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Modern Slavery

A guide for Frontline Partners



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The objectives of this training module

- To define modern slavery
- To illustrate modern slavery examples in the Northumbria Police area
- To provide you with guidance on how to report concerns



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What is Modern Slavery?



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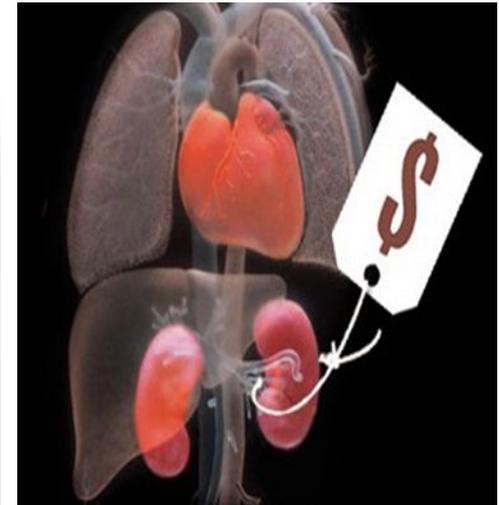
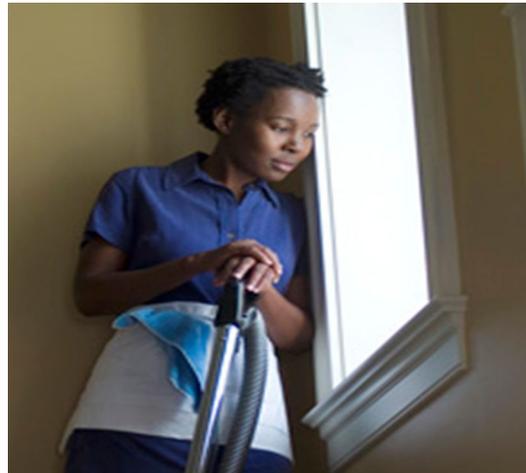


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What is Modern Slavery?

Someone is considered a victim of Modern Slavery if they are:

- forced to work – through coercion, or mental or physical threat
- owned or controlled by an 'employer', through mental or physical abuse or the threat of abuse
- dehumanised, treated as a commodity or bought and sold as 'property'
- physically constrained or have restrictions placed on their freedom of movement.



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Modern Slavery - The numbers

- The International Labour Organisation (ILO) estimates that around 21 million people around the world are in slavery. This includes 5.5 million children.
- Even though most people think that slavery only exists overseas, modern slavery in the UK is thriving. The British Government estimates that up to 13,000 people are in modern slavery in the UK today.
- Most people are trafficked into the UK from overseas, but there is also a significant number of British nationals in slavery. The most common countries of origin are Albania, Vietnam, Nigeria, Romania and Poland.



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Modern Slavery in the Northumbria Police Force Area

- Blyth – Several British Citizens enslaved by local businessman exploiting vulnerability and addiction.
- Force Area– Cannabis farming by Vietnamese organised crime groups.
- Newcastle – Romanian girls forced into sex work by Organised Crime Group 's.
- Newcastle and Gateshead – Multi occupancy properties discovered with enslaved occupants found in squalid conditions.
- Sunderland and South Tyneside – Lithuanians found in forced labour with the Organised Crime Group head making £100,000+



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If you see signs you suspect to be slavery please contact **Northumbria Police** by:

- Calling- 101 or, in an emergency, 999
- Emailing-
forceintelligence@northumbria.pnn.police.uk



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