

## IOM's Human Trafficking Training Sessions

Human trafficking is a hidden crime; the first step to combating it is to identify victims so that they can be rescued and protected from further harm.

IOM has developed a short training course to help key professionals understand the indicators of human trafficking and how to take appropriate action when needed. Since 2011, IOM has trained over 2,000 individuals in the UK, including front line practitioners, students and members of the public. To meet the varied requirements of attendees, IOM offers anything from half day trainings to fast track courses lasting just one hour.

### Course content

- Overview of Human Trafficking: definition; international and national legal frameworks; causes and consequences; indicators
- The National Referral Mechanism (NRM); identification and referral
- Taking Action: victim-centred approach; return and reintegration

### Who is this course for?

- Local authority staff
- Social services
- Healthcare professionals
- Police
- Immigration staff
- Teachers
- Labour and housing inspectors
- Faith-based and migrant organisations
- Charities and NGOs
- All other professionals who work with members of the public, in particular with vulnerable individuals

### Learning outcomes

- Define the concept of human trafficking and outline the associated issues
- Understand the difference between human trafficking and smuggling
- Recognise the impact of human trafficking and identify possible indicators
- Describe the process of identification and what to do if a victim of human trafficking is encountered
- Know the obstacles to identification

### About IOM

The International Organization for Migration (IOM) is the world's leading migration agency, promoting humane and orderly migration for the benefit of all. Since 1994, IOM has been active in the field of counter-trafficking through capacity building, technical cooperation and direct assistance to victims. IOM's vision is to provide protection and empowerment to trafficked individuals.

*IOM's training is an essential component in the drive to improve the identification of suspected cases of human trafficking, which practitioners may encounter on a day to day basis in Croydon*

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