

## ANTI-TRAFFICKING ORGANIZATIONS in NEW YORK AREA

### **AF3IRM NYC**

AF3IRM is a national organization of women engaged in transnational feminist, anti-imperialist activism and dedicated to the fight against oppression in all forms. AF3IRM's diverse, multi-ethnic membership is committed to militant movement-building and effects change through grassroots organizing, trans-ethnic alliance building, education, advocacy and direct action.

<http://www.af3irm.org>

### **Coalition Against Trafficking in Women (CATW)\*<sup>1</sup>**

CATW is a non-governmental organization that works to end human trafficking and the commercial sexual exploitation of women and children worldwide. CATW is the world's first organization to fight human trafficking internationally as well as the leading abolitionist organization. A unique strength of CATW is that it engages in advocacy, education, victim services and prevention programs for victims of trafficking and prostitution in Asia, Africa, Latin America, Europe and North America.

#### **CATW**

**PO Box 7160**

**New York, NY 10116**

**212-643-9895**

<https://catwinternational.org>

### **Covenant House New York**

For more than four decades Covenant House has helped transform and save the lives of more than a million homeless, runaway and trafficked individuals. It offers housing and support services to young people in need.

#### **Covenant House New York**

**550 10th Avenue**

**New York, NY 10018**

**212-613-0300**

<https://www.covenanthouse.org>

[chny@covenanthouse.org](mailto:chny@covenanthouse.org)

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<sup>1</sup> \*Asterick denotes an organization made up of many member organizations

## **ECPAT-USA**

ECPAT USA is the leading policy organization in the United States seeking to end the commercial, sexual exploitation of children. ECPAT-USA focuses on awareness advocacy, policy and legislation. ECPAT-USA is a member of ECPAT International, a network of organizations in 95 country working together toward one common mission: to eliminate the sexual exploitation of children. ECPAT has developed tool kits for hotels and the travel industry to heighten their awareness of trafficking and engage them in prevention and reporting.

**ECPAT-USA**  
**30 3rd Avenue, #800A**  
**Brooklyn, NY 11217**  
**718-935-9192**  
<https://www.ecpatusa.org>  
[info@ECPATUSA.org](mailto:info@ECPATUSA.org)

## **Equality Now\***

In partnership with grassroots groups, Equality Now raises the visibility of individual cases of abuse, mobilizes public support through its global membership and wields strategic political pressure to ensure that governments enact or enforce laws and policies that uphold the rights of women and girls. Its actions are directed toward achieving legal equality, ending sex trafficking, ending sexual violence and ending harmful practices.

**Equality Now**  
**125 Maiden Lane**  
**9th Floor, Suite B**  
**New York NY 10038**  
**212-586-1611**  
<https://www.equalitynow.org>  
[info@equalitynow.org](mailto:info@equalitynow.org)

## **Freedom For All**

Freedom for All works to end modern-day slavery through on-the-ground initiatives around the world. In partnership with others, it rescues women, men, and children from slavery; offers vocational training to youth and adults; shelters and offers services to survivors and educates students to the dangers of trafficking.

Freedom For All Village Station  
PO Box 536  
New York, NY 10014  
<https://www.freedomforall.org>

### **Lifeway Network**

The Lifeway Network offers both emergency housing and longer term transitional safe houses for domestic and foreign-born survivors of trafficking. Lifeway connects survivors to partner agencies in social services, health and mental health, and with law enforcement partners who help survivors navigate the court and legal systems. Ultimately, survivors transition from the safe house into independent living arrangements within the community.

LifeWay Network Inc.  
PO Box 754215  
Forest Hills, NY 11375  
718-779-8075  
<https://lifewaynetwork.org>  
[help@LifeWayNetwork.org](mailto:help@LifeWayNetwork.org)

### **Mentari**

Mentari empowers survivors of violence abuse, exploitation and trafficking. Its mission is to bring survivors back into the community and help them thrive independently. Its programs include art projects, job training and career coaching, culinary arts training, mentorship, survivor leadership, peer-to-peer supports, support groups, and policy advocacy.

Mentari  
PO Box 8316  
New York NY 10150  
<https://www.mentariusa.org>

### **New Yorkers for the Equality Model\***

New Yorkers for the Equality Model is a survivor-lead alliance made up of more than 30 advocates, prostitution and sex trafficking survivors and organizational partners seeking to implement the EqualityModel, decriminalizing only individuals in prostitution, in NY state.

<https://www.equalitymodelny.org>

**equalityamodelNY@gmail.com**

**New York State Anti-Trafficking Coalition\***

The New York Anti-Trafficking Coalition is a team of human rights advocates organizations that have joined forces to increase public awareness of human trafficking in our communities, enact anti-trafficking laws, improve law enforcement response and increase social services to help people escape trafficking. They raise awareness of labor injustices, intersecting issues of gender, immigration and the economy and amplify the voices of survivors.

<http://nysatc.weebly.com>

**NGO Committee to Stop Trafficking in Persons (CSTIP)\***

CSTIP is committed to the prevention and eradication of human trafficking in all its forms through advocacy and education. The Committee views trafficking in persons as a human rights violation and advocates for policy and action plans to address all aspects of trafficking. CSTIP is a coalition of many groups and organizations around the country who share its priorities, and focuses most of its work at the United Nations. They also have expert speakers available to make presentations at state and local levels and an excellent email mailing list.

<http://www.ngocstip.org>

**Not on My Watch, Inc.**  
**Safe Haven Network International**

Not on My Watch combats human trafficking and domestic violence through education training and community engagement; court and policy advocacy; and providing support and resources for victims and survivors.

**Not on My Watch**  
**2 Washington Street, 20th Floor**  
**New York, NY 10004**  
**646-564-6723**  
<https://www.nomwi.org>  
[info@nomwi.org](mailto:info@nomwi.org)

**NOW—NYC**

NOW-NYC supports positive change for the women and girls of New York, by advancing laws, promoting women in politics, fighting for reproductive justice, challenging discrimination and violence against women. It offers numerous opportunities for volunteers.

**NOW—NYC**

<https://nownyc.org>

[contact@nownyc.org](mailto:contact@nownyc.org)

**Polaris Project**

The Polaris project operates the US National Human Trafficking hotline: 1-888-373-7888 or text “Be Free” 233733. It serves as a data hub for the anti-human trafficking field, providing key data to hundreds of researchers, academics, law enforcement officers and others seeking to deepen knowledge and understanding.

**Polaris Project**

**PO Box 65323**

**Washington DC 20035**

<https://polarisproject.org>

[info@polarisproject.org](mailto:info@polarisproject.org)

**1-888-373-7888** (US National Human Trafficking hotline) text “Be Free” 233733

**Restore NYC**

Restore NYC has pioneered innovative housing and economic-empowerment solutions that give survivors access to a safe home and a safe job. Services include counseling, case management, resource coordination; a full range of housing placements from emergency to transitional to independent living; and job training classes, job placement and entrepreneurial training.

**Restore NYC**

**PO Box 1003**

**Bowling Green Station**

**New York, NY 10274**

**212-840-8484**

<https://restorenyc.org>

[referral@restorenyc.org](mailto:referral@restorenyc.org)

### **Safe Horizon**

Safe Horizon's mission is to provide support, prevent violence and promote justice for victims of crime and abuse and their families and communities. Safe Horizon also organizes big media campaigns to promote awareness, inspire action and help drive culture change to end violence.

#### **Safe Horizon**

**2 Lafayette Street**

**New York, NY 10007**

**212-577-7700**

<https://www.safehorizon.org>

**800-621-4673** (Domestic violence hotline)

**866-689-4359** (Victims of crime including trafficking)

**212-227-3000** (Victims of rape and assault)

**866-604-5350** (for hearing impaired)

### **Safe Network Inc.**

SAFE's mission is to expose human trafficking and domestic violence, and alleviate the suffering of those being trafficked by providing safe housing, education, and mentoring. It is committed to using public, political and church platforms to raise awareness of the violence of trafficking; and to empower and prepare survivors for successful lives through emotional healing.

#### **SAFE Network Inc.**

**PO Box 754225**

**Forest Hills NY 11375**

**646-477-4347**

<https://safenetworkinc.org>

### **Sanctuary for Families**

Sanctuary for Families offers shelter and support for victims of domestic violence, sex trafficking and other forms of gender violence. Its recovery services include counseling and crisis intervention; legal services; economic empowerment; anti-trafficking resources to help victims escape violence and build stable lives; and advocacy for policy and legislative change. They are equipped to address the special needs of immigrants and LGBTQ+ survivors.

#### **Sanctuary for Families**

**Wall Street Station (south of Seaport area)**

**PO Box 1406  
New York, NY 10268  
212-349-6009  
<https://sanctuaryforfamilies.org>**

### **UNITAS**

UNITAS, in partnerships with governments, NGO's, and experts in the field, has developed a variety of resources to support the fight against human trafficking. These include a digital, social and email campaign; a You Tube video and other materials to raise awareness among parents and teachers; and a prevention education curriculum aimed at youth 11-18 to empower them to protect themselves from being trafficked. UNITAS also offers a therapeutic retreats for survivors and partners with local organizations to provide survivor support.

**Unitas  
1177 Avenue of the Americas, 5th Floor  
New York, NY 10036  
<https://www.unitas.ngo>**

### **WomanKind**

Womankind works with survivors of gender-based violence to rise about trauma and build a path to healing. It brings deep cultural competency to help Asian communities find refuge, recovery and renewal.

**WomanKind  
32 Broadway, 10th Floor  
New York, NY 10004  
212-732-0054  
<https://www.iamwomankind.org>  
888-888-7702 (hotline)**

### **World Without Exploitation**

World Without Exploitation is a community of organizations and individuals committed to ending the root causes of human trafficking and exploitation. It engages people from a broad range of disciplines and sectors in the fight for a world free from exploitation. Founding members include the Coalition Against Trafficking in Women, the National Organization of Women-New York, Sanctuary for Families and the Voices and Faces Project.

**World Without Exploitation**

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