



## INDUSTRY TRAINING PROGRAM

Human trafficking — or modern-day slavery — is a global problem where people are illegally bought and sold for forced labor or commercial sex. Traffickers use means such as force, fraud and coercion, including deception, abduction, torture and/or the abuse of power, to prey upon their victims' vulnerabilities — such as their youth, condition of poverty, migration status or dreams of love and opportunity — while profiting from their exploitation. It's a crime of greed and egregious abuse.

Traffickers view men from many professions deemed “transient in nature” as consumers, and they continually move their “goods” along circuits covering multiple states to reach them. These locations often include communities around oil and gas fields, as well as truck stops and hotels along roads and Interstates, and events, including sports or conventions.

Because professional drivers are the eyes and ears of the roadways, they are uniquely positioned to help recognize and report human trafficking. Before TAT, there were only sporadic calls from truckers reporting human trafficking. TAT began in 2009, and since that time, there have been thousands of calls to local law enforcement and the National Human Trafficking Hotline, resulting in hundreds of victims recovered. The trucking industry is critical in this fight, and you can help us mobilize a defensive force of transportation professionals to ensure more victims are recovered and more traffickers are brought to justice.

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**TAT is a 501c3** nonprofit that educates, equips, empowers and mobilizes members of key industries and agencies to combat human trafficking. As part of that mission, we provide free, industry-specific, anti-trafficking resources and training materials for over-the-road, local and in-home delivery drivers who are uniquely positioned to be the eyes and ears of roadways, city streets and neighborhoods. Additionally, TAT offers a corporate training video for non-commercial driving individuals that highlights how we all have a role to play in helping to save a life.

### Resources and Training Materials

- A 20 to 25-minute training video, including options for over-the-road, local and in-home delivery drivers
- A 22-minute corporate training video
- Instructional wallet and/or visor cards
- Awareness posters and window decals for drivers
- Free smartphone app that covers red flags of human trafficking and how to call in a report



**Download the TAT app today!**

### Training Methods

- Play a training video at an in-person meeting or orientation class led by your team.
- Add a training course to your company's internal learning management system (LMS) or assign it through one of TAT's external LMS partners.
- Owner-operators, take the training at [train.tatnonprofit.org](http://train.tatnonprofit.org).

Contact TAT at [info@tatnonprofit.org](mailto:info@tatnonprofit.org) to get started today! Work with other industries? We have training specific to transit/school bus drivers and energy industry workers.

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