Local Resources for CSEC and Human Trafficking Survivors
(San Diego County and Environs)

**STARS (Surviving Together, Achieving and Reaching for Success):** A program designed for teen girls between the ages of 13 and 18 who have experienced CSEC and/or human trafficking. The goal is to empower young women to escape commercial sexual exploitation by developing their inner strengths, building a sense of community and supporting their reintegration into mainstream society. The group meets weekly for a minimum of 12 weeks and provides Independent Living Skills, Group Counseling, Recreational Activities, Case Management and referrals to mental health services, school, health services, etc. If you have a client you would like to refer to STARS please call (619) 521-2250 x3804 or (619) 993-8050.

**Counseling Cove:** Provides intensive, outpatient behavioral health services and case management services for Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (SED) homeless and runaway youth ages (12-21 years old) utilizing a comprehensive approach that is community based, client and family driven and culturally competent. Services include street outreach, individual and family counseling, case management services, psychological testing and medication evaluation & treatment. Counseling Cove will provide services to CSEC victims that have experienced homelessness, are currently homeless, in temporary housing or have a history of running away. **To make a referral for services please contact (619) 525-9903.** Eligible clients can have either Medi-Cal or if uninsured can be offered services through the Mental Health Services Act (MHSA). Counseling Cove is funded by the San Diego Health & Human Services Agency.

**Bilateral Safety Corridor Coalition (BSCC):** An alliance of over 60 government and nonprofit agencies in the United States and Latin America that is convened along the U.S.-Mexico Border Region to combat slavery and human trafficking. BSCC is committed to bilaterally preventing and intervening in the commercial and sexual exploitation of women and children while advocating for all exploited persons. BSCC is the only bilateral bi-national project that provides services in Tijuana, Mexico and San Diego, CA. For more information regarding services contact 619-336-0770 or visit www.bsccoalition.org.

**Freedom From Exploitation:** A peer-driven recovery group for victims of the Commercial Sex Industry. **For more information contact Kathi Hardy at (619) 459-4877.**

**GenerateHope:** GenerateHope, an IRS recognized 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization, provides dedicated housing and a comprehensive recovery program for women, ages eighteen to thirty, who have been sexually exploited and/or trafficked. Since recovery from sexual exploitation is a long-term process, GenerateHope allows for up to seven years of support to work through past trauma. This provides women the ability to live independently and become a positive influence on their communities and future generations. **For more information regarding services contact 619-818-4026 or visit www.generatehope.org.**

**Project L.I.F.E/North County Lifeline:** This program provides emergency services, residential coordination, case management, mental health services and victim outreach to those impacted by CSEC and human trafficking in the North County region. **For more information or to refer a client**

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please contact 760-726-4900 x6330 or 6376.

**Change in Action:** Program provides access to tattoo removal, scar revision through laser therapy or plastic surgery, as well as cosmetic dentistry to survivors of sexual exploitation, domestic violence, and sexual assault. Referrals are received from law enforcement, government and nongovernmental agencies for victims who could not afford these services on their own. For more information or to receive a referral form and an authorization to share information with our doctors, please contact Ronda McEwen at (619) 850-7264.

**Survivors for Solutions:** Providing peer services, advocating for peer-led programs/services and Survivor-informed policies and delivering consultation services. Autumn Burris is the Founder/Director and for more information go to [http://www.survivors4solutions.com/](http://www.survivors4solutions.com/)

**Human Trafficking Task Force:** Specialized officers trained to work with victims of CSEC and trafficking cases. Contact: Sgt. Det. Chris Cameron (858)268-5317

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**Department of Homeland Security:** DHS launched the Blue Campaign, unifying the DHS components to more effectively combat human trafficking through enhanced public awareness, training, victim assistance, and law enforcement investigations. By expanding our collaboration within the department, as well as among domestic and international governments, law enforcement, non-governmental organizations, and the private sector, DHS is helping to protect victims from being trafficked both within the United States and around the world. Local contacts: Special Agent Juan Jacobo (619)571-7047 and Victim Assistance Specialist: Ruby Chacon (619)699-5681.

**La Maestra Community Health Centers:** Services for international victims of trafficking (labor and sex) and since its founding in 1991, La Maestra Family Clinic, Inc. doing business as (d.b.a) La Maestra Community Health Centers (LMCHC) has been dedicated to its mission to provide quality health care and education; to improve the overall wellbeing of the family; bringing the under-served, ethnically diverse communities into the mainstream of our society through a caring, effective, culturally and linguistically competent manner, respecting the dignity of all patients. For more information on their program that helps trafficked persons, contact: Carmen Kcomt at 619-564-7010.

**Children of the Night:** A private 24- bed home, located in Los Angeles, California. Children of the Night provides refuge, food, clothing, an on-site school, counseling, and emotional support for victims of commercial sexual exploitation and human trafficking from all over the United States. For more information contact the Children of the Night 24-hour Hotline 1-800-551-1300 or visit [www.childrenofthenight.org](http://www.childrenofthenight.org).

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