



2024-26 HUMAN TRAFFICKING STRATEGIC PLAN

Mission & Vision

Trafficking can include both sexual exploitation and labor.

Mission: Our mission is to prevent, detect, and disrupt human trafficking and support restoration for those impacted by it through coordinated community response.

Our Values

Safety – We protect, educate, and support the most vulnerable and at-risk members of our community.

Collaboration – We promote a person-centered, respectful, and trauma-informed response by both service providers, community, law enforcement, and school.

Growth – We commit to continuously sharing information, evaluating our response, promoting healing, and making informed choices to stop and prevent trafficking.

Equity – We work to understand and break down barriers to accessing support, services and resources for all survivors.

Strengths

- Vested, diverse partners
- Learning culture
- Community resources (LE, VS, MH)
- Trauma-informed approach
- Training access / Prevention Ed.
- Volunteer & Staff involved

Opportunities

- Longstanding relationships
- ALICE/High risk populations
- Schuylkill Co. Technical School
- Big box businesses
- SA/DV/HT Protocol Updates
- Trusted messengers for training
- Funding opportunities
- Emergency Housing

Aspirations

- Reduce resource deserts, increase access to food/ support / housing
- Provide services equitably
- Leverage HIVE & ALICE Report
- Expand longer term restorative support
- Expand education to community
- Disabilities population resources

Results

- Develop measurable goals
- Partner buy-in (Formal MOU)
- Aggregate data reporting
- Longer term housing support
- Recruit additional partners
- Age-appropriate healthcare based assessments.

Strategic Priorities

OBJECTIVES & ACTION ITEMS

Screening

AGE APPROPRIATE, STANDARDIZED SCREENING

- Develop age-appropriate, standard language screening tool
- Develop educational programs to identify survivors of trafficking in community settings.
- Dump and comb data from the existing assessments.
- Develop social media, marketing, digital advertising, and print resources/media outreach.

REFERRALS FOR LOW-BARRIER, INFORMED HELP

- Research grant opportunities
- Find a dedicated advocacy organization or coalition who will take ownership to establish ADA accessible housing.
- Continue to network. Convene HTRT monthly.
- Potentially recruit people who are missing from the HTRT

UPDATE SCHUYLKILL COUNTY PROTOCOLS

- Establish a subcommittee of STOP Team/HTRT reviewers.
- Review, update, and finalize MOU's for HTRT participation.
- Compile a list of contacts at local organizations to join
- Develop pre-recorded trainings for understaffed providers and systems to use.

DEVELOP A MISSION, VALUES, AND PLAN

- Identify a comprehensive mission statement
- Conduct a strategic conversation to flesh out 3-5 values based on model best practices and local needs/priorities.
- Review and update annually
- Meet at least quarterly

DEVELOP GUIDELINES, TRAINING, AND SERVICES

- Update directories and referral options for LE
- Coordinate advocacy referrals for LE and Healthcare
- Review, update, and educate on Protocols
- Establish supported housing in county
- Evaluate gaps, needs, and data.

Trauma-informed

Protocols

Mission/Values

Guidelines & Education

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The logo for SARCC (Schuylkill Area Rape Crisis Center) features the acronym "SARCC" in a large, white, serif font. Above the letters "A" and "R" is a white, curved line that arches over the text, resembling a protective shield or a supportive embrace.

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