



PEOPLE TRAFFICKING

DO YOU NEED HELP?

The New Zealand Police and
Immigration New Zealand
will help you.

Call Police on **105** or make a report
online at **105.police.govt.nz**.

If it is an emergency, always call **111**.

You can also report anonymously to Crime
Stoppers on **0800 555 111** or online at
www.crimestoppers-nz.org/report



■ ARE YOU IN A TRAFFICKING SITUATION?

Ask yourself:

- › Is someone withholding your passport or money?
- › Are there locks on your doors or windows to stop you from leaving?
- › Do you need to ask permission to eat / sleep / go to the bathroom?
- › Do you have no time off e.g. to shop and socialise?
- › Are you being paid too little money or none at all?
- › Are you being forced to work to pay off debt?
- › Have you or your family been threatened (with violence, jail-time or deportation) if you do not cooperate?
- › Have you travelled or been recruited for work that has turned out to be illegal, paid less than you were promised, or not paid at all?

If you answered yes to any of these questions, seek help from the New Zealand Police.

■ REPORT IT

People trafficking is a violation of human rights – don't ignore it

A person may need help if they:

- › Live at their place of work (look for locks on the outside of doors)
- › Have 'rehearsed' statements and stories
- › Do not have money or any form of ID (passport withheld)
- › Work long hours of work and / or have no time off
- › Are spoken for and observed by an 'escort' or 'translator'
- › Have an unusual fear of their employer and authorities
- › Show signs of neglected mental or physical health (possible substance abuse or self-harm)

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