



# Central Ohio Rescue and Restore Coalition

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Mission:

To end Human Trafficking through public awareness, services to trafficked persons, advocacy, and resources and training support to law enforcement.

**CORRC 24-Hour Human Trafficking Hotline**  
**1-888-881-5465**

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## How to Recognize Human Trafficking – The “Red Flags”

Because trafficking victims often do not self-identify, it is important for to recognize the “red flags” of trafficking and think about opportunities to take a second look at the situation.

The U.S. federal government lists the “red flags” of trafficking as the following:

- Evidence of being controlled (rarely alone, seems to be under constant surveillance, isolated or cut off from family and friends, bruises, fear of speaking for themselves.)
- Evidence of inability to move or leave a job.
- Persistent fear, depression, anxiety, or submissive or stupor-like behavior (signs of trauma.)
- No passport or other identifying documentation.
- Excessive work hours - not free to take time off.
- Unpaid for work completed or paid very little.
- Lives with co-workers and “employer” - no privacy.
- Untreated illnesses and infections.
- Active in commercial sex industry or works “off the books” in low-paying job.

In addition to the above red flags, there are many other guides to identifying victims of trafficking.

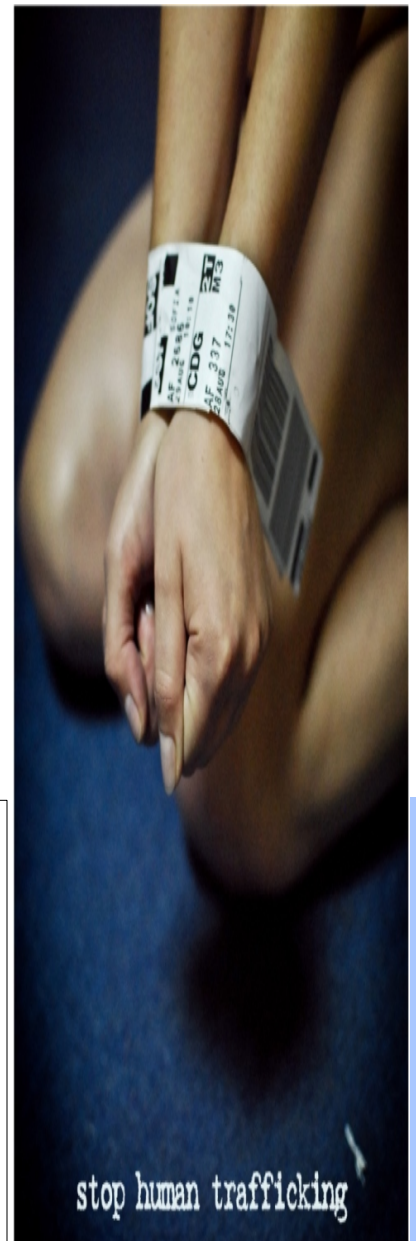
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