

Colorado Anti-Trafficking Efforts

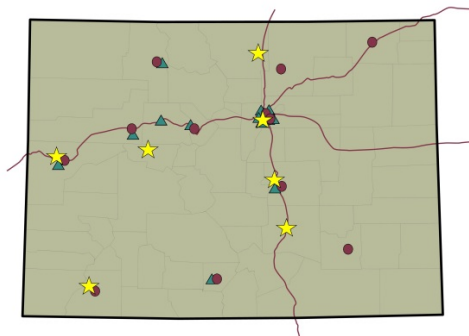
Snapshot of Problem in Colorado:

2008 – 2013: Colorado Network to End Human Trafficking (CoNEHT) members provided services to **437+ potential and confirmed labor and sex trafficking victims** (both domestic and foreign-national) throughout Colorado, representing **42 countries** of origin (including the U.S.).

2012 – 2013: Rocky Mountain Innocence Lost Task Force (with local law enforcement partners) recovered **100+ juveniles from sex trafficking situations**

2007 – 2014: Metropolitan State University of Denver Human Trafficking Academic Response Team has supported **53 survivors** of trafficking to consider or attend college

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Map: Locally organized anti-trafficking initiatives, communities where Colorado Project Focus Groups and State Advisory Board members resided

Colorado’s Anti-Trafficking Response:

2005: Coordinated anti-trafficking efforts began in Colorado when U.S. Dept. of Justice funded training of law enforcement, victim services

2010 – 2013: Colorado Project to Comprehensively Combat Human Trafficking: First-of-its-kind project launched in Colorado to measure strengths and gaps in comprehensively addressing human trafficking; 399 Colorado organizations identified as being involved in anti-human trafficking or similar efforts; 260+ stakeholders reviewed data and developed first statewide Action Plan

Labor Trafficking in CO (Focus Group data)	Sex Trafficking in CO (Focus Group data)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Debt bondage to recruiter or coyote • Involuntary servitude, arranged marriages • Migrant and Agricultural labor, H2 programs • Construction, hospitality (hotels) • Domestic work and child care • Restaurant work • Child labor, Magazine crews 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prostitution, escort services • Exotic dancing • Arranged marriages • Interstate sex trafficking • Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children • Family members pimping out children for sex

COLORADO PARTNERSHIP EFFORTS TO ADDRESS HUMAN TRAFFICKING

Statewide/ Regional Initiatives:

Prevention/ Protection:

- Colorado Collaborative (Federally-funded outreach partnership led by Colorado Legal Services)
- Colorado Network to End Human Trafficking (Statewide victim services response network)
- Front Range After Care Alliance

Prosecution:

- Colorado Trafficking and Organized Crime Coalition
- Front Range Anti-Trafficking Coalition
- Rocky Mountain Innocence Lost Task Force

Community – Led Responses:

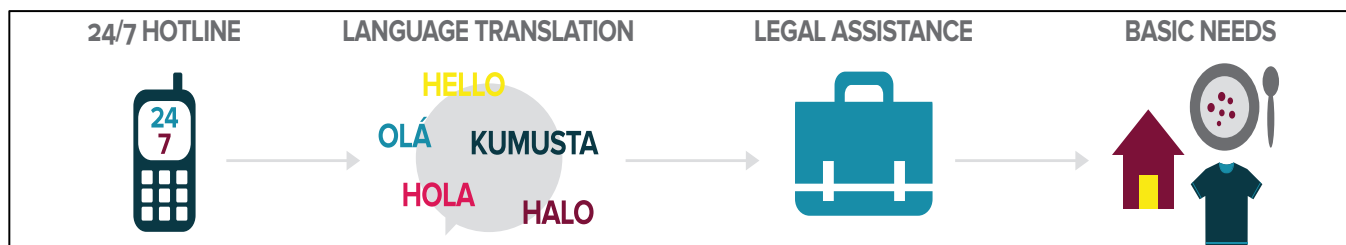
Alliance to Combat Human Trafficking – **Pueblo**

Denver Anti-Trafficking Alliance

Fort Collins Anti-Sex Trafficking Community Response Team

Human Trafficking Task Force of Southern Colorado – **Colorado Springs**

Western Slope Initiative to Combat Human Trafficking – **Grand Junction**



Contact the CoNEHT toll-free, 24/7, statewide hotline at 1-866-455-5075 to report tips or seek resources.

Sampling of community organizations and/or agencies addressing human trafficking throughout Colorado:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Amy’s House for Girls • Colorado Coalition Against Sexual Assault • Colorado Department of Local Affairs, Division of Housing, Office of Homeless Youth Services • Colorado Legal Services • Colorado Organization for Victim Assistance • Esther House • HHS Administration for Children & Families (Denver office) • Human Trafficking Task Force of Southern Colorado • iEmpathize • Laboratory to Combat Human Trafficking • Lutheran Family Services Rocky Mountains | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Metropolitan State University of Denver, Human Trafficking Academic Response Team • Prax(us) • Restore Innocence • Rocky Mountain Children’s Law Center • Rocky Mountain Immigrant Advocacy Network • Rocky Mountain Victim Law Center • San Luis Valley Immigration Resource Center • Sarah’s Home • Street’s Hope • The Salvation Army • Truckers Against Trafficking • University of Denver’s Human Trafficking Center • Urban Peak (Denver, Colorado Springs) |
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