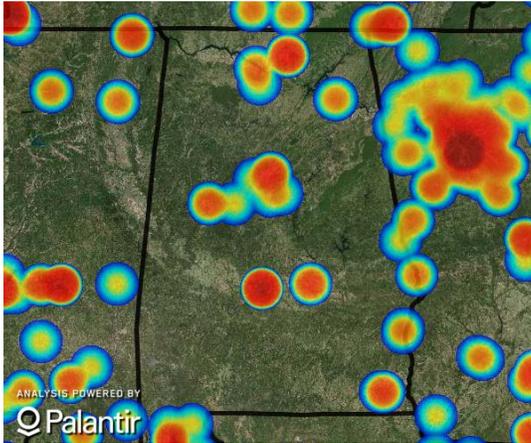


Alabama: Efforts to Combat Human Trafficking

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Region IV

This state profile summarizes regionally specific data to help promote collaboration and inform and enhance the response to human trafficking in Alabama. Information was reported to the National Human Trafficking Hotline from December 2012 to December 2016.



The image above is a heat map that reflects the cases reported to the National Human Trafficking Hotline in 2016. Areas in which greater numbers of cases were reported contain more red shading. Areas in north, east, south, and central Alabama contain red shading. This map only reflects cases in which the location of the potential trafficking was known. Some cases may involve more than one location.



DEMOGRAPHICS OF POTENTIAL VICTIMS:

Citizenship

U.S. Citizen/Legal Permanent Resident: **82**
Foreign National: **48**

Gender

Female: **176**
Male: **40**
Gender Minorities: **2**

Age

Adult: **146**
Minor: **74**

*These statistics are non-cumulative. Cases may involve multiple victims and include males and females, foreign nationals and U.S. citizens, adults and minors. In some cases, callers do not provide demographic information.

For more statistics on human trafficking in Alabama, visit <https://humantraffickinghotline.org/state/alabama>.

TOP 5

SEX TRAFFICKING VENUES

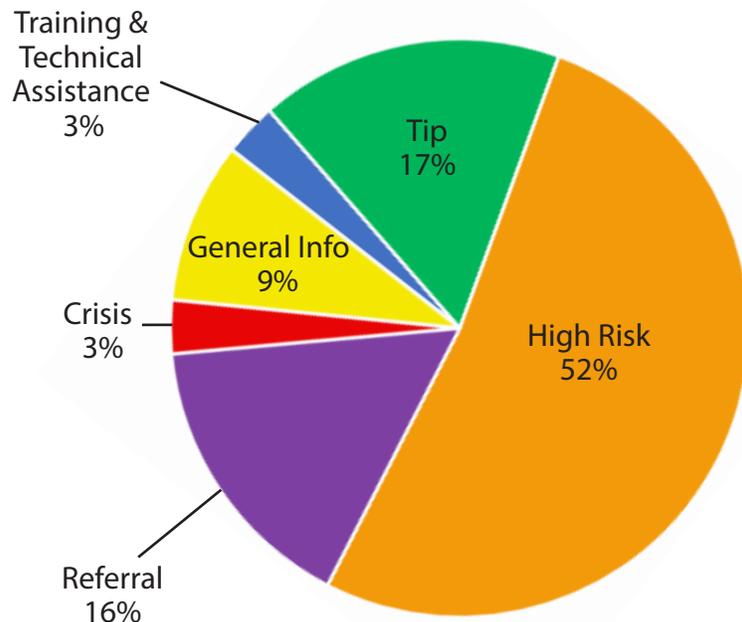
1. Hotel-/Motel-Based
2. Truck Stop-Based
3. Escort Services
4. Online Ad. Venue Unknown
5. Other Venues

TOP 5

LABOR TRAFFICKING VENUES

1. Traveling Sales Crews
2. Restaurants/Food Service
3. Domestic Work
4. Begging Rings
5. Health and Beauty Services

Types of Calls to the National Human Trafficking Hotline in 2016



The data contained in this document are based on aggregated information learned through signals—phone calls, emails, and online tip reports—received by the National Human Trafficking Hotline. The data do not represent actual numbers of cases identified or processed, nor do they represent the entire scope of human trafficking.



Alabama Human Trafficking Laws (Sex Trafficking, Labor Trafficking, Safe Harbor, Vacating Convictions, etc.)

- Affirmative Defense | [§ 13A-6-159](#)
- Asset Forfeiture: Forfeiture of Profits or Proceeds and Interest in Property | [§ 13A-6-156](#)
- Civil Action By Victim; Relief Rewarded | [§ 13A-6-157](#)
- Human Trafficking in the First Degree | [§ 13A-6-152](#)
- Human Trafficking in the Second Degree | [§ 13A-6-153](#)
- Posting of a Human Trafficking Hotline | [SB 50](#)



Alabama Statewide Efforts

Three victim service agencies are listed in the National Human Trafficking Referral Directory in Alabama.
<https://humantraffickinghotline.org/training-resources/referral-directory>

COLLABORATIONS (Coalitions, Task Forces, Working Groups)

- [Alabama Human Trafficking Task Force](#)
- [North Alabama Human Trafficking Task Force](#)
- [The Middle District of Alabama Human Trafficking Task Force](#)
- The Huntsville/Madison County Human Trafficking Task Force

RESOURCES (State Research, Publications, Trainings)

- [Child Victims of Human Trafficking in Birmingham, Alabama](#)
- [Human Trafficking in Alabama](#)
- [The 2014 Alabama Fusion Center Human Trafficking Surveys](#)

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

- [Victims of Crime Act grants and funds](#)



Human Trafficking Hotlines



.....888-373-7888
The National Hotline serves victims and survivors of human trafficking and the anti-trafficking community across the United States and its territories, 24/7, in more than 200 languages. Contact the confidential hotline to report tips, seek services, ask for help, or receive information and statistics related to human trafficking.

LOCAL

The WellHouse Rescue and Recovery Helpline.....800-991-0948
The WellHouse Helpline is a 24/7 hotline for women who are victims of sexual exploitation and trafficking.