



Capacity Building
CENTER FOR TRIBES

SEX TRAFFICKING PREVENTION

Training Resources for Tribal Child Welfare Staff

Child Protection Training for Tribal Communities

Amber Alert in Indian Country partnered with the National Criminal Justice Training Center to create an Amber Alert eLearning and compilation of relevant courses for tribal child protection partners.

The courses include:

- Building Amber Alert Programs in Indian Country: Key Components and Strategy
- Law Enforcement & Community Response: Child Sex Trafficking and Exploitation in Indian Country
- Recognition and Response to Child Sex Trafficking and Exploitation at Tribal Casinos
- Advanced Interviewing & Case Management for the High Risk Juveniles in Indian Country
- Call Taker Training for Tribal Communities
- Child Abduction Training for Tribal Communities
- Responding to Sex Trafficking in Indian Country
- Community Workshop on Trafficking and Exploitation in Tribal Communities
- Indian Country Child Abduction Response Team Training
- Leadership for Missing & Abducted Children in Indian Country

<https://amber-ic.org/resources/training-2/>

A Healing Journey for Alaska Natives

Designed for tribal, federal, state, and local victim service providers, criminal justice professionals, and people working with Alaska Native victims, this video series aims to increase awareness, identify first responders, illustrate challenges faced by victims, highlight the critical role of culture and tradition, and offer strategies to enhance response to and investigations of violence against Alaska Natives. Case studies and personal experiences are shared.

<https://www.ovc.gov/library/healing-journey.html>

What You Need to Know: Sex Trafficking and Sexual Exploitation: A Training Tool for Child Protective Services (CPS)

This brief training brochure from Sex Trafficking Intervention Research (STIR) is designed to help CPS workers detect the signs of trafficking as they work with children and youth. Tips and sample questions to use during interviews with an emphasis on the helping relationship between a caseworker and child are included.

<https://socialwork.asu.edu/sites/default/files/Sex%20Trafficking%20STIR%20ASU%20Child%20Welfare%20brochure.pdf>

STIR has also created an online sex trafficking 101 training module and training brochures for mental health providers, parents of teens, school educators and administrators, health care providers, EMS providers, adult probation officers, and parole officers.

<https://socialwork.asu.edu/stir/training>

Human Trafficking and Child Welfare: A Guide for Child Welfare Agencies

Offering guidance to child welfare agencies on how to support trafficked children and youth and those at risk of future victimization, this information includes federal legislation and initiatives, victim needs, and strategies state and local agencies can implement.

<https://www.childwelfare.gov/pubs/trafficking-agencies/>

Human Trafficking and Child Welfare: A Guide for Caseworkers

Designed for those working in state child welfare systems, this guide offers strategies on how caseworkers can better identify and support trafficked and at-risk children and youth.

<https://www.childwelfare.gov/pubs/trafficking-caseworkers/>

Identifying Minors and Young People Exploited Through Sex Trafficking: A Resource for Child Welfare Agencies

This document offers guidance to agencies as they prepare to implement a risk assessment or identification tool.

<https://library.childwelfare.gov/cwig/ws/library/docs/capacity/Blob/106060.pdf?r=1&rpp=10&upp=0&w=+NATIVE%28%27recno%3D106060%27%29&m=1>

Training Curricula, Videos, and Virtual Learning from the Capacity Building Center for States

To access these resources, create a free CapLEARN account.

https://learn.childwelfare.gov/?utm_source=acf&utm_medium=spotlight&utm_campaign=sextrafficking&utm_content=caplearn

- **Child Welfare Response to Child and Youth Sex Trafficking, Part 1 (Curriculum)**
Builds capacity for serving survivors of sex trafficking and implementing P.L. 113-183 provisions.
- **Child Welfare Response to Child and Youth Sex Trafficking, Part 2 (Curriculum)**
Supports application of knowledge and awareness gained in Part 1 and promotes development of related skills.
- **Child Welfare Response to Child and Youth Sex Trafficking, Part 3 (Curriculum)**
Highlights the experiences of survivors of sex trafficking, a caseworker, and a caregiver to build insight into the complexities of responding to sex trafficking.
- **Child Welfare Virtual Expo: Building Capacity to Address Sex Trafficking and Normalcy (Recorded Sessions from the 2016 Child Welfare Virtual Expo)**
Addresses strategies for sex trafficking prevention and meeting the requirements of P.L. 113-183.

Awareness Videos

These dramatized scenarios depict indicators of sex trafficking in an effort to help viewers learn to recognize and identify the warning signs.

<https://www.dhs.gov/blue-campaign/videos/sex-trafficking>

