



## **Information and support for victims of human trafficking and modern day slavery**

**Human Trafficking is the movement of people by force, fraud or deception for the purpose of exploitation. It is a serious crime.**

**We can offer you support to consider your options for the future and to come to terms with what has happened. Trafficking is difficult to talk about, we won't rush you.**

**Victim Support is an independent national charity providing support to victims of crime**

**Victim Support**  
**01179 473050**

If you need an interpreter please state your preferred language and safe contact details. We will then call you back with a telephone interpreter. The number above is for Victim Support in Avon and Somerset. If you live outside of this area you can call Victim Support's 24 hour national Supportline on **0845 30 30 900**.

## Government support for victims of trafficking:

- As a victim of trafficking you are entitled to a period of rest and reflection which includes accommodation, health and other support services over a limited period.
- This support is provided by the UK government and requires that your case be assessed by UK authorities.
- The support provided by Victim Support is **independent** of this system; we will not pass your details on to anyone without your consent.

## You can find out more online by visiting:

- [www.modernslavery.co.uk](http://www.modernslavery.co.uk)
- [www.victimsupport.org.uk](http://www.victimsupport.org.uk)
- [www.unseenuk.org](http://www.unseenuk.org)
- [www.salvationarmy.org.uk](http://www.salvationarmy.org.uk)

## As a victim of crime you have the right to support

### We provide:

- Someone to talk to in confidence
- Emotional and practical support
- Information about your options
- Support if you choose to report to the police
- Support if you do not choose to report to the police.

### Our Support is:

- Free
- Confidential
- Independent
- Led by you.

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[www.victimsupport.org.uk](http://www.victimsupport.org.uk)

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