



# INTRODUCTION TO CHILD TRAFFICKING IN CONNECTICUT

*According to Connecticut's Human Anti-trafficking Response Team (HART), more than 1,000 children have been referred to the Department of Children and Families since 2008 as possible victims of Domestic Minor Sex Trafficking according to HART's five-year report released in 2018.*

*According to the Connecticut Department of Children and Families (DCF), out of the 241 victims of child trafficking in 2021, 86% were female and 67% lived with a parent or guardian.*

**Child trafficking poses a significant threat to our youth. In this training you will learn about:**

- Types of trafficking
- Legislation in CT
- Who are our victims?
- Who are our high-risk populations?
- Who are our perpetrators?
- What are the red flags/warning signs?
- What can YOU do?

MONDAY

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5:00 PM-7:00 PM

Town Council Chambers

Cheshire Town Hall

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