



## **“DNPs CHANGING OUR WORLD”**

How Application of Evidence Based Practice And Leadership Fosters  
Protection For Victims of Terrorism And Human Trafficking Violence

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GETTING TO KNOW YOU

# INTRODUCTION

This Workshop seeks to educate, equip and update the Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) by providing a basic understanding of current developments in United States law, with reference to developing comparative law of other nations, along with tools which can expand the role of the DNP in promoting change that will enhance protection for victims of human trafficking and global violence.

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**CHANGING OUR WORLD REQUIRES  
SOME KNOWLEDGE ABOUT THE LAW**



# TERRORISM

Terrorism is defined in as  
**premeditated, politically motivated  
violence** perpetrated against  
noncombatant targets by  
subnational groups or clandestine  
agents. 22 U.S. Code § 2656f

# TERRORISM

Criminal acts intended or calculated to **provoke a state of terror** in the general public, a group of persons or particular persons **for political purposes** are in any circumstance unjustifiable, **whatever the considerations of a political, philosophical, ideological, racial, ethnic, religious or any other nature that may be invoked to justify them.**

**The United Nations General Assembly, 1994**

# VIOLENCE

Unjust or unwarranted exercise of force, usually with the accompaniment of vehemence, outrage or fury.

People v. McIlvain, 55 Cal. App.2d  
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# VIOLENCE

The exertion of **any**  
**physical [or psychological]**  
**force so as to injure,**  
**damage or abuse.**

- U.S. Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)
- U.S. Code of Federal Regulations
- U.S. National Counterterrorism Center and United States Code 22 USC § 2656f(d)(2).
- USA PATRIOT Act of 2001
- Terrorism Risk Insurance Act (TRIA)

**UNITED STATES**



- United States Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act (VTVPA)
- Alien Tort Claims Act  
28 U.S.C. § 1350

UNITED STATES

-There are states that lack adequate laws to protect victims.

UNITED STATES

- Jurisdictional issues
  - Countries which recognize ethical and moral codes taught by religious traditions
    - Laws explicitly or implicitly, impacted by culture, ethnicity
- (Christian canon law, Islamic sharia, Jewish halakha, and Hindu law)

**GLOBAL LAWS CAN CREATE A CLASH**

# GLOBAL LAWS CAN CREATE A CLASH

- The U.S. Government, and other similar Governments are not founded on any religion
- Other Governments operate as theocracies (a system of government in which priests rule in the name of God or a god.)
- Tread lightly: Knowledge of culture and laws are paramount

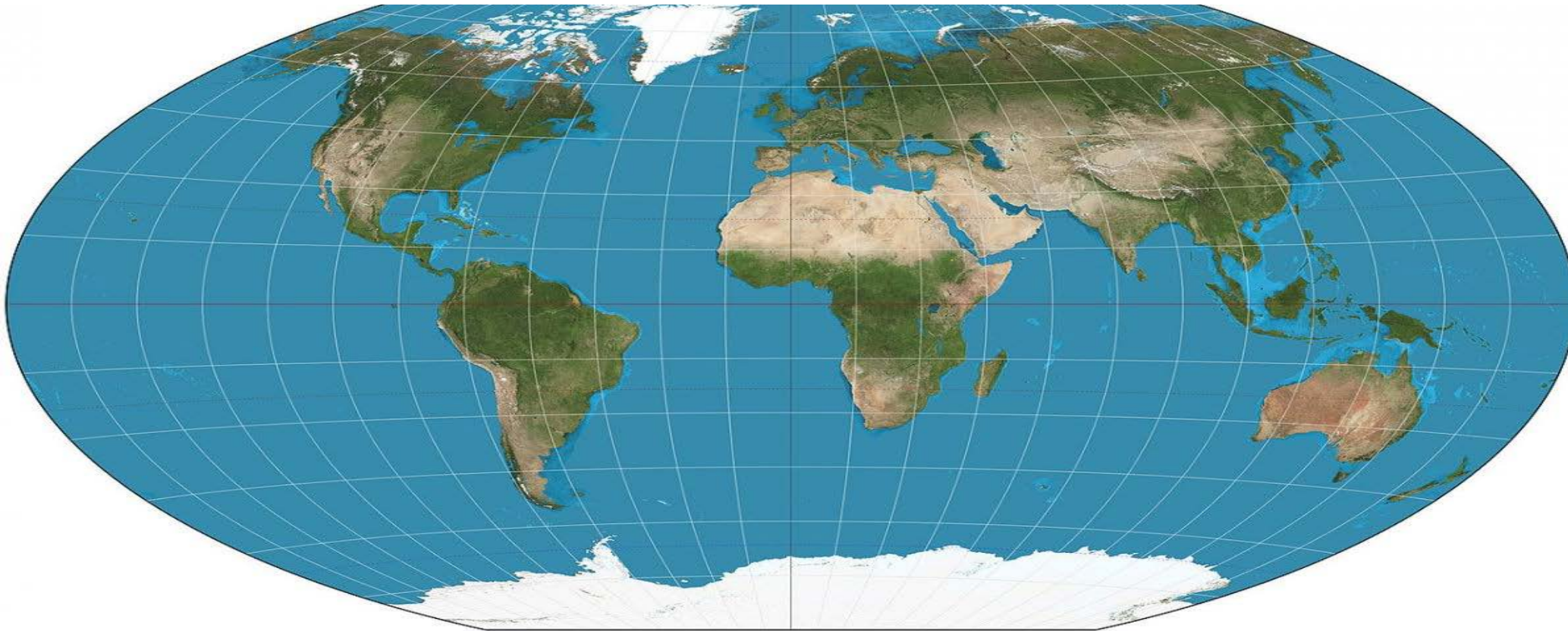
# THE UNITED NATIONS





# THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION





**GLOBAL TERRORISM, HUMAN TRAFFICKING  
AND VIOLENCE:  
WHO ARE THE VULNERABLE POPULATIONS**



EVERYONE, EVERYWHERE IS AT RISK

# THE TRADITIONAL FACES OF TERRORISM

The World Trade Center Attacks  
Photographer unknown.



Jihadi John of ISIL-  
aka Mohammed Emwazi





# FACES OF WAR

## "Napalm Girl" - Dr. Kim Phuc

Photograph courtesy of Nick Ut



## The Syrian War

Photograph courtesy of Aljazeera America





# OTHER FACES OF TERRORISM

## CYBER TERRORISM IN HUMAN TRAFFICKING



# SLAVERY COMES IN MANY FORMS:

African American Slave-  
Scars of Peter, a whipped Louisiana slave,  
photographed in April 1863 and later  
distributed by abolitionists.  
Photographer unknown



A young girl endures forced labor  
at an unlicensed loom in  
Bhaktapur, Nepal  
Photographer unknown





# SLAVERY

A 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY EVIL



# CHILD SLAVERY AND LABOR

African children working in the Burkina Faso gold mines can be as young as 3 years of age. Photograph by Larry C. Price  
Photographer unknown



Children gather mica chips from a mine in India. Photographer unknown



# GANG VIOLENCE AND BULLYING IMPACT HUMAN TRAFFICKING

Honduran gang members

Photographer unknown



Bullying is also a worldwide problem

Photographer unknown



# Human Trafficking



*Child abduction*



*Human cage*



*Forced prostitution*



*Forced labor*



*Forced marriage*



*Organ theft*



*Selling baby*



*Forced child beggar*



*Trafficking boat*

# CHILD TRAFFICKING OF GIRLS

## Girl prostitution

Image courtesy of Totalitarianism Today



## Child marriage

Image courtesy of CNC3





# CHILD TRAFFICKING OF BOYS

## Boy prostitution - Innocence lost - Thailand

Image courtesy of Strange But True News



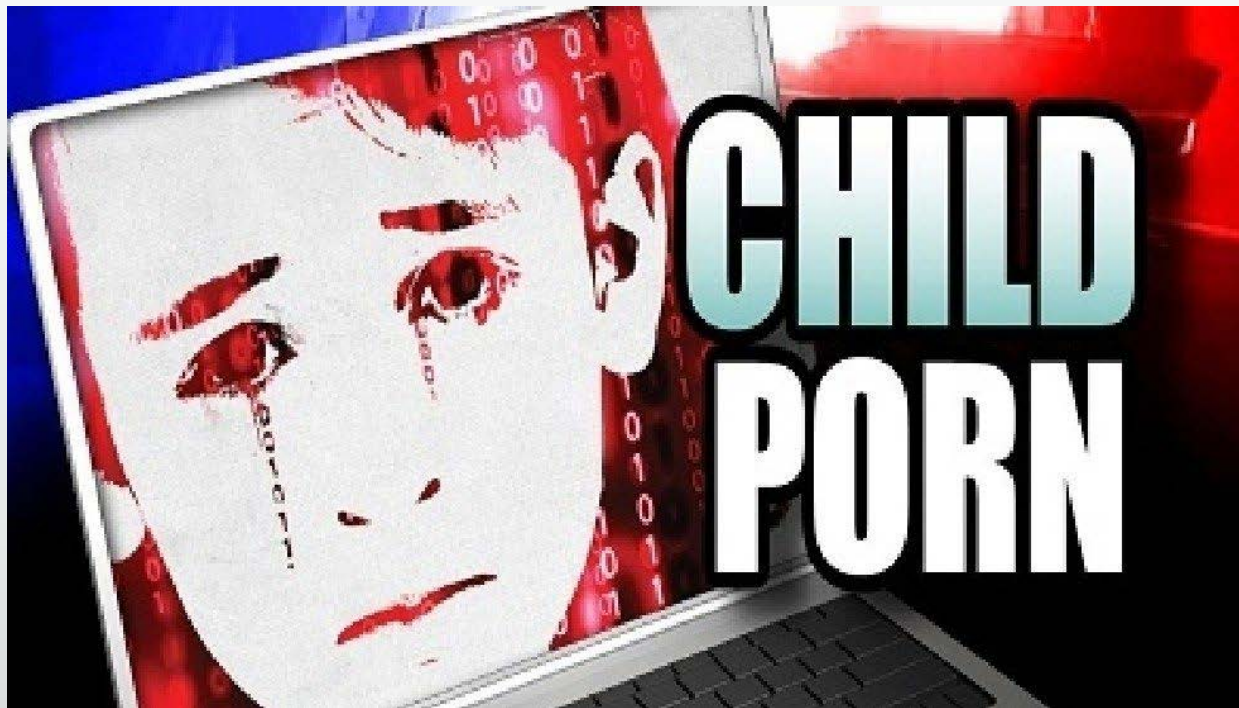
## Child abuse –

Eritrean refugee boys who escaped to a safehouse  
run by a Bedouin leader.

Image courtesy of dailymail.co.UK



# CHILD PORNOGRAPHY



A dark, atmospheric photograph of a person's silhouette looking out a window with a grid pattern. The scene is dimly lit, with light coming from the window, creating a somber and contemplative mood. The person's head is bowed, and their hands are near their face, suggesting a state of distress or reflection.

# **MODERN SLAVERY**

HUMAN TRAFFICKING IN THE UNITED STATES



THE PROBLEM IS REAL IN THE UNITED STATES: THE U.S. IS  
A TIER ONE COUNTRY FOR HUMAN TRAFFICKING



**\$40,000\*** in 1809

# AVERAGE PRICE OF A SLAVE

\*adjusted for inflation

 **\$90** in 2009

Data source: Kevin Bales, [Freetheslaves.net](http://Freetheslaves.net)



# SEX TRAFFICKING VICTIMS

67%

are from foster  
care or social  
services

70 children

enter the foster care system  
every day in California

Cal  
VCP

# WHO ARE THE VICTIMS?

1. Children, women and men.
2. Domestic or foreign to include U.S. citizens and legal residents, or foreign nationals including those legally documented or undocumented.
3. History of child abuse, domestic violence.

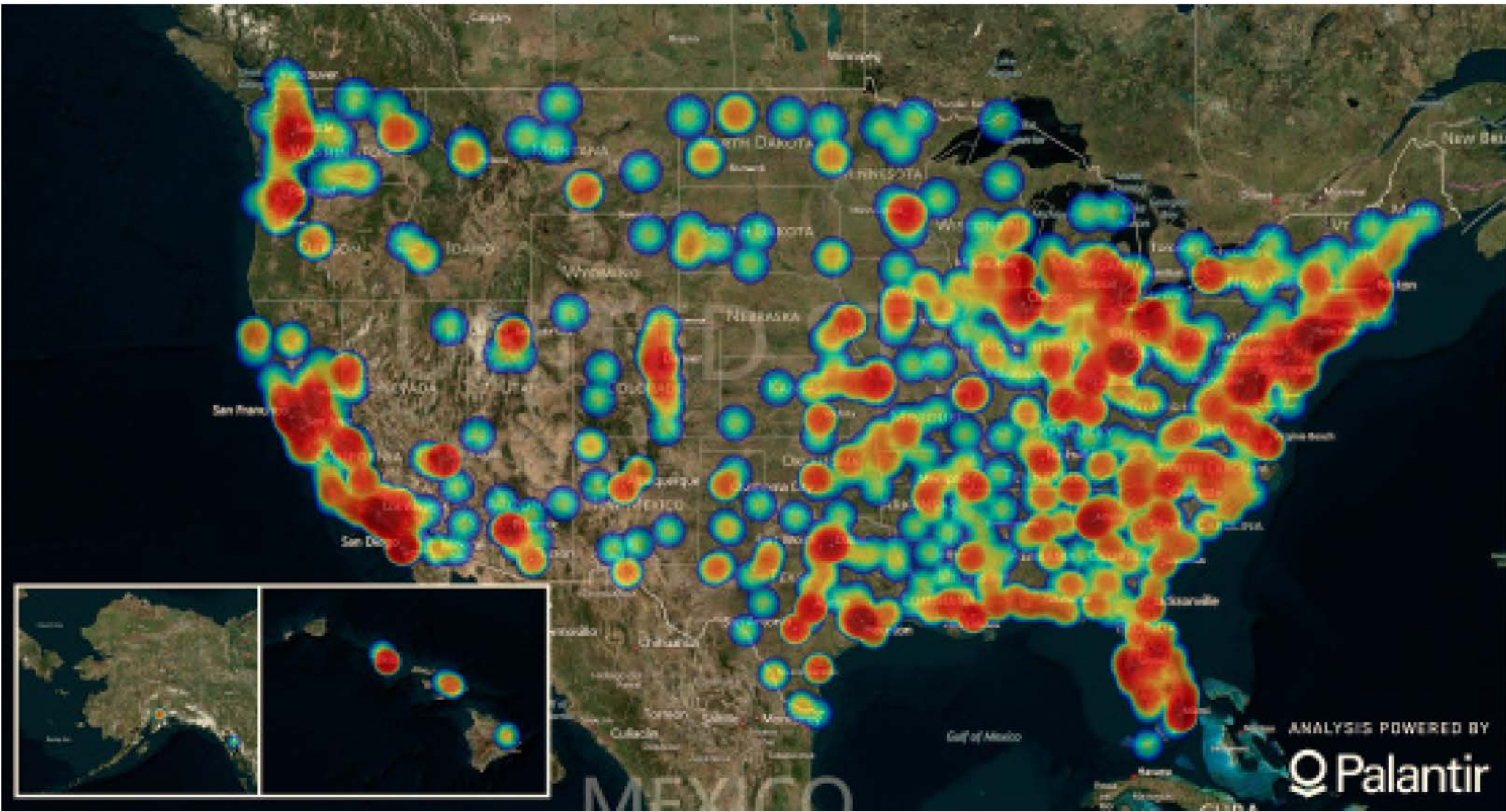


# WHO ARE THE VICTIMS?

4. Runaways.
5. Victims of domestic or child abuse.
6. Victims come from all socio-economical and family backgrounds – rich and poor.

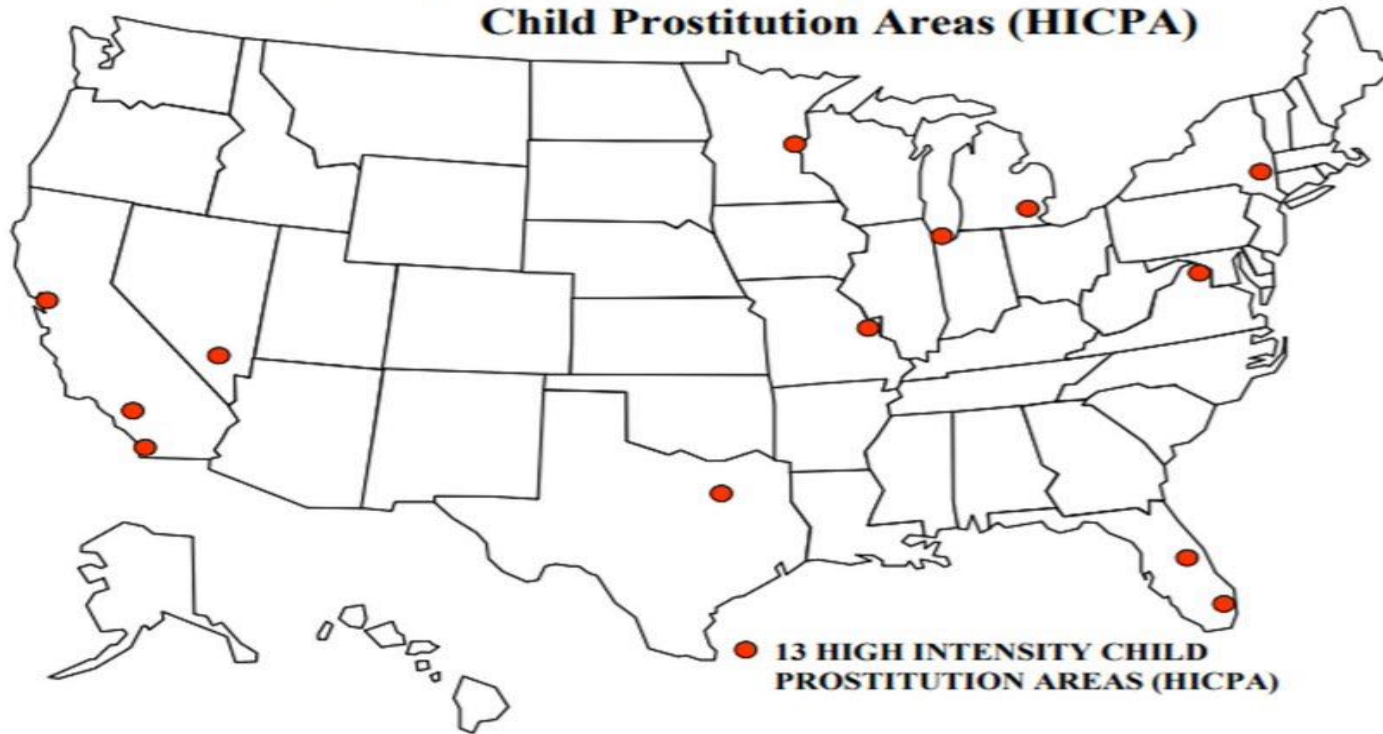
## WHO ARE TWHO ARE THE PERPETRATORS?

1. Family members, boyfriends, peer recruiters, organized criminals and gangs.
2. Using coercion, duress or deceit on the victim.



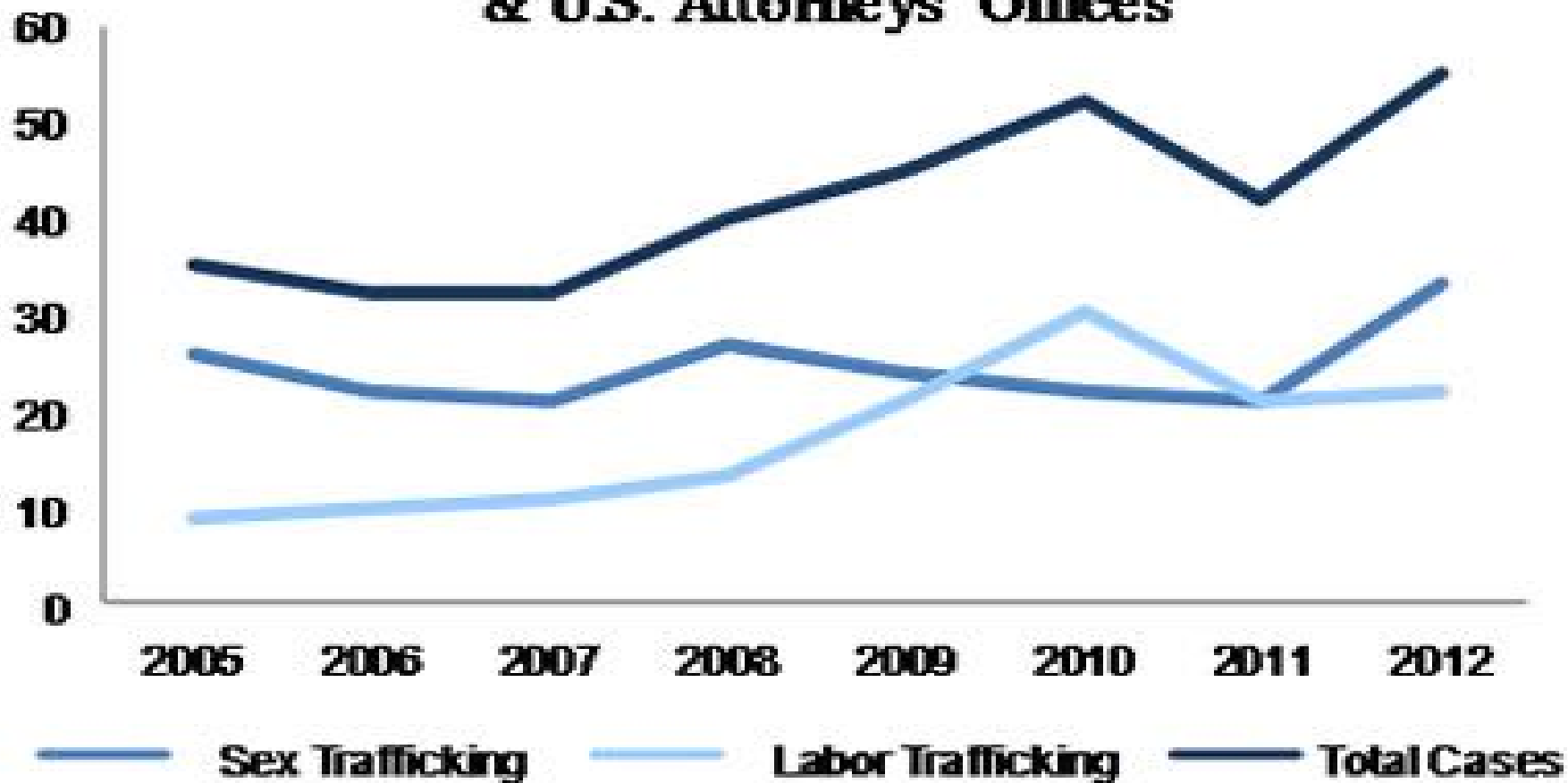
# High Intensity Child Prostitution Areas

**Locations of High Intensity  
Child Prostitution Areas (HICPA)**



- Chicago
- Dallas
- Detroit
- Las Vegas
- Los Angeles
- Miami
- Minneapolis
- New York
- San Diego
- San Francisco
- St. Louis
- Tampa
- Washington, D.C.

## Human Trafficking Cases Charged by the Division & U.S. Attorneys' Offices







WHEN CREATING CHANGE, WHERE DO  
WE START?

**NOTHING CHANGES**

**IF**

**NOTHING CHANGES**



## ROOT CAUSES OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING

**Economic inequalities:** severe poverty and unemployment

**Supply and Demand:** Most victims are women and children

**Huge margin of profit:** labor is extremely cheap

**Victims are difficult to identify:** in hiding, unable to communicate, cycle of abuse, lack of ID

**Lack of social, legal or medical services:** recourse is often nonexistent in places

**War and natural disaster:** environmental destruction

**Social inequalities:** systems of classes

**Political inequalities:** no voice in decision making or outcomes

## BARRIERS IN EFFORTS TO ELIMINATE GLOBAL VIOLENCE, TERRORISM AND HUMAN TRAFFICKING

- Funding for terrorists.
- Political road blocks and inadequate laws.
- Political and global apathy.
  - Media “spin”.
  - Victim vulnerability.
  - Victim lacks voice.



SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF HUMAN  
TRAFFICKING

# SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING

1. Victim is a runaway.
2. Inappropriate dress based on weather conditions or age.
3. Truancy
4. Physical trauma, antisocial.

## SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING

5. Travels frequently.
6. Lacks identification.
7. Appears malnourished, sleep deprived, poor hygiene, depressed.
8. Shows signs of drug addiction.

## SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING

9. Appears coached in response to questions.
10. Drop in grades.
11. New "secret" cell phone or phones.
12. New "secret" boyfriend.
13. Branding or tattoos.

# CULTURAL AND OTHER SENSITIVE SITUATIONS MAY INVOLVE:

- Racial issues
- Immigration related issues
- Cultural differences
- Religious issues
- Addiction issues
- Mental illness, PTSD
- Sexual orientation issues



## METHODS TO PROMOTE OPTIMAL PRACTICE SYNERGISM IN CULTURALLY SENSITIVE SITUATIONS:

- Training is key
- Avoid assumptions
- Avoid stereotypes
- Listen carefully to the individual's story

## METHODS TO PROMOTE OPTIMAL PRACTICE SYNERGISM IN CULTURALLY SENSITIVE SITUATIONS:

- Try to be calm
- Try to be objective
- Try to be compassionate
- Advocate as appropriate in a suspected crime
- Be an authentic DNP leader

# How can the DNP forge opportunities in health care environments?

1. Lobbying – Creating international treaties , U.N. and domestic laws which truly define and address human trafficking.
  2. Safe houses.
  3. Patient Centered Medical Home Prototypes.
  4. Medical-Legal Partnership Prototypes.
  5. Academia.
6. See Something – Do Something: Mandatory reporting.
7. Become Involved – Multidisciplinary Collaboration.
8. Promote Public Awareness.

**BUILD ALLIANCES WHICH PROMOTE CHANGE**



**THE DNP MUST LOOK TO THE  
FUTURE BECAUSE TOGETHER, WE  
CAN CHANGE THE WORLD!**

I Appreciate Your Kind Attention!



# Questions and Comments





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