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PROVIDER	SERVICES	CONTACT INFORMATION
<p>Alabama Child Protective Services – Statewide directory</p>	<p>The office of Child Protective Services is a division of the Alabama Department of Human Resources (DHR).</p> <p>The numbers in the directory link are for emergency after hours assistance for a juvenile sex trafficking or sex abuse victim.</p>	<p>Emergency contact information for all counties in Alabama</p> <p>http://dhr.alabama.gov/documents/AFTER_HOURS_TELEPHONE.pdf</p>
<p>Alabama Coalition Against Rape – Statewide directory</p>	<p>The Alabama Coalition Against Rape (ACAR), formerly known as the Alabama Coalition Against Sexual Violence (ACASV), is a statewide non-profit agency which has members from 15 rape crisis centers throughout the state. ACAR provides training and educational resources to law enforcement personnel, hospital, universities, schools, prosecutors, legislatures and the public.</p> <p>The link is a directory of all Alabama Rape Crisis Centers and the counties they serve.</p>	<p>Phone: (334) 264-0123</p> <p>Toll Free: 1-800-656-HOPE(4673)</p> <p>http://www.adph.org/injuryprevention/assets/Rape_Crisis_Centers.pdf</p>
<p>Alabama Domestic Violence Shelters – Statewide directory</p>	<p>Programs that provide temporary emergency shelter for women who have experienced domestic violence/abuse, and their children. Such facilities usually provide in-house individual, group and family counseling and the full range of secondary services related to domestic violence including referral to appropriate resources. Also included are similar facilities for battered men and those that can accommodate both men and women.</p>	<p>Links to directories of domestic violence shelters in Alabama</p> <p>http://tinyurl.com/hnqbwsc</p> <p>https://www.womenshelters.org/sta/alabama</p>
<p>Alabama Fusion Center Statewide</p>	<p>Provides training for law enforcement on human trafficking indicators and human trafficking investigative methods and tools.</p> <p>Assists federal, state and local law enforcement with human trafficking investigations.</p> <p>Can provide certified forensic interviewing for juvenile sex trafficking victims.</p>	<p><u>Intelligence Analysts</u></p> <p>Teresa Collier 334-517-2665 Teresa.Collier@alea.gov</p> <p>Sara Loughran 334-517-2667 Sara.Loughran@alea.gov</p>

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<p>Alabama Network of Children’s Advocacy Centers, Inc. – Statewide directory</p>	<p>A child advocacy center (CAC) is responsible for providing direct intervention services to sexually and severely abused children. CACs offer assistance to the Alabama Department of Human Resources, the District Attorney’s office and law enforcement agencies using expertise in interviewing, counseling, case tracking and testimony on behalf of the child.</p>	<p>Phone: (334) 546 -5257</p> <p>Link to all 35 CACs in Alabama</p> <p>www.alabamacacs.org</p>
<p>Alabama Rape Crisis Centers – Statewide directory</p>	<p>Services include Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE), counseling services and referral services.</p>	<p>Link to directory of rape crisis centers in Alabama</p> <p>http://www.aardvarc.org/rape/states/alrp.shtml</p>
<p>Alabama Victim Compensation Specialist Statewide</p>	<p>Alabama's compensation law covers a variety of expenses for which compensation is paid. The Alabama Crime Victims Compensation Commission provides the only substantial financial compensation to victims for expenses for personal injuries including medical, funeral and counseling bills</p>	<p>Teresa Jones Phone: (334) 290-4425 teresa.jones@acvcc.alabama.gov</p>
<p>Blanket Fort Hope – Shelby County and Prattville areas</p>	<p>Blanket Fort Hope is a 501 (c)(3) nonprofit that is working to open a Children's Home to provide housing, services (medical, legal, counseling, education, etc.), and care for child trafficking victims.</p> <p>Currently serves as a coordinating organization to connect child victims with services provided by members of our partner network. Also provides trafficking prevention training to children, professionals who work with children, and the general public.</p>	<p>Lauren Hartin – CEO President Alexa James – Vice President</p> <p>Phone: (334) 430-3875 Emails: lauren@blanketforhope.org alexa@blanketforhope.org</p>
<p>Boat People SOS – Mobile county and Gulf coast region including Biloxi, MS</p>	<p>A national Vietnamese-American community-based organization. Services include: direct aid, disaster relief and recovery, immigration and naturalization assistance, legal counseling, personal finances assistance, tax assistance, domestic violence assistance, and work readiness.</p> <p>Can provide some assistance to human trafficking victims.</p>	<p>Service/Intake Phone: (251) 517-3011 Do (Dave) Tuan tuan.do@bpsos.org</p> <p>http://www.bpsos.org</p>

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<p>Camille Place – Monroeville – Youth shelter for girls opening in 2016</p>	<p>Opening in 2016 – Shelter for girls 6-18 years old that have been rescued from sex trafficking.</p>	<p>Chris Ziebach – Director Cell: (251) 564.1607 director@camilleplace.com</p>
<p>Family Connection – Birmingham area co-ed youth shelter</p>	<p>Basic Center shelter for runaway and homeless youth. Can provide up to 21 days of shelter service for human trafficking victims between the ages of 12–17 years old, must be willing to receive services on a voluntary basis, and must not be in DHR or DYS custody. All services in the Basic Center are provided free of charge.</p>	<p>Brandi Horton - Residential Program Director Phone: (205) 663-6301</p>
<p>FBI Victim Specialists – Statewide</p>	<p>The Office for Victim Assistance (OVA) is responsible for ensuring that victims of crimes investigated by the FBI are afforded the opportunity to receive the services and notification as required by federal law and the Attorney General Guidelines on Victim and Witness Assistance.</p>	<p>LaNora Timmons Southern and Middle Districts Phone: (251) 219-3525 Lanora.timmons@ic.fbi.gov Helen Smith Northern District 205-279-1202 Helen.smith@ic.fbi.gov</p>
<p>Hispanic Interest Coalition of Alabama (HICA) – Statewide with focus on Blount, Jefferson, Shelby and St. Clair counties</p>	<p>Advocacy for Hispanic/Latino Community and in addition to other services offers Crime Victim Support, Domestic Violence Support Groups, and Employment Discrimination Assistance for Hispanic/Latino Community.</p>	<p>Service/Intake and Administration Phone: (205) 942-5505 info@hispanicinterest.org http://www.hispanicinterest.org</p>
<p>Homewood Suites – Montgomery</p>	<p>All-suites, all-inclusive property specializing in extended stay (5 or more nights). Will provide accommodations for victims at a discounted rate.</p>	<p>Ray Brown Francine Mollete Phone: (334) 272-3010 Cell: (334) 398-3911 rayb@LBAProperties.com www.Montgomery.HomeWoodSuites.com</p>

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<p>Hope Haven – Summerdale – Sex trafficking shelter for women</p>	<p>Six bed, faith based shelter devoted to adult female human trafficking victims 18 yrs and older. Short term care up to 14 days with help in providing placement in a long term facility. If long term shelter cannot be found within 14 days, shelter period can be extended for an additional 14 days.</p>	<p>Donna Armstrong Cell: (251) 604-4549 donna4him@hotmail.com</p>
<p>Hope Inspired Ministries Montgomery area</p>	<p>Trains unskilled, poorly educated, and/or chronically unemployed men and women to obtain and maintain employment. Trafficking victims are welcome to receive training at no cost.</p>	<p>Michael Coleman Founder and Ex. Director Cell: (334) 210.0604 Office: (334) 649.4330 mcolemanjr@gmail.com HopelInspiredMinistries.org</p>
<p>Human Trafficking Hotlines – Statewide and nationwide</p>	<p>Includes contact information for: Freedom-21, Polaris Project, The Wellhouse, Crisis Services of North Alabama</p>	<p>http://tinyurl.com/hnqbwsc</p>
<p>Immigration/ Naturalization Legal Services – Statewide and nationwide</p>	<p>Includes contact information for: Bureau of Consular Affairs Visa Services, Mexican Consulate in Atlanta, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services, Boat People SOS, Hispanic Interest Coalition of Alabama, Catholic Social Services in Mobile, Dumas Wesley Community Center in Mobile, One Place Family Justice Center in Montgomery, Citizenship Works in NYC, Immigration Law Helps in NYC, Catholic Social Services in Baldwin County.</p>	<p>http://tinyurl.com/hgr4oys</p>
<p>Koru Silver House Transitional Living Program - Madison County/Huntsville area – Co-ed shelter -Tennessee Valley Family Services</p>	<p>Non-faith based shelter and long term transitional living for males and females ages 16-22 including human trafficking victims. Seven beds with an additional 4 beds in the future.</p>	<p>Lynn Caffery - Director Cell: (256) 489-1003 lcaffery@comcast.net</p>
<p>Love in Action Ministries Dothan area</p>	<p>Assists victims with basic needs such as food, clothing, hygiene items, and transportation to a rescue emergency shelter such as Wellhouse or Hope Haven if needed. Provides on-site support personnel for victims rescued in the Dothan or surrounding area. Can assist law enforcement with rescue operations.</p>	<p>Gia Hughes Director of Human Trafficking Outreach Cell: (334) 701-6192 eyeswideopen.lia@gmail.com</p>

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<p>Montgomery County Youth Facility – Montgomery area</p>	<p>Co-Ed Juvenile Detention Facility with the capacity to house up to 52 Juveniles. The Family Court does prosecute Human Trafficking cases.</p>	<p>Patricia Boyd Training and Compliance Officer Phone: (334) 240-1600 patricia.boyd@alacourt.gov</p>
<p>Providence Hospital Human Trafficking Initiative – Mobile area</p>	<p>System-wide response to the human trafficking issue, introducing standard training and resources to identify victims of labor and sex trafficking</p>	<p>Silvia Vaca-Diez Project Coordinator Providence Outreach Guadalupe Center Office: (251) 544-4481 Cell: (251) 404-2244 svacadiez@providencehospital.org</p>
<p>Safe Place - Co-ed youth shelter - Guntersville area location but will take victims from throughout the state - Tennessee Valley Family Services</p>	<p>Non-faith based emergency shelter for boys and girls ages 12-17. Beds for up to 40 children including human trafficking victims. Will provide transportation to Safe Place from anywhere in the state.</p>	<p>Lynn Caffery - Director Cell: (256) 489-1003 1-800-753-4269 HOTLINE lcaffery@comcast.net</p> <p>Kids on the street can text their location and “Safe” to 69866 for immediate help.</p>
<p>Salvation Army – Mobile area – Emergency men’s shelter</p>	<p>The Salvation Army of Coastal Alabama provides spiritual, social and emotional assistance for men, women and children who have lost the ability to cope with their problems and provide for themselves.</p> <p>The center offers emergency shelter, job training and placement, social services and seasonal assistance for families in need.</p> <p>An emergency shelter bed for a male victim will be made available on an “as needed” basis at the Mobile area Salvation Army.</p>	<p>Major Mark Brown Phone: (251) 438-1625 Mark_Brown@uss.salvationarmy.org</p> <p>Major Susan Brown Cell:(251) 289-6468 Phone: (251) 459-6150 Susan_Brown@uss.salvationarmy.org</p>
<p>Southern Poverty Law Center</p>	<p>Civil Litigation on behalf of human trafficking victims.</p>	<p>Daniel Werner Main (404) 521-6700 Direct: (404) 221-5834 daniel.werner@splcenter.org Twitter: @DanWernerSPLC</p>

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<p>T/A Travel Center – Montgomery</p>	<p>Works with victims of human trafficking in the trucking industry, victims of forced sexual exploitation and investigates criminal acts of promoting prostitution and underage victims.</p>	<p>John White Director of Public Safety TA Travel Center Phone: (334) 612-8454 tsdetective@yahoo.com</p>
<p>Tapestri</p>	<p>Tapestri Inc. is dedicated to ending violence and oppression in refugee and immigrant communities, using culturally competent and appropriate methods. They are advocates for immigrant and refugee families affected by domestic violence, sexual assault and exploitation.</p> <p>Tapestri can provide funds for short term housing of human trafficking victims.</p>	<p>Outside Metro Atlanta Phone: (866) 317-3733</p> <p>http://www.tapestri.org/</p>
<p>Tate, Rickey- Northern District HT Task Force</p>	<p>Provides awareness training for law enforcement, the hospitality industry, health care providers, faith based groups, and education professionals.</p>	<p>Rickey Tate Phone: (423) 903-3207 rick.tate@att.net</p>
<p>U.S. Attorney Victim Witness Specialists</p>	<p>The Victim Witness Assistance Unit of the U.S. Attorney’s Office provides assistance to victims and witnesses of serious crime while they are involved with the criminal justice system. Unit Staff will also help victims understand how the criminal justice system works and assist with restitution and services.</p>	<p><u>Middle District</u> Jackie Vickers Office: (334) 223-7280 Direct: (334) 551-1796 Cell: (334) 328-9673 Jackie.Vickers@usdoj.gov</p> <p><u>Southern District</u> Eric Day Phone: (251) 441-5845 Direct : (251) 415-7120 Cell: (251) 709-6565 eric.day@usdoj.gov</p> <p><u>Northern District</u> Tonja R. Benninger Direct: (205) 244-2093 Cell: (205) 213-6171 tonya.benninger@usdoj.gov</p>

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<p>Wellhouse – Statewide-women’s shelter for sex trafficking victims</p>	<p>Faith based shelter devoted to adult female human trafficking victims 18 yrs and older. Eight beds for short term transitional care and counseling for up to 6 months. Sixteen beds for long term care, counseling and transitional living for an indefinite period.</p>	<p>Tajuan McCarty –Founder Carolyn Potter - Director Brenda Weimer – Rescue Coordinator Office: 1-800-991-9937 Brenda Cell: (205)306-6058</p> <p>24/7 HOTLINE: 800-991-0948</p> <p>info@the-wellhouse.org http://the-wellhouse.org</p>
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