

IS IT HUMAN TRAFFICKING?

Trafficking in Persons is the humans' entrapment, taking advantage of their vulnerable situation, forcing or deceiving them, in order to exploit their work, provide sexual services, even commit crimes, etc., in order to gain illicit profit.



War as a push factor

The life- and security-threatening conditions, like war or displacement from conflict zones, are push factors, making the ground fertile for the flourishing of human trafficking criminal activity.



YOUR ROLE

It is therefore important for the field professionals while ensuring the coverage of their basic needs, as well as their protection and security, to be aware of the human trafficking risk.



NATIONAL REFERRAL MECHANISM FOR THE PROTECTION OF VICTIMS OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING



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INDICATORS

Particular attention must be paid to the human trafficking "signs" and to the application of prevention measures.



- 01** Women travelling alone and unaccompanied children
- 02** Persons claiming that they will be helped by people that you haven't heard operating in the hosting facility
- 03** Persons claiming that they intend to follow people that they have just met or have contacted through social media
- 04** Persons with disability or families marginalised within the community

Promises for employment, high living standards, residence documents, must be examined in depth, because they might be means of attracting potential human trafficking victims.

"WHAT CAN I DO?"

- 01** Ensure that information on rights and benefits are complete and accessible
- 02** Inform the people you work with on the risks that "easy" and "quick" solutions might entail
- 03** Assist in the confirmation of information that people on the move are given, in regards to employment opportunities, locations, routes, etc.
- 04** Ensure the public visibility of helplines. Encourage people to save your Service contact number in case they need to ask for help