field internships: SAF develops the leadership of college students from diverse backgrounds, giving them the opportunity to work directly with farmworkers in the Southeast. Each year, SAF trains approximately 25 students on farmworker issues, and places them to work full-time with migrant education programs, legal aid offices, rural health clinics, community-based organizations and farmworker unions. SAF interns increase the capacity of the organizations they work with by outreaching to over 5,000 farmworkers & their families each summer.
2. Levante Leadership Institute: SAF's Levante Leadership Institute is a program designed to increase educational success and develop social skills of Latino youth from farmworker families in Johnston County and the surrounding area. Through popular education and cultural arts such as documentary/theater, students share their experiences, build confidence, gain leadership skills, and explore options for higher education. We connect youth families with community resources & engage them in SAF's advocacy & organizing work.

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3. Solidaridad internship: Solidaridad is an academic year internship for college students, recent graduates, or Dreamers in the North Carolina Triangle area. Participants work in SAF's office and receive mentorship and training. They are part of a cohort and together they learn about the farmworker justice movement and gain nonprofit leadership skills. Interns support SAF's mission by conducting presentations, mentoring farmworker youth, creating communication tools, and participating in actions, rallies, & coalition meetings.
4. From the Ground Up program: SAF educates and informs thousands of community members by raising awareness of injustices in the agricultural industry through our From the Ground Up program. We use presentations, documentary work, and actions to inform and mobilize students and community members around current legislation, consumer boycotts, and other justice efforts led by farmworkers. We coordinate National Farmworker Awareness Week to raise awareness about farmworkers on our campuses & in our communities.

Type of work provided: SAF provides internships for college students to develop their leadership, conduct outreach with farmworkers and provide access to resources; a leadership program for high school students from farmworker families, and conducts outreach to inform and mobilize students and community members on farmworker issues.

Type of Business: Nonprofit

Contact: Assistant Director: Sandra Rodriguez: admin@saf-unite.org

Additional Contacts:

1. Guatemalan Consulate

Raleigh

Description: Information about how to contact the consulate and services they provide can be found on their website.

Contact: consraleigh@minex.gob.gt; +1-984-200-1601

2. Mexican Consulate

Raleigh

Description: Main objective is to ensure the rights of Mexicans living in North Carolina and South Carolina. Provides protection for civil affairs, migration issues, criminal matters, free legal advice. See website for full list of services & information in Spanish.

Contact: 919-615-3653

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Local Government Led Efforts / Projects

This section includes efforts led by local government agencies across the state to combat human trafficking and/or provide services for survivors.

1. Charlotte Mecklenburg Police Department

Description: CMPD has a Human Trafficking Unit assigned to the FBI Charlotte Task Force. Two Detectives, a HT Analyst, and a Sergeant work to uncover and disrupt Human Trafficking suspects and their organizations utilizing citizen and officer generated complaints, informants, and undercover operations. The Task Force works with local NGO's, the U.S. Attorney's Office and the Mecklenburg County D.A.'s Office to prosecute offenders and provide for their victims.

Contact: Detective Ashley Horton: shorton@cmpd.org

Detective Derek Rud: drud@cmpd.org

Analyst Kris Bechtel: kbechtel@cmpd.org

Sgt. Chris Rains: crains1@cmpd.org

2. Cumberland County Courts Project

Description: WORTH (We Overcome Recidivism Through Healing) Court began in 2019 as the first human trafficking court in North Carolina. This creative diversion court has a supportive care program that provides linkages between the judicial system, clinical providers, housing entities, churches, medical providers, child advocacy programs, and community leaders.

The mission of WORTH Court is to provide a judicial process whereby there is an option for an individual to agree with and accept supportive care interventions from one-year to eighteen months that will provide life altering and positive outcomes.

Contact: Bengie Hair: bmh4954@aol.com

3. Davie Center for Violence Prevention

Mocksville, Davie County, Tier 3

Description: The Center's mission is to end domestic violence and sexual assault through empowerment, advocacy, education, awareness and action for social change. Provides services to survivors of sex trafficking including 24-hour crisis line, crisis counseling, victim advocacy, referrals, support groups, court and medical advocacy, emergency shelter assistance, assistance with filing protective orders and Victim's Compensation, and educational programs. Also provides education and awareness to the community and volunteer opportunities for the public.

Contact: Client Services Coordinator/Advocate: Mary McClain:

mmclain@daviecountync.gov

Office Phone: 336-753-6152

Crisis Line: 336-751-4357

4. Fayetteville Police Department

Description: Fayetteville PD has 4 detectives dedicated to human trafficking who work with the ADA's office and local NGOs. The detectives answer citizens' complaints, along with stings and reversals.

Contact: Lead Detective: Sgt. Jarryd Rauhoff: jrauhoff@ci.fay.nc.us

Officer Sasha Graham: sgraham@ci.fay.nc.us

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5. Henderson County Sheriff's Office

Description: Our goals are to prevent, identify, and investigate any HT crimes. Through our District Attorney, local NGOs, and a coordinated effort of local, federal, and state law enforcement agencies, we will work together by raising community awareness to defeat human exploitation and trafficking in Henderson County

Contact: Outreach Coordinator: Stephanie Barbosa:

sbarbosa@hernsoncounty.nc.gov

Office Phone: 828-694-5713

6. The Lighthouse, Gaston County Children's Advocacy Center

Description: Established a multi-disciplinary team to create and implement protocols county-wide. We also complete awareness presentations when requested. Our agency will also help put appropriate services in place or make referrals if we get a call from our child abuse hotline for help. We are committed to establishing anti-trafficking responses within our county.

Contact: Human Trafficking Social Worker (Gaston County Youth and Family Services): Hannah Hopper: Hannah.Hopper@gastongov.com

Office Phone: 704-862-6646

Work Cell Phone: 980-925-0614

The Lighthouse Program Manager: Heather Kauffman:

heather.kauffman@gastongov.com; 704-862-6761

7. Pitt County Sheriff's Office

Description: Pitt County Sheriff's Office has 1 Detective dedicated to human trafficking. This Detective investigates complaints and tips that come in reference to both labor and sex trafficking. The Agency works along with local service providers to ensure that victims have access to needed resources.

Contact: Detective Travis White: Travis.white@pittcountync.gov

8. Union County: Human Trafficking Advisory Group

Led By: Decora Bowers, DSS

Description: Conducting a Feasibility Study for Provision of Anti-Human Trafficking Training and are exploring training for professional groups in our community such as EMS, clinical staff, social services staff, behavioral health staff, school staff and local law enforcement regarding awareness and identification of HT in our community.

Contact: Decora Bowers: decora.bowers@unioncountync.gov

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University Projects and/or Research / Academia

This section contains university-associated projects engaging in anti-trafficking work.

1. [Elon University and NC A&T](#)

Project Description: Faculty at Elon University have been integrating human trafficking into their teaching, research, & service. From 2013 to 2020, Dr. Carmen Monico developed an education program in the campus & community and designed & taught a human trafficking course & workshops in conjunction with anti-trafficking organizations. While transitioning to NC A&T, Dr. Monico hopes to continue expanding this prevention work. ***For more information:** See [here](#) and [here](#)

Contact: NC Agricultural and Technical State (NC A&T) Professor Carmen Monico (previously at Elon University): cmonico@elon.edu

Type of Agency: University

2. [RTI International](#)

Project Description: RTI International is a nonprofit research firm based in Research Triangle Park, NC. RTI conducts studies of the characteristics persons who experience trafficking, assesses strategies to provide services to trafficking survivors, and provides technical assistance to federally funded anti-trafficking initiatives. RTI's work is typically funded through federal & state agencies, including the Administration for Children and Families and the National Institute of Justice.

Contact: Deborah Gibbs: dag@rti.org

Type of Agency: Government

3. [UNC-Chapel Hill, School of Government](#)

Project Description: The School of Government develops resources intended to build the awareness of local government staff and elected officials about the impact and indicators of human trafficking. Print resources are available at [here](#). Other services include meeting facilitation and provision of basic training. Please visit [The Human Trafficking Resource Page](#) for more information.

Contact: Margaret Henderson: margaret@sog.unc.edu; 919-966-3455

Type of Agency: Government

4. [UNC-Chapel Hill School of Social Work, Project No Rest](#)

Project Description: Project NO REST (North Carolina Organizing and Responding to the Exploitation and Sexual Trafficking of Children) addresses trafficking of youth aged 25 and under in NC. The project is designed to increase awareness of HT affecting children & youth, especially those involved in the child welfare system, to reduce the number of these youth who are trafficked, & to improve outcomes for those who are trafficked. The project also addresses labor trafficking, & is designed to support/extend the state's infrastructure to fight HT. With NC stakeholders, Project No Rest created a [comprehensive plan](#) to address youth trafficking in NC. The project has also developed an array of short training videos, with the curriculum available online for child welfare social workers & foster parents.

Contact: D. F. Duncan, Professor: dfduncan@email.unc.edu; 919-962-7897

Type of Agency: University

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5. UNC-Chapel Hill, School of Social Work, Various Projects

Teach2Reach

Overview: School-based sex trafficking awareness program and identification/response protocol for youth. A partnership between a team of researchers at UNC-CH and the North Carolina Coalition Against Sexual Assault (NCCASA), our team is working to implement Teach2Reach in Youth Development Centers across NC.

Contact: Cynthia Fraga Rizo (305-244-7046, cfraga@email.unc.edu) and Sandra Martin (919-966-5973, sandra_martin@unc.edu)

Responding to Violence Victims during COVID-19: Ensuring Equitable Access to Diagnosis, Prevention, and Treatment.

Overview: This project will investigate how NC violence services for intimate partner violence, sexual assault, & human trafficking have been impacted by COVID. Based on study findings, we will develop guidelines for violence service provision during this pandemic, as well as in future times of emergency & crises.

Contact: Cynthia Fraga Rizo (305-244-7046, cfraga@email.unc.edu) and Tonya Van Deirse (919-962-6428, tbv@email.unc.edu)

Human Trafficking and North Carolina Corrections: Identifying and Responding to Victims and Women at Risk

Overview: The Adult Correction section of the NC Department of Public Safety and researchers at the UNC at Chapel Hill School of Social Work are partnering to begin exploring the issue of human trafficking among adult women in the NC corrections system to ensure that victims are identified and connected to needed services.

Through this partnership, we will develop human trafficking screenings, as well as identification and response protocols for the NC correctional system. We will also develop an accompanying training program and piloting plan.

Contact: Rebecca J. Macy (919-843-2435, rjmacy@email.unc.edu) and Cynthia Fraga Rizo (305-244-7046, cfraga@email.unc.edu)

Type of Agency: University

6. UNC-Greensboro

Project Description: The North Carolina Governor's Crime Commission project entitled *Building Capacity to Identify and Serve Human Trafficking Victims in Eastern NC* is a partnership between the North Carolina Network for Safe Communities (NCNSC) at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro, North Carolina Stop Human Trafficking Now, Outer Banks Hotline, and Roanoke-Chowan S.A.F.E. The purpose of the project is to build capacity to identify and provide direct services to victims and survivors of human trafficking in traditionally underserved geographic regions in Eastern NC. Capacity-building activities include region-wide training opportunities, educational and outreach events, and coordination of services. Additionally, the partnership is working to create and maintain multidisciplinary collaboration, as well as measurement and tracking of outcomes. NCNSC is providing education related to human trafficking on college campuses and working with statewide partners to implement human trafficking reduction strategies and educational and awareness efforts. NCNSC continues to present locally and nationally. NCNSC is also working with the Labor Trafficking Task Force facilitated

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by World Relief Triad and is assisting with data collection efforts to better understand the labor trafficking dynamic associated with begging and sales crews locally.

Contact: Director, [North Carolina Network for Safe Communities](#); Senior Program Specialist, Court Interventions & Community Safety Office of Research and Engagement, University of North Carolina at Greensboro 1111 Spring Garden St. MHRA 3712; Greensboro, NC 27412: John Weil: jdweil@uncg.edu; 336-334-4184

Program & Implementation Coordinator: Kristin Stout: kbstout@uncg.edu; [North Carolina Network for Safe Communities](#); Office of Research and Engagement; University of North Carolina at Greensboro 1001 W. Gate City Boulevard P.O. Box 26170; Greensboro, NC 27402-6170

Stacy Sechrist, Ph.D. (She/Her/Hers): 336-334-4302; **Senior Research Scientist**, North Carolina Network for Safe Communities, Director, Program to End Gender-Based Violence Adjunct Positions, Department of Psychology, Department of Public Health Education University of North Carolina at Greensboro; 1111 Spring Garden Street MHRA 3714; Greensboro, NC 27401

Type of Agency: University / State Government

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National Hotline Numbers

If this is an emergency, please call 9-1-1.

1. [National Human Trafficking Hotline](#)

Purpose: Anti-trafficking hotline serving victims and survivors of human trafficking, available in more than 200 languages

Hours: 24/7, 365 days a year

Number: 1-888-373-7888; **Text:** BeFree to 233733

Chat: Found [here](#)

2. [Boystown USA – Your Life Your Voice Helpline](#)

Purpose: Resources for parents, families, and children in times of need – hotline for individuals who need support, have thoughts of harming themselves, are being abused or bullied, going through a rough break up, or dealing with any tough situation.

Hours: 24/7

Number: 1-800-448-3000; **Text:** VOICE to 20121

3. [ChildHelp National Child Abuse Hotline](#)

Purpose: Resources to aid in every child abuse situation, all calls are confidential

Hours: 24/7

Number: 1-800-422-4453; **Text:** 1-800-422-4453

Chat: Live Chat available [on website](#)

4. [Department of Defense \(DOD\) Safe Helpline for Sexual Assault](#)

Purpose: Sexual assault support for the DOD community with all calls anonymous and confidential.

Hours: 24/7

Number: 877-995-5247

Chat: [On website](#)

5. [Disaster Distress Hotline](#)

Purpose: Immediate crisis counseling for people who are experiencing emotional distress related to any natural or human-caused disaster.

Hours: 24/7

Number: 1-00-985-5990; **Text:** TalkWithUs to 66746

6. [LGBT National Help Center](#)

Purpose: Serving the lesbian gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, and questioning community by providing free and confidential peer-support and local resources.

Hours: 24/7

Number: LGBT National Hotline (all ages): 888-843-4564

Youth Talkline: 800-246-7743; **Senior Hotline:** 888-234-7243

Email: help@LGBThotline.org

Chat: [Monday-Friday 4pm to midnight ET; Saturday 12-5pm ET](#)

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7. [National Alliance on Mental Health Illness \(NAMI\) Hotline](#)

Purpose: Free, nationwide peer-support service providing information, resource referrals, and support to people living with mental health conditions, their family members and caregivers, mental health providers, & public.

Hours: Monday through Friday, 10am-pm ET

Number: 1-800-950-6264

Email: info@nami.org

8. [National Center for Missing and Exploited Children](#)

Purpose: Comprehensive reporting center for all issues related to the prevention of and recovery from child victimization.

Hours: 24/7

Number: 1-800-843-5678

[Cyber Tipline](#) for reporting online exploitation of children found [here](#)

9. [National Domestic Violence Hotline](#)

Purpose: Hotline for victims and survivors of domestic violence

Hours: 24/7, 365 days a year

Number: 1-800-799-7233; **Text:** LOVEIS to 22522

Chat: Found [here](#)

10. [National Runaway Safeline](#)

Purpose: Hotline for individuals who are thinking of running away or already have, calls are confidential and nonjudgmental.

Hours: 24/7

Number: 1-800-786-2929; **Text:** 66008

11. [National Suicide Prevention Lifeline](#)

Purpose: Free and confidential support for people in distress, prevention and crises resources, and best practices for professionals.

Hours: 24/7

Number: 1-800-273-8255

Chat: Found [here](#)

12. [National Teen Abuse Hotline – Loveisrespect](#)

Purpose: Resources to empower youth to prevent and end dating abuse (Project of the National Domestic Violence Hotline)

Hours: 24/7, 365 days a year

Number: 1-866-331-9474; **Text:** LOVEIS to 22522

Chat: Found [here](#)

13. [Rape, Abuse, and Incest National Network \(RAINN\)](#)

Purpose: Anti-sexual violence organization

Hours: 24/7

Number: 800-656-4673

Chat: Found [here](#)

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14. [StrongHearts Native Hotline](#)

Purpose: Domestic, dating, and sexual violence helpline for American Indians and Alaska Natives offering culturally appropriate support and advocacy

Hours: 6am to 9pm EST(After hours may connect with the National Domestic Violence Hotline)

Number: 1-844-762-8483

Chat: “Chat Now” option [here](#)

15. [Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration Helpline \(SAMHSA\)](#)

Purpose: Free and confidential treatment referral and information service for individuals and families facing mental and/or substance abuse disorders.

Hours: 24/7

Number: 1-800-662-4357

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Additional Resource Guide Links

1. [ACLU: Know Your Rights](#)

Description: Rights for immigrants under the Constitution; along with rights for protection against sex trafficking, race/ethnicity/national origin-based discrimination, LGBTQ rights, and much more.

2. [Association of Sexual Assault Prevention \(ASAPNC\)](#)

Description: Social media cites with information on sexual assault, human trafficking, etc. Provide information and links to hotlines/services.

Contact: raleighasap@gmail.com; [Instagram](#); [Facebook](#)

3. [Contratados: Know Your Rights](#)

Website in ENGLISH: <https://contratados.org/en/know-your-rights>

Website in SPANISH: <https://contratados.org/es/conoce-tus-derechos>

Description: Center for Migrant Rights on Labor and Farm work materials – know your rights for H-2A and H-2B.

4. [Heyrick Research \(Illicit Massage Focus\)](#)

Description: “Research, data analysis, and coalition building to combat human trafficking networks”, national organization

5. [Human Trafficking Institute](#)

Description: Resources and annual reports; [2019 Report](#)

6. [Human Trafficking Legal Center](#)

Description: Resources, including on the U.S. Tariff Act to Combat Forced Labor, Advocates Guide to Tax Issues, Affecting Victims of Human Trafficking, Federal Human Trafficking Litigation, Cases involving domestic servitude, legal remedies for minor victims of sex tourism and trafficking, for labor in for-profit detention facilities, and many more.

7. [National Center for Homeless Education](#)

Description: Trafficking and the Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children (CSEC): Extensive list of resources and links to other resources.

8. [National Center for Missing and Exploited Children](#)

Description: Comprehensive reporting center for all issues “related to the prevention of and recovery from child victimization” – steps to take for missing children, internet safety resources, [risk factors, statistics, and red flags for child sex trafficking](#); [A Guide for Parents and Guardians: Child Sex Trafficking in America](#); [Child Sex Trafficking Identification Resource](#)

9. [National Center on Sexual Exploitation](#)

Description: Tools and Resources to overcome sexual exploitation – tools for parents, commercial sexual exploitation resources, resources for partners/spouses of pornography users, educational videos

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10. [National Child Traumatic Stress Network's Resource Page](#)

Description: Resources to “help educate child welfare professionals, families/caregivers, healthcare providers, justice system professions, policy makers, school personnel, and survivors on the signs of trafficking and services for human trafficking survivors.”

11. [National Human Trafficking Hotline; Safety Planning Information](#)

Description: Contains information on safety planning (risk assessments, preparations, and contingency plans) to increase a victim of human trafficking's safety or the safety of an at-risk individual. Information includes potential red flags for human trafficking situations, online/smart phone safety, safety tips for travel, trips for suspicious/controlling relationships, safety tips **when leaving** a human trafficking situation, and safety tips after **exiting** a human trafficking situation.

Contact: help@humantraffickinghotline.org

12. [National Human Trafficking Resource Center and Hotline](#)

Description: Includes extensive statistics and resources, report cards by state, and extensive information about human trafficking, recognizing the signs, labor and sex trafficking information, and myths and facts.

Contact: 1-888-373-7888 OR Text “BeFree” to 233733;
help@humantraffickinghotline.org

13. [Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention](#)

Description: Resources and links to other departments in the federal government who do anti-human trafficking work.

14. [Office on Trafficking in Persons \(OTIP\)](#)

Description: Office of the Administration of Children & Families; provides info on myths/facts of human trafficking, ways to help end trafficking, awareness materials available to the public, publicly available training modules on human trafficking, Victim Assistance resources, research & policy resources, & resource library on HT

Contact: endtrafficking@acf.hhs.gov

15. [Office of Victim's Crime](#)

Description: Information about trafficking; training and technical assistance; resources and research

16. [Polaris Project](#)

Description: Polaris operates the U.S. National Human Trafficking Hotline, produces annual report with statistics from the hotline, provides information about human trafficking, different “business models” for sex and labor trafficking, ways to recognize human trafficking, how human trafficking happens, and has information on policy & legislation from the US Congress. Accepts donations, ways to join public policy fights to improve legislation, fundraising support, and partners with businesses, nonprofits, political leaders, and law enforcement.

Contact: info@polarisproject.org; 202-709-6300

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17. Regional Response Team (RRT) and Task Force Local Collaboration Enhancement (In Progress)

18. Runaway and Homeless Youth Training and Technical Assistance Center

Description: Links for eLearning and Digital Resources, and Fact Sheets

Contact: info@rhyttac.net or 888.290.7233

19. The Salvation Army Justice

Description: Salvation Army's national human trafficking website with resources, including [National Anti-Trafficking Impact Report](#)

20. SharedHope International

Description: Resources on child sex trafficking; including state report cards grading states on their legislative efforts to combat child sex trafficking.

21. Truckers Against Trafficking

Description: Training information, annual reports, and resources

22. UNC-CH School of Government Resource Website

Description: Resource to inform local government staff and elected officials of resources available to assist communities in addressing human trafficking.

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