

HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS

Human Trafficking in the News

Below is a collection of links to articles and the latest news related to human trafficking in the State of Georgia.

January News

Gov. Kemp, First Lady joined by American Group, Anthem, and Wellspring to make human trafficking announcement (January 2021)

<https://fox28media.com/news/local/governor-brian-kemp-first-lady-to-make-human-trafficking-announcement>

Gov. Kemp, First Lady make human trafficking announcement (January 2021)

<https://www.walb.com/2021/01/27/live-gov-kemp-first-lady-make-announcement-human-trafficking/>

Georgia first lady announces new legislation in fight against human trafficking (January 2021)

<https://www.wsbtv.com/news/local/georgia-first-lady-announces-new-legislation-fight-human-trafficking/FMTOSD772FG2RFA4HJCVQF5KN4/>

Anti-Human Trafficking Initiatives Proposed by GA Officials (January 2021)

<https://patch.com/georgia/roswell/anti-human-trafficking-initiatives-proposed-ga-officials>

Georgia governor, first lady announce measures to combat human trafficking (January 2021)

<https://www.fox5atlanta.com/video/893520>

Gov. Kemp announces legislative push against trafficking (January 2021)

<https://www.11alive.com/article/news/crime/kemp-anti-trafficking-legislation-announcement/85-a4458c25-88ac-420c-a0fc-952c222c6489>

Gov. Kemp and First Lady introduce anti-human trafficking initiatives for 2021 (January 2021)

https://www.savannahbusinessjournal.com/community/georgia_business_news/jan-26---gov-kemp-and-first-lady-introduce-anti-human-trafficking-initiatives-for/article_306e504a-5fe3-11eb-8adb-9fd2c0542421.html

New human trafficking bills ahead in Georgia legislative session (January 2021)

https://thebrunswicknews.com/new-human-trafficking-bills-ahead-in-georgia-legislative-session/article_7b391e90-8b51-5c3b-bd87-f85974eec17f.html

New legislation targets human trafficking (January 2021)

https://www.cbs46.com/news/new-legislation-targets-human-trafficking/article_2ef7e9c0-5f65-11eb-b875-4fa3b705e733.html

First lady unveils Georgia anti-human trafficking legislation

<https://www.wsav.com/news/local-news/georgia-news/governor-first-lady-to-unveil-georgia-anti-human-trafficking-legislation/>

The Brunswick News on new measures aiming to combat human trafficking in Georgia

https://www.titusvilleherald.com/news/state_news/article_89ca322b-ed0b-584d-8c21-548f3da0a364.html

December News

Savannah Traffick Jam to educate on ending human trafficking

<https://www.savannahnow.com/story/lifestyle/2020/12/23/traffick-jam-educate-human-trafficking/4010617001/>

Street Grace, Georgia Cares Merge To Fight Child Sex Trafficking (December 2020)

<https://www.msn.com/en-us/news/us/street-grace-georgia-cares-merge-to-fight-child-sex-trafficking/ar-BB1bP4SH>

New GA Laws in Effect Jan. 1: Hate Crimes, Medical Bills, Jobs (December 2020)

<https://patch.com/georgia/dallas-hiram/new-2021-ga-laws-target-hate-crimes-surprise-medical-bills-jobs>

Two indicted in Georgia on human trafficking charges (December 2020)

<https://www.msn.com/en-us/news/crime/2-indicted-in-georgia-on-human-trafficking-charges/ar-BB1bUWqF>

November News

16-year-old escapes Georgia sex trafficking gang; several people arrested, Gov. Kemp announces (November 2020)

<https://www.msn.com/en-us/news/crime/16-year-old-escapes-georgia-sex-trafficking-gang-several-people-arrested-gov-kemp-announces/ar-BB1bjrpg>

Eight arrested on sex trafficking charges (November 2020)

<https://kvia.com/regional-news/2020/11/24/8-arrested-on-sex-trafficking-charges/>

Stolen goods Georgians buy online funds human trafficking and drugs, investigation finds (November 2020)

<https://www.wsbtv.com/news/local/atlanta/stolen-goods-georgians-buy-online-funds-human-trafficking-drugs-investigation-finds/B7OYHRDULZHYTILROBBJQCWP5E/>

October News

Georgia creates human trafficking hotline

<https://www.wtoc.com/2020/10/02/ga-creates-human-trafficking-hotline/>

September News

Georgia governor, first lady host human trafficking roundtable

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k-gH-tSO14>

AG Barr announces \$100M more in grants to fight human trafficking September 2020)

<https://www.fox6now.com/news/ag-barr-announces-100m-more-in-grants-to-fight-human-trafficking>

South Fulton Police rescue human trafficking victims, suspect in custody (May 2020)

<https://www.fox5atlanta.com/news/south-fulton-police-rescue-human-trafficking-victims-suspect-in-custody>

August News

Combating human trafficking in Georgia press conference (August 2020)

<https://www.fox5atlanta.com/video/842026>

Wellspring Living receives \$500,000 for human trafficking survivors

https://www.mdjonline.com/neighbor_newspapers/northside_sandy_springs/wellspring-living-receives-500-000-for-human-trafficking-survivors/article_1713d780-dbf1-11ea-8061-93fafeeb0c8a.html

Savannah 'flash rally' puts focus on human trafficking (August 2020)

<https://www.wrdw.com/2020/08/10/ga-save-the-children-flash-rally-brings-awareness-to-human-trafficking/>

GBI announces creation of new human trafficking unit (August 2020)

<https://www.fox5atlanta.com/news/gbi-announces-creation-of-new-human-trafficking-unit>

Human Trafficking, Delta Blocks Seats, AMC Reopens: News Nearby (August 2020)

<https://patch.com/georgia/alpharetta/human-trafficking-delta-blocks-seats-amc-reopens-news-nearby>

3,600 kids become victims of sex trafficking in Georgia each year. The first lady is trying to stop it (August 2020)

<https://www.wjcl.com/article/nearly-40-missing-children-rescued-during-georgia-sex-trafficking-bust/33830950#>

June News

Human trafficking bill passes Georgia General Assembly

<https://www.augustachronicle.com/story/news/2020/06/23/human-trafficking-bill-passes-georgia-general-assembly/43049375/>

May News

Police rescue human trafficking victims

<https://www.fox5atlanta.com/video/683114>

February News

3,600 kids become victims of sex trafficking in Georgia each year. The first lady is trying to stop it (February 2020)

<https://www.usatoday.com/story/news/2020/02/08/georgia-marty-kemp-working-stop-child-sex-human-trafficking/4589791002/>

Authorities: 2,000 teens fall victim to sex trafficking each month in Georgia (February 2020)

<https://www.wjcl.com/article/in-7-years-45-students-at-this-georgia-high-school-have-been-victims-of-sex-trafficking/30762126>

Georgia set to open first residential center for sex-trafficked youths (February 2020)

<https://www.aic.com/news/crime--law/georgia-set-open-first-residential-center-for-sex-trafficked-youths/H8wGmHteWsTyDdKhX8Xc2M/>

Fighting against human trafficking in Middle Georgia (February 2020)

<https://wgxa.tv/news/local/fighting-against-human-trafficking-in-middle-georgia>

GDOT training all its employees to spot human trafficking (February 2020)

<https://www.13newsnow.com/article/news/local/georgia/gdot-training-all-its-employees-to-spot-human-trafficking/93-b91d6333-550a-4764-a514-b969718c4252>

January News

Ivanka Trump confirms \$42M budget increase to support human trafficking victims (January 2020)

<https://www.foxbusiness.com/money/human-trafficking-ivanka-trump>