



INTEGRITY MATTERS

COMPLIANCE AND ETHICS COMMITTEE

WORLD DAY AGAINST TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS

Statistics from the International Labour Organization (ILO) provide a grim snapshot of this pervasive issue.

OVER 25 MILLION VICTIMS WORLDWIDE
71% WOMEN are & GIRLS | 25% YOUNG are CHILDREN

16 MILLION VICTIMS
(OR 64%)
FORCED LABOR

5 MILLION VICTIMS
(OR 19%)
SEXUAL EXPLOITATION

4 MILLION VICTIMS
(OR 16%)
STATE-IMPOSED FORCED LABOR

an estimated
\$150 BILLION
in illegal profits generated annually
2/3 (\$99 billion) from commercial sexual exploitation

TAKE A STAND

Wear blue on July 30. Blue is the international color of human trafficking awareness. Post a selfie using the hashtag "WearBlueDay."

Support events that improve awareness in your community, schools, and neighborhoods.

"On World Day Against Trafficking in Persons, we unite to raise awareness, support victims, and demand justice to end human trafficking globally."

Every year on July 30th, the world unites to mark the World Day Against Trafficking in Persons, a day dedicated to raising awareness about the plight of human trafficking victims and promoting their rights. Established by the United Nations in 2013, this day underscores the urgent need to combat human trafficking.

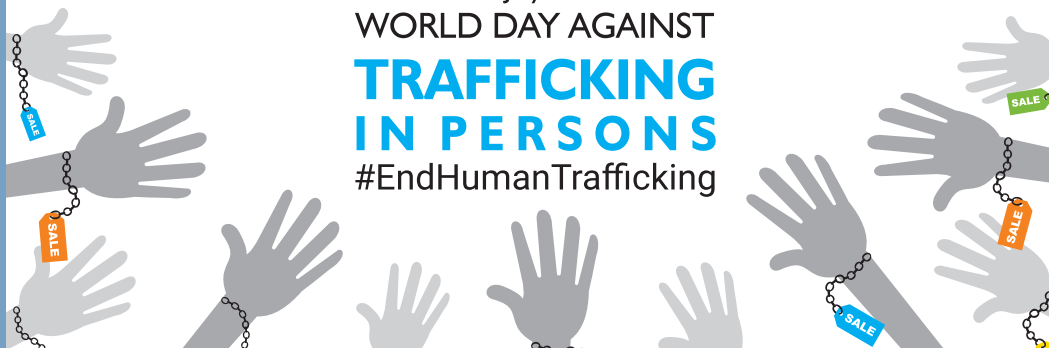
Human trafficking involves the recruitment, transportation, transfer, harboring, or receipt of people through force, fraud, or coercion for the purpose of exploitation. This can take many forms, including forced labor, sexual exploitation, and child soldiering. The International Labour Organization estimates that there are over 25 million victims of human trafficking globally.

MKS is committed to raising awareness and taking action against human trafficking every day. We condemn this grave violation of human rights and vow to collaborate with our suppliers, customers, business partners and governments to combat this issue.



July 30

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#EndHumanTrafficking



BE AWARE. LOOK FOR SIGNS. IF YOU SEE SOMETHING, SAY SOMETHING. CONTACT MKSINST.ETHICSPPOINT.COM

If you suspect someone is a victim of human trafficking, contact the **National Human Tracking Hotline** at **1.888.373.7888** or text INFO to 233733