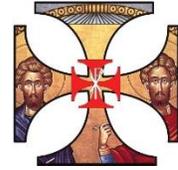


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NATIONAL COMMITTEE REPORT
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Human Trafficking Awareness and Action Committee

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Mission Statement:

The mission of this committee is to educate and develop awareness of the multi-faceted problem of human trafficking and to encourage action by assisting and working with national and local agencies that assist victims of human trafficking.

Objective:

To build and enhance the focus in three important areas of Human Trafficking:

Awareness, Action, and Prevention.

Awareness:

- Develop a Human Trafficking Fact Sheet - current vital statistics and information.
- Promote educational videos from U.S. Dept. of Homeland Security and other agencies (ex. Blue Campaign dhs.gov/bluecampaign).
- Reference National Philoptochos Social Services Resource Guide

Action:

- Update and complete the Human Trafficking Awareness & Action Document which lists Agencies and Services Offered in each Metropolis.
- Research current programs offering online tutorials.
- Enhance and update reading list

Prevention:

Request that each National Board Member research educational materials that deal with the Education/Prevention of Human Trafficking and **submit the following information to the Committee Chairs: Katherine Siavelis (katherine.siavelis@gmail.com) and Marty Driscoll (martydriscoll@bellsouth.net) by Friday, June 30, 2023:**

- 1) Suggested Copy or Link of the Education/Prevention Material
- 2) Brief description of this Education/Prevention Material

Relate how the Education/Prevention Program could be **used to educate the Youth within Parishes and Metropolis Youth Programs**