## HUMAN TRAFFICKING

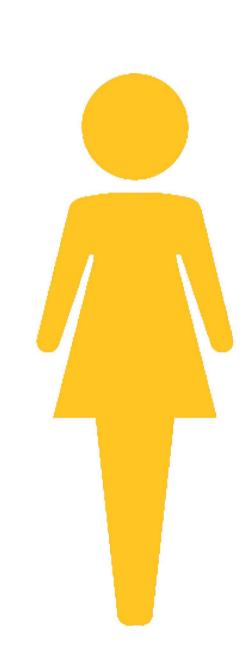
### GEORGIA BY THE NUMBERS

Human trafficking involves the use of force, fraud, or coercion to obtain some type of labor or commercial sex act.

Children are most likely to fall into the net of human trafficking as young as age 14.8 in Georgia.

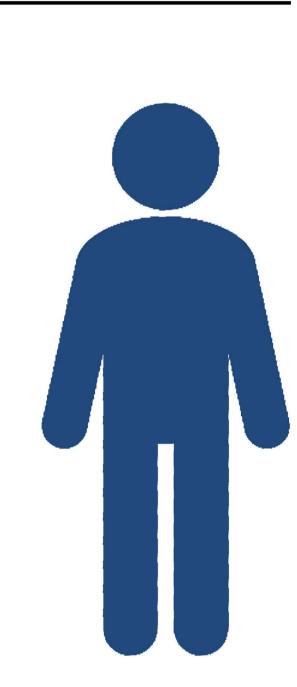






ABOUT 91% OF DOMESTIC MINOR SEX TRAFFICKING VICTIMS, BOTH MALE AND FEMALE, WERE ENROLLED IN SCHOOL AT THE TIME OF THEIR EXPLOITATION.

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# More than 50% of victims are recruited by friends and family.

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An estimated 7,200 men purchase sex from a minor every month, and about 200 and 350 adolescent girls are sexually exploited and sold online per month.

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## How can you help?

#### Know the signs of human trafficking.

- Sudden or dramatic change in behavior
- Decreased attendance at school and/or work
- Disconnection from family, friends, community organizations
- Bruises in various stages of healing
- No ability to speak for oneself without permission or assistance of a third party

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#### Report Suspected Human Trafficking

Text "HELP" or "INFO" to 233733 or dial 1 (888) 373-7888 for the National Human Trafficking Hotline.

