

An Overview of Child Sex Trafficking

- <https://humantraffickinghotline.org/resources/overview-child-sex-trafficking>
- A 38-minute training webinar discussing an overview of child sex trafficking, risk factors, indicators, and models for response. Webinar uploaded in 2015 by the National Human Trafficking Resource Center

An Exploration of Family-Facilitated Child Sex Trafficking

- https://ncjtc.fvtc.edu/training/details/TR00010526/TRI0010527/an-exploration-of-family-facilitated-child-sex-trafficking?utm_source=cc&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=2020-05-05-%20watch%20now%20recent%20-%20april&utm_content=webinars
- A 70-minute training webinar that focuses on the distinction of family facilitated child sex trafficking. The webinar provides survivor stories and statistics of familial trafficking. The presenter comes from Texas Department of Children and Families, and reports on the experiences and cases during her time as a Program Specialist for Human Trafficking and Child Exploitation.

Sex Trafficking 101

- https://socialwork.asu.edu/starfish/story_html5.html
- A one-hour online training module from the Starfish Program with specific information for the general public, school professionals, mental health providers, and medical providers. Includes supplemental worksheets.

Mental Health Interventions for Commercially Sexually Exploited Youth

- <https://learn.nctsn.org/mod/nctsnwebinar/view.php?id=10458>
- Requires free account with NCTSN to view
- In this hour and a half webinar, we focus on mental health interventions we can use for the CSEC population using a complex trauma conceptualization model. We know that within working with the CSEC population, it is not heterogeneous, and no one approach fits all youth as everyone youth's experience is different. This webinar discusses the importance of establishing a trusting, safe, and predictable therapeutic environment in treatment to not retraumatize the youth and including the caregiver(s). Caregivers will need additional support in learning to not be shaming and be consistent with the youth to best support the youth. Additionally, one of the presenters is a survivor who shares her experience being exploited, what providers did that helped and didn't help, and also building a healthy trusting relationship with a foster family.

Assisting Commercially Sexually Exploited Youth in the Juvenile Justice System

- <https://learn.nctsn.org/enrol/index.php?id=437>
- Requires free account with NCTSN to view
- While the beginning of the training states that they are not offering a CSEC 101 training, the first half of the webinar goes over CSEC definitions, TVPA, Safe Harbors Bill, interpersonal and systemic trauma, impacts of secrecy/shame/silence, risk factors, etc. The specifics delve into serving CSEC within the juvenile justice system takes place later in the second half of the training. The trainers discuss lack of trauma informed care within juvenile justice systems and how to become more trauma informed, as well as best practice for roles within the system, engagement, and assessments.

Mentoring Youth who Experience Commercial Sexual Exploitation

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7GAjfJAKPBM>
- This hour and 15 minutes webinar, from August 2019, focus on challenges faced by the CSEC population while also addressing the impact of having a positive mentoring relationship. The webinar discusses the relational aspect of exploitation and the leverage that trauma informed mentors can have when assisting youth to resist and recover, understand the role of trauma in exploitation and in the development of youth who have been exploited, how to utilize a youth led approach, and how to address the toxicity in cultural and economic environment which perpetuates youth exploitation.

Promoting Trauma-Informed Policies and Practices to Address Child Sex Trafficking

- <https://learn.nctsn.org/mod/nctsnwebinar/view.php?id=11909>
- Requires free account with NCTSN to view
- This is an hour and half webinar that was recorded on Sept 2018. The webinar is broken down by the speakers and their corresponding topics of expertise:
 - Katherine Chon, Director of the Office on Trafficking in Persons, U.S. Dept. Of Health and Human Services provides a national overview of federal level efforts and strategic plans addressing trafficking.
 - Eliza M. Reock, Strategic Advisor, Child Sex Trafficking, National Center for Missing and Exploited Children speaks to federal policies and national trends, the need for language and cultural change, indicators and risk factors, etc.
 - Christine M. Raino, Esq., Senior Director of Public Policy, Share Hope International offers information on JUST Response Counsel, mapping services, tracking of criminalization laws, implementation challenges and promising approaches.
 - Kelly Kinnish, PhD, Director of Clinical Services, Georgia Center for Child Advocacy provides info on Project Intersect based out of Georgia as well as the National Child Traumatic and Stress Network response and resource to trafficking.

Responding to the Complex Issues of Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children in Child Welfare

- <https://learn.nctsn.org/mod/nctsnwebinar/view.php?id=10459>
- Requires free account with NCTSN to view
- This webinar will provide an overview of current issues, challenges, and emerging practices facing child welfare jurisdictions across the country as it relates to children who have experienced commercial sexual exploitation. Representatives from San Diego, CA and the state of Rhode Island will discuss how their agency/jurisdiction identifies, intervenes, addresses safety, and works to prevent CSEC. Law enforcement will also provide a valuable perspective that focuses on cross system collaboration for identification and treatment of CSEC, as well as victim advocacy.

Sex, Lies & Media Training – For Parents and Interveners – FREE

- <https://www.selahfreedom.com/events>
- Sex, Lies & Media Training helps interveners (parents, teachers, youth workers, etc.) learn about how predators and recruiters can approach innocent youth online through social media. It educates adults on the red flags to look out for, how a predator can manipulate and exploit a child, and how to protect the next generation from this crime. Gain practical tools to keep your kids safe online and learn how to facilitate conversations about this issue with them.

Social Norms Linked to Sexual Exploitation of Children and Adolescents: A Global Systemic Review (Dec. 2019)

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1C3EHo7eux4>
- In this 52-minute webinar by LINEA (Learning Initiative on Norms, Exploitation and Abuse), presenters, Dr. Ana Maria Buller and Marjorie Pichon, discuss results from a LINEA systematic review on social norms and the link to the sexual exploitation of children and adolescents across the world. They discuss two findings of universal social norms while also discussing their methods and other findings in detail.

Balancing Collaboration, Confidentiality and Privilege on Human Trafficking Cases (2015)

- This hour and a half long webinar explores strategies for promoting collaboration while also protecting confidentiality, the overlap between human trafficking, domestic violence, and sexual assault, while also exploring ways to effectively engage the justice system and community stakeholders. Examples of partnerships to build agency capacity and enhance victim identification are also considered throughout.

Collaborating with Culturally Specific Organizations to End Human Trafficking, Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault (2015)

- This hour and a half webinar explores effective collaboration strategies that provide culturally specific resources on behalf of survivors. Discussions around dynamics of trafficking and sources of trauma, cultural competency and culturally specific community based organizations, and effective collaboration at points of contact to provide culturally specific and trauma informed care to survivors are had throughout the webinar.

10 Myths of Sexual Assault

- In this hour-long webinar, we examine the common medical and social myths and misconceptions that undermine the investigation and adjudication of child sexual abuse cases. Medical and legal definitions regarding sexual assault terms are provided throughout the hour.

Understanding Trauma Bonds Between Traffickers and Their Victims

- During this webinar, you will learn what is a trauma bond, the impacts of a trauma bond on the survivor of sex trafficking and on the systems we work with, and what do we do with trauma bonds. This webinar discusses case examples to go discuss different strategies to utilize when working with survivors. Although this webinar focuses on youth, many of this can also be applied to adults.

Sex trafficking: Current Trends in Technology

- In this webinar, you learn about internet recruitment, internet-based trafficking and how it works, how traffickers use technology, and when and how to legally obtain subpoenas to gain information needed.

Boys: The Forgotten Sex Trafficking Victims

- In this webinar we explore the current response to boys who are victimized through trafficking, how boys are trafficked compared to girls, and profiles of the traffickers and buyers. Real life stories are shared throughout the webinar to demonstrate what happens in real life and discuss best practices.

[Child Sex Trafficking and Gangs](#)

- During this webinar, the intersection between child sex trafficking and gangs are explored by a criminal investigator, Daniel Steele. Throughout the webinar, it is discussed why and how gangs are becoming involved in sex trafficking, the difference between gang related/motivated child sex trafficking vs. traditional sex trafficking models, and lastly understand the dynamics of victimization relating to gang trafficking.

[An Exploration of Family-Facilitated Child Sex Trafficking](#)

- Throughout this hour and ten minute webinar, we discuss the differences between victims of family-facilitated CSEC and other types of sex trafficking, recognize the most common victim-trafficker dyad (how are traffickers related to the victims) along with what their motivation is on trafficking their family members, look at the additional challenges of family-facilitated victim identification, and indicated long-term outcomes of family-facilitated CSEC.

[I Take it Back: When a Child Recants Allegations of Sexual Abuse](#)

- This webinar will give us better understanding of the disclosure process for children and how recantation can fit this process, identify the barriers to disclosure that exists as a result of the victim and offender dynamics, and when we interview and how we can do that using specific techniques.

[What to Expect When You Call the National Human Trafficking Hotline](#)

- In this 35-minute webinar from the National Human Trafficking Resource Center in collaboration with Polaris Project, we gain a clear understanding of how the hotline operates and what callers should expect when calling the hotline. An overview of the national human trafficking hotline is given with the functions of it, hotline services, confidentiality and more.

[NCMEC Connect](#)

- The National Center for Missing & Exploited Children (NCMEC) has self-paced trainings and modules for child-serving professionals currently for free. Topics include and are not limited to Introduction to Child Sex Trafficking, Child Safe Resources, and Teaching Online Safety. Trainings and modules range in time and the number of components associated with each topic.

[Family & Youth Services Bureau; Runaway and Homeless Youth Training & Technical Assistance Center](#)

- The Family & Youth Services Bureau (FYSB) has an e-learning platform that allows individuals to be trained in multiple categories. The categories include and are not limited to Child Welfare, Cultural & Gender Responsiveness, Family Engagement/Support, Sex Trafficking/Exploitation/CSEC, Street Outreach, and so many more. The trainings are free of charge and an account will need to be made to view the trainings. The account is also free of charge.

[Understanding Vicarious Trauma](#)

- In this hour-long webinar, providers develop an increased understanding of vicarious trauma and develop resiliency and healthy coping skills when providing care to recent victims of sexual assault.

[Leading Practices for Screening and Assessment of Human Trafficking Victims](#)

- In this hour-long webinar, Dr. Makini Chisolm-Straker and Holly Austin Gibbs provide us with resources and best practices for health care providers to screen and assess for labor and/or sex trafficking.

[Survivor Teachings: A Process of Healing and Hope](#)

- During this hour and 20-minute webinar, child trafficking in Florida is discussed and the intersection between trafficking and the COVID-19 health pandemic. The bulk of the presentation is given by a survivor who discusses her time in the life, the lasting impacts, how she is able to work through trauma, and so much more.

[Call to Action Responsive Advocacy for 2SLGBTQ Native Youth Experiencing Dating Violence](#)

- In this hour and a half webinar, there is a panel of Indigenous 2SLGBTQ youth that present a vital call to action modeling the need of youth leadership in initiatives impacting their lives. This webinar focuses primarily on youth experiencing dating violence and intimate partner violence. This webinar is hosted by NIWRC.

[Understanding the Dynamics and Tactics of Intimate Partner Violence through the Lens of Indigenous Survivors](#)

- During the hour and a half webinar, from NIWRC, topics include root causes of domestic violence in Indigenous communities, explaining the dynamics and tactics from a survivor's point of view, and the importance of traditional and cultural practices in strengthening and building capacity to provide effective, respectful advocacy.

[Traumatic Brain Injury and Domestic Violence: What are the Connections?](#)

- As March is National Brain Injury Awareness month, NIWRC, hosted this hour and a half webinar focusing on the intersection of domestic violence and traumatic brain injury (TBI), strategies for advocates, the importance of trauma-informed approaches, and provided resources to strengthen our advocacy and understanding of TBI effects.