# TOGETHER WE CAN DISRUPT HUMAN TRAFFICKING

Human Trafficking is a criminal activity in which human beings are exploited for another person's monetary gain. Human trafficking happens in communities all over the world. There is no one "face of human trafficking." As hospitality employees, we are the eyes and ears of the hotel.

# **RECOGNIZE THE SIGNS**

## **TRAFFICKER**

- pays for the room one day at a time
- escorts various men into the room and lingers until they leave, watching the door
- requests for isolated, private rooms, or rooms close to an exit
- does not leave victim alone
  controls all money and identification
  insists on little or no housekeeping
  openly threatens or physically assaults the victims

### **VICTIM**

dressed inappropriately for age or weather fearful of authority figures, may avoid eye contact does not speak freely drugged, disoriented, confused, lacking sleep, or showing signs of abuse

- not in possession of passports, or other travel or identity documents
- has little or no luggage
- malnourished, injuries at different stages of healing, and/or lack of medical care

# **WHAT YOU CAN DO TO HELP**

- BE ALERT during large gatherings such as conventions or sporting games
- **DO NOT** confront the child or the adult
- **ALERT** the manager on duty
- MAKE NOTE of date and time of suspected incident, location, and identifying characteristics

If you see these signs, contact:

For support or victim services, call the National Human Trafficking Hotline:

1-888-373-7888

For information and training resources, visit **www.ecpatusa.org**