

5 Ways to Help Fight Human Trafficking

1.) Support Anti-Human Trafficking Legislation (like the EMSI Act)

One of the best ways to help end human trafficking is by supporting legislation that increases government efforts to fight it around the world. The End Modern Slavery Initiative Act (EMSI) is a powerful tool that funds proven programs that are designed to end human trafficking once and for all. You can learn more about this legislation and sign the petition here: <https://freedomcommons.ijm.org/action-alert/end-slavery-put-your-name-line>

2.) Put the Anti-Human Trafficking Hotline in Your Phone (1-888-373-7888)

The National Human Trafficking Resource Center (NHTRC) is a national, toll-free hotline, available to answer calls from anywhere in the United States, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, in more than 200 languages. The NHTRC offers round-the-clock access to a safe space to report tips, seek services, and ask for help. If you suspect an incident of human trafficking in your community, you can call the hotline to report it anonymously.

3.) Attend a Local Anti Human Trafficking Meeting

Anti-human trafficking groups meet in communities around the country to help fight modern day slavery in all it's forms. Information for groups in your community can be found below: Chester Country Abolitionists: <http://www.chescoabolition.org>

4.) Donate to Organizations Fighting Human Trafficking

Several non-profit organizations are doing incredible work in bringing freedom and restoration to human trafficking victims locally, nationally, and globally. Partnering with these organizations financially is a powerful way to multiply their impact.

Locally: Dawn's Place - <http://ahomefordawn.org/>

Nationally: Polaris Project - <https://polarisproject.org/>

Globally: <https://www.ijm.org/>

5.) Shop for Slave Free Products

Most people do not realize that many products they purchase regularly are produced in part by slave labor. You can learn more about how your shopping habits support the slave trade at <http://slaveryfootprint.org/>. You can also support slave free trade practices by buying products that feature any of the following certifications:

