

## **Starter Toolkit:**

# **Raise awareness on trafficking in persons**

### Who is the Starter Toolkit for?

The Starter Toolkit is designed for anyone wishing to start or enhance existing outreach and awareness-raising activities on trafficking in persons in their communities, organizations and sectors.

The toolkit highlights Canadian and international resources that are used daily by organizations across Canada in their work on trafficking. Its focus is primarily on the trafficking of non-citizens in Canada; however resources can also offer guidance on raising awareness about other trafficking situations.

The toolkit was developed by the Canadian Council for Refugees in collaboration with anti-trafficking groups across Canada.

We hope to help groups and individuals learn from each other, build from tools that have already been developed and avoid duplicating work.

#### What does it mean to raise awareness about trafficking?

Trafficking in persons can be a complex issue to explain. Raising awareness about the issue means:

- > Sharing and increasing knowledge about trafficking;
- > Speaking up about the key issues involving trafficking and facing trafficked persons in Canada;
- > Inspiring others to take action.

#### What does this toolkit include?

- > Background information on trafficking in Canada and abroad
- > An overview of the key issues faced by trafficked persons in Canada
  - > What trafficking in Canada looks like
  - > Trafficking as a human rights issue
  - > Access to protection in Canada for non-citizen trafficked persons
  - > Recent policy changes in Canada affecting non-citizen trafficked persons
- > Action tips
- > Practical information and useful links

#### How can you access the toolkit?

The toolkit is available in English and French, online at: ccrweb.ca/en/trafficking-starter-kit



For more information: trafficking.ca



