



ABOUT US ✦

✦ The human trafficking victims program at The Legal Project provides civil legal services to victims of human trafficking – both sex and labor – primarily in immigration, family and employment. Such services include:

- Orders of Protection ✦
- Forms of Immigration Relief including VAWA Petitions, T & U Visas ✦
- Family Law issues including Custody Support and Divorce
- Reporting to Law Enforcement
- Victim's Rights in Prosecution
- Employment and Wages
- Public Benefits
- And more...depending on client's needs



COUNTIES WE SERVE

- Columbia ✦
- Fulton ✦
- Greene ✦
- Montgomery ✦
- Albany ✦
- Rensselaer ✦
- Saratoga ✦
- Schenectady ✦
- Schoharie ✦
- Washington ✦
- Warren ✦

✦ COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Unity House

518-274-2607

Equinox, INC

518-435-9931

Safe INC of Schenectady

518-374-5178

YWCA of Northeastern NY

518-374-3394

Albany County Crime Victims &

Sexual Violence Center ✦ ✦

518-447-7100

HUMAN TRAFFICKING SURVIVORS PROGRAM



If you would like a free consultation, contact our office and one of our staff attorneys will be happy to assist you:

24 Aviation Rd.
Ste. 101
Albany, NY 12205
518-435-1770





WHAT IS HUMAN TRAFFICKING?

The exploitation of human beings through force, fraud or coercion for the purposes of commercial sex or labor.

Indicators of Human Trafficking

- Working long and unusual hours
- Paid little or not paid at all
- Not free to come and go
- Owes a large debt to an employer
- Not in control of identification documents (i.e. passport, license)
- Not allowed to speak for themselves

If you or someone you know needs to talk to someone immediately regarding human trafficking, you can contact the human trafficking hotline

call 1-888-373-7888 or text "BeFree" to 233733

COMMON LABOR TRAFFICKING INDICATORS

- Feel pressured by employer to stay in a job or situation they want to leave
- Not being paid what they were promised or are owed by an employer
- Are living and working in isolated conditions, largely cut off from interaction with others or support system
- Appear to be monitored by another person when talking or interacting with others
- Are living in dangerous, overcrowded or inhumane conditions provided by an employer
- Are being threatened by their boss with deportation or other harm
- Are working in dangerous conditions, without proper safety gear, training, adequate breaks and other protections

COMMON SEX TRAFFICKING INDICATORS

- Want to stop participating in selling or trading sex but feel scared or unable to leave
- They disclose that they were reluctant to engage in selling sex but that someone pressured them into it
- Living where they work or are transported by guards between home and workplace
- Children who live with or are supported by someone who is addicted to drugs or abusive in other ways
- They have a pimp or manager in the sex trade
- Have a controlling parent, family member, guardian, romantic partner or "sponsor" who will not allow you to meet or speak with a person alone or monitors their movements, spending and/or communications