

MARINE CORPS AIR GROUND COMBAT CENTER CRIME PREVENTION SNAPSHOT

Crime Prevention is an active program that combines public awareness & prevention measures to reduce crime



January sets focus on **National Human Trafficking Prevention**. The Combat Center joins the nation to raise awareness & educate local communities in ways to prevent & respond to human trafficking. Human trafficking involves the use of force, fraud, or coercion to obtain some type of labor or commercial sex act. The following are signs in identifying trafficking:

- ☐ **Persons are disconnected from family, friends, organizations, etc.**
 - ☐ **A dramatic or sudden change in normal behavior.**
- ☐ **Children may stop attending school for no apparent reason.**
 - ☐ **Signs of mental or physical abuse.**
 - ☐ **Fearful, timid, or submissive.**
 - ☐ **Coached on what to say.**
 - ☐ **Unsuitable living conditions.**
- ☐ **No freedom of movement but restricted in activities.**

The above indicators may not always be present in every human trafficking situation & the presence or absence of any of the indicators is not necessarily proof of human trafficking. Therefore, use discretion & be observant while staying watchful. If you feel you have witnessed or are a victim of human trafficking, contact the National Human Trafficking Hotline or report matters to the local Criminal Investigation Division or Naval Criminal Investigative Service. Stay crime & victim free for the start of the New Year!



For crime prevention information contact the
Physical Security/Crime Prevention Office at (760) 830-4561.

