



# IS YOUR ORGANIZATION INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT DOMESTIC HUMAN TRAFFICKING?

Ascent 121 provides advocacy and recovery services for Indiana teen survivors of trafficking and exploitation. In addition to survivor services, we offer awareness sessions to help groups like yours learn more about Domestic Minor Sex Trafficking (DMST) and Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children (CSEC). Our presentations will equip and empower your team and prepare them to engage in Indiana's effort to combat this issue.

## ► PRESENTATIONS

We offer a variety of presentations so that you can choose what best suits the needs of your audience:

- ▶ Trafficking of Minors in Indiana
- ▶ Chosen Curriculum
- ▶ Understanding "The Life" Interactive Experience
- ▶ Lunch and Learn

Further details about each of these options are provided on the reverse side of this flyer. Contact Ascent 121 to tell us more about your audience and what you hope to accomplish through your training. We'll be happy to help you select the content that best suits your needs.

## ► FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### **This is all brand new to us. Where should we start?**

Trafficking of Minors in Indiana provides a solid introduction to the issue. This presentation is intended for larger groups and requires the use of AV technology. For

smaller groups or those without access, the Lunch & Learn content may be appropriate.

### **Who are the presenters?**

Staff and volunteers from Ascent 121.

### **Is the content graphic?**

Due to the nature of our work we will meet with an approved representative to preview content prior to the presentation. Some of our presentations include photos and advertisements that illustrate the realities of human trafficking. That content may not be appropriate for all audiences.

### **Does my audience have to make a commitment to volunteer for Ascent 121?**

No. We want to raise awareness in an effort to lessen demand for the purchase of commercial sex and to prevent more teens from becoming involved. We hope you will choose to join us.

**Nothing is going to change around us unless it's changed within us.**

Christine Caine, activist, author, speaker



# OUR PRESENTATIONS AIM TO EDUCATE AND ENGAGE EVERYONE IN THE EFFORT TO COMBAT TRAFFICKING IN INDIANA.

## TRAFFICKING OF MINORS IN INDIANA

A forty minute presentation that provides an overview of the issue as well as an introduction to our organization. It gives the audience a better understanding of the realities of trafficking in Indiana and explains the on-ramps available for them to join our organization as volunteers. This content is appropriate for general audiences over age 13.

## UNDERSTANDING 'THE LIFE'

An interactive simulation of the path into trafficking. It is a ninety minute small group experience led by an Ascent 121 facilitator who guides the group through self-discovery of facts on a map using questions, powerful stories and interactive tools. This powerful simulation encourages participants to move from mere knowledge and myths of the topic of local human trafficking to engaging in a way that activates questions and a response. To end the experience the facilitator will give a 15 minute overview of Ascent 121 and explain the on-ramps available for the audience to get engaged with our mission.

## LUNCH AND LEARN

This option is a 20 minute presentation that is ideal when time is limited and a basic introduction is preferred. This option includes an overview of human trafficking, which includes myths, how teens get involved, and information regarding the unexpected buyers. It also explains how Ascent 121 makes a difference for teen survivors in our community and what your audience can do to get involved. This presentation is ideal at your work place, civic organization, social group, or church small group.

## CHOSEN

*(by Shared Hope International)*

A one hour curriculum for teenagers or adults. Through a short video it tells the story of two All-American teens who were skillfully targeted by traffickers and manipulated into the commercial sex market. Following the video our presenter will lead a group discussion. This content is designed for adult or teen small groups, youth groups or school audiences.

To view the Chosen trailer visit  
<http://sharedhope.org/chosen>

To talk with us more about which session is right for you or to request a speaker, please email us at [INFO@ASCENT121.ORG](mailto:INFO@ASCENT121.ORG).

*Ascent 121 is a faith-based, non-profit human services organization with a goal of addressing commercial sexual exploitation and domestic human trafficking through therapeutic victim services and through raising awareness.*

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