

AT A GLANCE



DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA



100 ATTENDEES

TAT Virtual Coalition Build

As Covid 19 discourages in-person gatherings, TAT's Coalition Build program has created a virtual option for industry and law enforcement partners to continue to engage key stakeholders in the fight against human trafficking. TAT co-hosted the very first virtual Coalition Build on Aug. 4 with the Office of the Attorney General for the District of Columbia, the American Trucking Association and Union Station.

SURVEY SAYS ...

98%

I am better equipped to recognize and report human trafficking after attending this meeting.

100%

I am willing to partner with stakeholders at this meeting to help combat the crime of human trafficking.

100%

I plan to share the information I learned today with my company, agency or organization.

100%

The briefing presented information that was new to me.

"We need more innovative approaches like TAT to identify and respond to human trafficking, intimate partner violence, and sexual assault. Finding new ways to partner with stakeholders who might come in contact with the victims of these crimes would help prevent continued abuse." - K. Tony Korol-Evans, Ph.D., Statewide Trainer, Maryland Network Against Domestic Violence

Agree

Disagree

Outcomes

- The American Public Transportation Association agreed to host a human trafficking awareness webinar with BOTL in late 2020.
- Union Station reaffirmed its commitment to hosting a series of in-person trainings with BOTL for management and front-line staff (including vendors and contractors working at the station) as soon as it's safe from a public health perspective.
- The Rhode Island Trucking Association is featuring TAT in their upcoming newsletter and encouraging member companies to TAT Train.
- Davis Travel Center is now training employees with TAT's training video and displaying TAT materials.
- Amtrak Police Department has submitted TAT's Law Enforcement Training video to the training department for consideration as a training tool to implement agency-wide.
- The Baltimore Police Department and the Maryland Human Trafficking Task Force will distribute TAT materials, including the law enforcement training video, to other law enforcement agencies in Baltimore and around the state.
- The statewide trainer on domestic violence for the Maryland Network Against Domestic Violence is seeking approval to incorporate TAT's Law Enforcement Training video and TAT's Addressing Demand video into trainings.
- The Prince George Human Trafficking Task Force has invited TAT to speak at their 2021 virtual human trafficking conference in January. They have agreed to distribute and encourage training with TAT's Law Enforcement Training video and TAT's Addressing Demand video. They are also making inroads for BOTL with the local transit agencies in order to pursue an awareness poster campaign.