

Top 5 Recruitment Methods

1. False Promises/Fraud
2. Job Offer
2. Smuggling
3. Abduction
4. Intimate Partner
5. Familial

Top 5 Exploiter Relationship to Victim

1. Employer
2. Smuggler
3. Intimate Partner
4. Familial
5. Recruiter

Top 5 Labor Trafficking Victims by Venue

1. Hospitality
2. Janitorial
3. Construction
4. Domestic Work
5. Food Service

Top 5 Sex Trafficking Venues by Victim

1. Residence-Based
2. Illicit Massage
3. Internet-Based
4. Street-Based
5. Pornography

Top 5 Counties for Reported Situations

1. Greenville 16
1. Horry 16
2. Charleston 10
3. Richland 7

3. Spartanburg 7
4. Aiken 4
5. Lexington 3
5. Orangeburg 3

The National Human Trafficking Hotline statistics depicted here are from 2022 data. It takes Polaris a year to clean the information.