



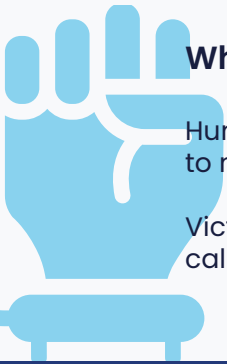
SHINE THE LIGHT ON HUMAN TRAFFICKING

Do you see exploitation? Tell someone! Make it stop.



11.000

In Belgium, some **11,000 people** every year, according to the **Glo** modern slavery



What is human trafficking?

Human trafficking is a crime in which people are exploited to make money.

Victims often work in degrading conditions and face physical and/or psychological violence.

Who are the perpetrators?

Perpetrators take advantage of the vulnerable position of their victims and may make them economically dependent: by offering housing, food or residence papers, for example.

Perpetrators are part of a criminal network, but may also act alone.

Perpetrators do all they can to keep the facts under the radar.



are victims of **human trafficking**
Global Slavery Index, an estimate of
in 160 countries.

Sexual exploitation

Human trafficking in the form of sexual exploitation is closer than you think. It can involve anyone, regardless of age, gender or nationality. You or someone you know could also be or become a victim.

Victims of sexual exploitation must perform sexual services to earn money for someone who coerces, manipulates or convinces them to do so with the promise of fancy things, money or a better life. This happens not only in prostitution, but also in the porn industry, in escort services and over the internet.

An example of sexual exploitation? Teenage pimps are usually young men who first seduce under-age girls or women and then make them effectively dependent and emotionally hooked. Through deception, coercion, physical or psychological violence, teenage pimps exploit their victims into prostitution.



WHERE CAN YOU GO?

Do you suspect someone is being exploited, or are you a victim of trafficking yourself?

Contact the police

Visit your local police station or call 101 in case of immediate danger.

Contact specialised centres

Here you can get advice and information on all forms of exploitation.



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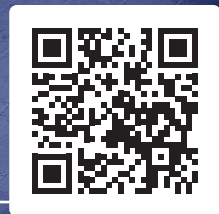
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Call the national helpline +32 78 055 800.

Human trafficking can also be reported
confidentially at www.stophumantrafficking.be



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