

OVERVIEW OF INCOMING SIGNALS

The following information is based on incoming communication with the National Human Trafficking Hotline from January 1, 2016 – December 31, 2016 about human trafficking cases and issues related to human trafficking in Utah. Communication can take the form of **phone calls, online tip reports, or emails**. Communication regarding topics unrelated to human trafficking are not included in this report. In 2016, the National Human Trafficking Hotline received a total of **34,068** phone calls, emails, or online tip reports nationwide.



**156** Phone Calls



**15** Emails



**12** Online Tip Reports

SUBSTANTIVE CALL DATA

The following statistics are based solely on substantive calls about human trafficking and issues related to human trafficking made to the National Human Trafficking Hotline between January 1, 2016 and December 31, 2016 from callers in Utah at the time of their call. Substantive calls exclude hang-ups, missed calls, wrong numbers, and calls in which the caller's reason for calling is unknown.

**Number of Substantive Calls Received from Utah: 156**

This constitutes the 34th highest call volume of all 50 states and Washington, D.C. in 2016.

CALLER TYPE	# OF CALLS	% OF CALLS
Victim of Trafficking	54	34.6%
Community Member	21	13.5%
Victim of Labor Exploitation	20	12.8%
NGO Representative	17	10.9%
Friend of Trafficking Victim	5	3.2%
Other	4	2.6%
Family of Trafficking Victim	4	2.6%
Government Official	4	2.6%
Victim of Other Crime	4	2.6%
Student	4	2.6%
Trucker	4	2.6%
Law Enforcement	3	1.9%
Medical Professional	3	1.9%
Caller Types Referenced Fewer than Three Times <sup>1</sup>	9	5.8%
<b>TOTAL # OF SUBSTANTIVE CALLS</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

<sup>1</sup>To protect the identity of the people we serve, the National Human Trafficking Hotline does not disclose exact statistics related to venues, industries, victim information or caller information referenced fewer than three times.

HOW CALLER FOUND THE NATIONAL HOTLINE	# OF CALLS	% OF CALLS
DOS Know Your Rights Pamphlet	14	9.0%
Awareness Campaign	5	3.2%

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Internet-Web Search	2	1.3%
Referral	2	1.3%
Pamphlet/Brochure/Leaflet	1	0.6%
Word of Mouth	1	0.6%
Unknown	131	84.0%
<b>TOTAL # OF CALLS</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

### HUMAN TRAFFICKING CASE DATA

Each request submitted to the hotline is evaluated for evidence of potential human trafficking. **In Utah, a total of 40 unique cases (incidents) of potential human trafficking were reported to the hotline.**

PRIMARY REASON FOR CONTACTING THE NATIONAL HOTLINE	# OF CASES	% OF CASES
Report a Trafficking Tip	25	62.5%
Access Service Referrals	10	25.0%
Request Crisis Assistance	5	12.5%
<b>TOTAL # OF CASES</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

VENUE/INDUSTRY OF POTENTIAL TRAFFICKING	# OF CASES	% OF CASES
<b>Sex</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>75.0%</b>
Venue Not Specified	13	32.5%
Online Ad, Venue Unknown <sup>2</sup>	5	12.5%
Hotel/Motel-Based	3	7.5%
Residential Brothel	3	7.5%
Pornography	3	7.5%
Venues Referenced in Fewer than Three Cases <sup>3</sup>	3	7.5%
<b>Labor</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>12.5%</b>
Industries Referenced in Fewer than Three Cases <sup>3</sup>	5	12.5%
<b>Sex and Labor</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2.5%</b>
<b>Trafficking Type Not Specified<sup>4</sup></b>	<b>4</b>	<b>10.0%</b>
<b>TOTAL # OF POTENTIAL TRAFFICKING CASES</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

<sup>2</sup>Online Ad, Venue Unknown cases typically involve reports of sex trafficking in which an individual is advertised for commercial sex online but the venue of the sex act is unknown or not specified.

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<sup>4</sup>Cases where trafficking type is not specified typically occur when a law enforcement agent or service provider contacts the National Hotline for resources and referrals but does not disclose details about the trafficking situation due to confidentiality. This category also includes cases in which the person reporting the information references human trafficking but does not provide further detail regarding the presence of labor or commercial sex. These cases are often submitted to the National Hotline through anonymous online tip reports.

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VICTIM DEMOGRAPHICS <sup>5</sup> (LABOR TRAFFICKING CASES)	# OF CASES	% OF CASES
Adults	5	12.5%
Minors	Fewer than Three <sup>6</sup>	N/A
Females	3	7.5%
Males	3	7.5%
Transgender Females	Fewer than Three <sup>6</sup>	N/A
Transgender Males	Fewer than Three <sup>6</sup>	N/A
Gender Non-Conforming Individuals	Fewer than Three <sup>6</sup>	N/A
US Citizens/Legal Permanent Residents	Fewer than Three <sup>6</sup>	N/A
Foreign Nationals <sup>7</sup>	4	10.0%
<b>NON-CUMULATIVE<sup>5</sup></b>		

<sup>5</sup>These statistics are non-cumulative. Cases may involve multiple victims and include female, male, transgender and gender non-conforming individuals, foreign nationals and U.S. citizens, adults and minors. In some cases, demographic information is not reported. This table shows the number of cases referencing each demographic and not the number of individual victims.

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<sup>7</sup>A Foreign National in this data set is defined as any individual who is not currently a US Citizen or Legal Permanent Resident.

VICTIM DEMOGRAPHICS <sup>8</sup> (SEX TRAFFICKING CASES)	# OF CASES	% OF CASES
Adults	22	55.0%
Minors	9	22.5%
Females	31	77.5%
Males	4	10.0%
Transgender Females	Fewer than Three <sup>9</sup>	N/A
Transgender Males	Fewer than Three <sup>9</sup>	N/A
Gender Non-Conforming Individuals	Fewer than Three <sup>9</sup>	N/A
US Citizens/Legal Permanent Residents	9	22.5%
Foreign Nationals <sup>10</sup>	5	12.5%
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