



# Tackling Trafficking in Human Beings

Prevention, Protection, Prosecution & Partnership



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# Victims of Human Trafficking?



# What is Human Trafficking?



**A form of modern day slavery**

**A fundamental violation of the human rights of an individual**

**A serious offence in Ireland, carrying a maximum of life sentence on conviction**





# Multi-Disciplinary Partnership



- Police
- International Organisation for Migration
- State Agencies
- NGO's/Civil Society
- International Speakers



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## **Prevention**

Legislation, Awareness Raising, Training

## **Protection**

ID victims, Legal Advice & Healthcare

## **Prosecution**

Legislation, Enforcement

## **Partnership**

Co-operation between Police Forces,  
NGO's, State Agencies,  
Europol, Eurojust, Interpol



# PRIMARY OBJECTIVES



- Identification of Victims of Human Trafficking
- Rescue of Victims of Human Trafficking
- Supporting Victims of Human Trafficking
- Protection of Victims of Human Trafficking
- Prosecution of Human Traffickers



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