



LABOR TRAFFICKING INDICATORS IN THE AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY

INDICATORS OF POTENTIAL VICTIMS: Does the individual...

- Seem fearful, timid, or submissive, particularly in the presence of their employer or authority figures?
- Lack appropriate clothing for the weather or personal protective equipment?
- Have untreated injuries or show signs of physical abuse?
- Consistently appear in the same outfit or wear improper shoes?
- Show signs of poor hygiene or maltreatment?
- Defer to another person to speak for them, or appear to be coached on what to say?
- Live in unsuitable conditions at their place of work (e.g., no electricity or plumbing)?
- Lack control over personal possessions, including identification or work authorization documents?

No single indicator is proof that human trafficking is occurring.

Learn more: [DHS.gov/BlueCampaign](https://www.dhs.gov/bluecampaign)



INDICATORS OF POTENTIAL TRAFFICKERS: Does the individual...

- Control workers through the use of verbal threats, emotional abuse, or demeaning speech?
- Fail to provide safe working conditions at farms or markets?
- Provide housing that is unsafe, unsanitary, overcrowded, or otherwise substandard?
- Maintain control of their workers' identification documents?
- Refuse to let workers speak?
- Keep workers physically and socially isolated?
- Use coercive or deceptive recruiting practices such as making false job promises?
- Not pay their workers, pay them very little, or deposit pay into an account the worker can't access?
- Require workers to pay off a never-ending debt?

REPORTING AND ADDITIONAL SUPPORT

Do not at any time attempt to confront a suspected trafficker directly or alert a victim to your suspicions. In the event of an emergency, please call 911.

Homeland Security Investigations Tip Line: 1-866-347-2423

National Human Trafficking Hotline: 1-888-373-7888