# Truckers Against Trafficking

Prevention and Intervention: Combating Human Trafficking Through the Trucking Industry





# What is Human Trafficking?

The exploitation of human beings through force, fraud or coercion, for the purposes of commercial sex or forced labor, wherein a third party is making a profit.

Human Trafficking is:

# MODERN DAY SLAVERY

# Smuggling vs. Trafficking

Crime against a

**B**ORDER



VS.

Crime against a

**PERSON** 



# Scope of Trafficking

There are over 40
million victims of human
trafficking globally.
(International Labor
Organization)





Human trafficking is a \$150 billion industry. (International Labor Organization)

Human trafficking happens in **all 50 states**, including D.C. (National Human Trafficking Resource Center)



Thousands of children are at risk of being prostituted in the US each year. (National Center for Missing and Exploited Children)

A victim may be forced to have sex up to **20 times** a day. (*Polaris*)



# Two kidnapping suspects identified; report reveals alleged victim subjected to physical, sexual abuse

By Alan Chamberlain I January 8, 2015 1:46 pm



#### TAT's Mission

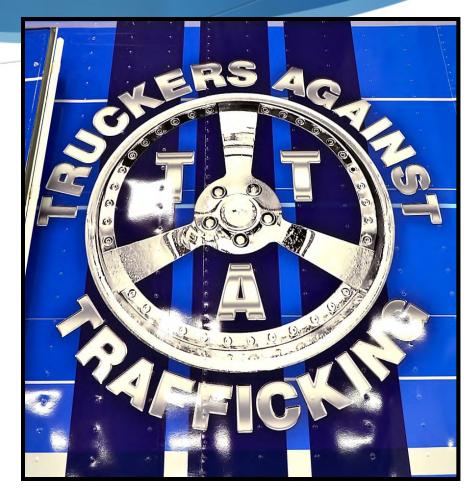
#### Professional truck drivers:

- Are the eyes and ears out on the road
- Are trained to be vigilant/observant
- Intersect with victims
  - truck stops/parking lots
  - rest areas
  - city streets
  - bus terminals
  - gas stations
  - places of business
  - hotels/motels



### TAT's Mission

Truckers Against **Trafficking (TAT)** seeks to educate, equip, empower and mobilize members of the trucking industry to combat human trafficking as part of their regular jobs.

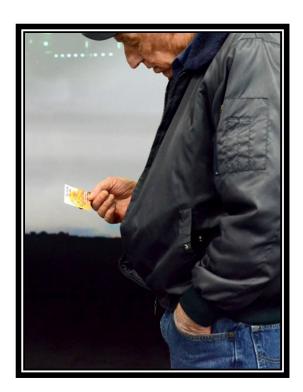


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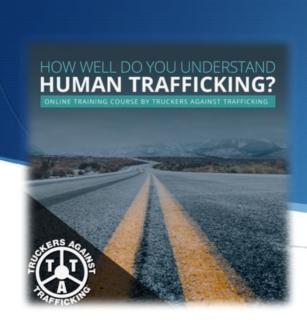
## TAT's Goals

 Saturate trucking and related industries with TAT materials.













National Hotline: 1-888-3737-888 (Multi-Lingual) 1-800-222-TIPS (Canada) Text INFO or HELP to BeFree (233733)

Report by Email: nhtrc@PolarisProject.org

Warning: Please do not approach traffickers. Call the hotline, and if instructed, the local police (911). Allow law enforcement to deal with traffickers and rescue victims. Approaching traffickers is not only dangerous for you and their victims but could lead to problems in the eventual prosecution of traffickers. Also, if at a truck stop/travel plaza, please notify the manager-on-duty of the suspicious activity; she/he needs to be aware of what is taking place on the lot and assist in ending it.

If you have seen the TAT Training DVD and reviewed this wallet card, please register as TAT Trained at http://tat8.nodeiitsu.com.

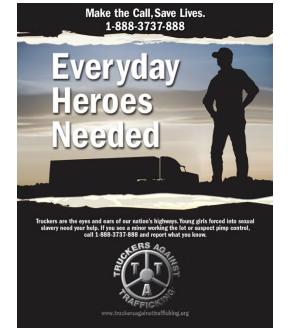






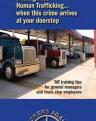






Make the Call, Save Lives 1-888-3737-888



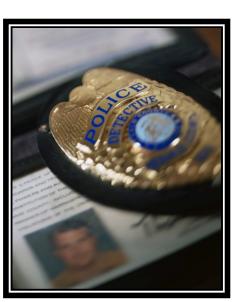






### TAT's Goals

- Partner with law enforcement and government agencies to facilitate the investigation of human trafficking.
  - Calls and Tips
  - Training
  - Scouting/Intel
  - Building Coalitions
  - Iowa MVE Model











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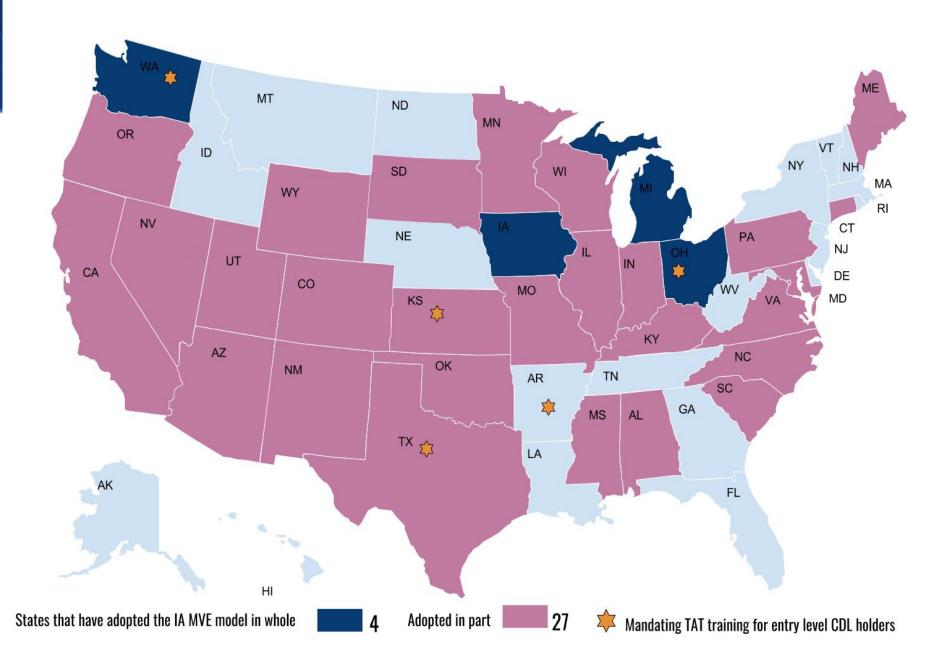
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#### **IA MVE States**



## TAT's Goals

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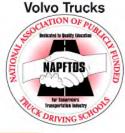
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# Freedom Drivers Project













# TAT BY THE NUMBERS

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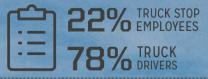
474,000+) TAT TRAINED PERSONS\_

Clearly this partnership with TAT and Polaris is working well, and it is showing the critical role that truckers play.

- Bradley Myles, CEO, Polaris



TRUCKERS AGAINST **TRAFFICKING** SURVEY 2016 1574 TOTAL SURVEY RESPONDANTS



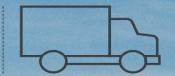
OF COMMERICAL SEX

REPORTED, INVOLVING: 840 ADULTS



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O% OF THESE CASES VIA







### Kevin Kimmel

# Get Involved

- Approve and sponsor the bill
- Participate in the January press conference





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