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| combat human trafficking  |  | | --- | | 🕬 | | use these scripts and guidelines to reach out to hotel management in your community. |   **The following hotel brands are members of the ECPAT-USA Tourism Child-Protection Code of Conduct and have free training available for all associates:**  **Carlson Rezidor Hotel Group** Quorvus Collection • Radisson Blu • Radisson • Radisson Red • Park Plaza • Park Inn by Radisson • Country Inns & Suites by Carlson  **Choice Hotels International**  Ascend Hotel Collection • Cambria Suites • Comfort Inn • Comfort Suites • Sleep Inn • Quality • Clarion • MainStay Suites • Suburban Extended Stay Hotel • Econo Lodge • Rodeway Inn  **Hilton Worldwide**  Hilton Hotels & Resorts • Waldorf Astoria Hotels & Resorts • Canopy by Hilton • Conrad Hotels & Resorts • Curio • DoubleTree by Hilton • Embassy Suites • Hilton Garden Inn • Hampton • Tru • Homewood Suites by Hilton • Home2 Suites by Hilton • Hilton Grand Vacations  **Hyatt Hotels Corporation**  Andaz • Hyatt Regency • Hyatt Place • Hyatt House • Hyatt Zilara • Hyatt Ziva • Hyatt Hotels • Park Hyatt • Grand Hyatt • Hyatt Centric • The Unbound Collection by Hyatt  **Marriott International**  Marriott Hotels & Resorts • Marriott Conference Centers • Delta Hotels and Resorts • JW Marriott Hotels & Resorts • The Ritz-Carlton • Bulglari Hotels and Resorts • Courtyard • Fairfield Inn • SpringHill Suites • Protea Hotels • Residence Inn • TownePlace Suites • Marriott ExecuStay • Marriott Executive Apartments • Renaissance Hotels & Resorts • Edition Hotels • Autograph Collection • AC Hotels • Moxy Hotels • Marriott Vacation Club  **Preferred Hotel & Resorts**  **Rosen Hotels & Resorts**  **Sonesta**  **Wyndham Worldwide**  Wyndham Hotels and Resorts • Wyndham Grand Hotels and Resorts • Wyndham Garden Hotels • TRYP by Wyndham • Wingate by Wyndham • Hawthorn Suites by Wyndham • Microtel Inn & Suites by Wyndham • Dolce Hotels & Resorts • Ramada Worldwide • Baymont Inn & Suites • Days Inn • Super 8 • Howard Johnson • Travelodge • Knights Inn |  | |  | | --- | | HOTEL PITCH “Hi, we’re with a church in the neighborhood and are reaching out to hotels to talk about human trafficking and missing children. **Could you take a look at these photos and see if you recognize any of these kids?”**  “We’re asking hotels to please post this where employees can see it—either at the front desk or in the employee break room. Many missing children are runaways and extremely susceptible to being trafficked for sex. They are often sold in hotels because hotels are a common site for prostitution. If you see one of them, please call the number on the bottom of the poster.”  ***“Have you received any training about human trafficking as a hotel employee?”***  “We have a folder of resources to give you today. We’d like to walk through them, but we know you’re here to serve hotel guests and don’t want to take up too much of your time. Would we be able to speak to a member of the management team about this? Perhaps the General Manager, Front Desk Manager, or person in charge of Housekeeping?   * If possible, meet with a member of the management team to go through the materials. If management is not available, see if the person at the front desk will listen, and then leave the folder for the General Manager. * As you walk through the resources in the folder, you can highlight some of the trafficking indicators on the “Together We Can Disrupt Human Trafficking” poster. * Explain that most prostitution is human trafficking. If a minor is being sold for sex, that minor is automatically considered a trafficking victim under the law. If a woman has a pimp, she is probably being trafficked because pimps use “force, fraud or coercion” (the legal definition of trafficking) to control their victims. * Share some stats:   + Human Trafficking is the **fastest** growing criminal industry in the world and **second largest** (behind drug trafficking).   + It is estimated that **100,000 American children** are currently involved in sex trafficking.   + **12-14 years old** is the average age of entry into prostitution in the US. * If the person you’re speaking with is not aware of any trafficking recognition training, offer to be in touch with information about how their hotel can access the training. Check the list in the left-hand column to see if the hotel is part of a brand that already has access to the training as a member of the ECPAT-USA Tourism Child-Protection Code of Conduct. If they are on the list, point out that they have access to the training for free. * Get the General Manager’s card whether you are able to meet with that person or not. | |