

## GET HELP NOW

Find a place with  
the Safe Place Sign



Text "SAFE" and your current  
location (address - city - state)  
to **69866**

For Youth...  
Someplace To Go.  
Someone To Help.

[www.nationalsafeplace.org](http://www.nationalsafeplace.org)

Serving youth age 10 through 18  
In Northwest Indiana

For Safe Place info,  
call us 24 hours a day:  
**(219) 938-7070 dial 0**

[www.SafePlaceNWI.com](http://www.SafePlaceNWI.com)

## Just need to talk?

Use our free &  
confidential Hotline:

**Crisis Contact:**  
**(219) 938-0900**

**24 hour/7 day Hotlines:**

**Runaway Safeline:**  
**(800) RUN-AWAY**

**Suicide Lifeline:**  
**(800) 273-TALK**

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- Branding/tattoos (names, numbers, dollar signs, emblems @ neck, chest, wrist, fingers, lower back)
  - Adult is speaking for youth and is controlling the conversation
  - Youth has no ID, or doesn't have control of ID or other important documents, or has fake ID
  - Youth is fearful or submissive (looks at ground, not speaking, doesn't know location, looks at adult before answering questions)
  - Past or current homelessness
  - Genital injuries, STI's
  - Prior pregnancies and/or abortions
  - Urinary tract infections/difficulties
  - Hypervigilant, angry, or displays unwarranted paranoia/fear
  - Bruises in various stages of healing
  - Scars, mutilations, or infections
  - Signs of drug abuse or symptoms of drug withdrawal
  - Malnutrition/dehydration
- For anyone 18 or over demonstrating these indicators, please call the National Human Trafficking Hotline at (888) 37 37 888.

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## Human Trafficking Quick Indicator Tool - Health Care

- If youth:
- Is advertised social media/internet,
  - Was brought in unconscious,
  - Was recovered from a hotel,
  - Evidence of implantation of chip (raised area) on neck behind earlobe, web area between thumb and forefinger, or inside of lower forearm,
  - Admits exchanging sex/sex acts for money/goods, or
  - Has had a prolonged absence from home without explanation/consistently runs away from home for >24 hours call DCS immediately.  
Indiana DCS: 1-800-800-5556

### Other Red Flags

The factors on the reverse side may also indicate human trafficking. You must use your professional judgment based on the individual circumstances to determine if DCS should be notified. If you see 3 or more of these factors, it is recommended you call the DCS hotline at (800) 800-5556 to initiate a human trafficking assessment.