NORTH AMERICA
Canada

The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Canada all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking in Persons Protocol.

Investigations and suspects

Number of cases of trafficking in persons reported, 2012-August 2015

Source: RCMP Human Trafficking National Coordination Centre.

Persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, by gender, 2012-August 2015

Source: RCMP Human Trafficking National Coordination Centre.
Persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by gender, 2012-August 2015

![Bar chart showing the number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons by gender from 2012 to August 2015.](chart)

Source: RCMP Human Trafficking National Coordination Centre.

**Victims**

Detected victims of trafficking in persons, by age and gender, 2012-August 2015

![Bar chart showing the number of detected victims by age and gender from 2012 to August 2015.](chart)

Source: RCMP Human Trafficking National Coordination Centre.
Detected victims trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2012-August 2015

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Year</th>
<th>Forced Labour</th>
<th>Sexual Exploitation</th>
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<tr>
<td>2012</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>46</td>
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<td>2013</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>60</td>
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<td>2014</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>97</td>
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<td>Jan-August 2015</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>56</td>
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Source: RCMP Human Trafficking National Coordination Centre.

Detected victims trafficking in persons, by area of origin, 2012-August 2015

- Canada - domestic trafficking, 88
- Sub-Saharan Africa, 6
- East Asia, 8
- Central and South-Eastern Europe, 10
- Other North America, Central America and the Caribbean, 11
- Others, 2

Source: RCMP Human Trafficking National Coordination Centre.
**Mexico**

The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Mexico covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking in Persons Protocol.

*Investigations and suspects*

**Number of investigated trafficking in persons cases, 2012-August 2015**

![Bar chart showing the number of investigated trafficking in persons cases from 2012 to August 2015.](chart1)

Source: Comision Nacional de Tribunales Superiores de Justicia de los Estados Unidos Mexicanos (CONATRIB).

**Persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, by gender, 2012-August 2015**

![Bar chart showing the number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons by gender from 2012 to August 2015.](chart2)

Source: Comision Nacional de Tribunales Superiores de Justicia de los Estados Unidos Mexicanos (CONATRIB).
Persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by gender, 2012-August 2015

Source: Comision Nacional de Tribunales Superiores de Justicia de los Estados Unidos Mexicanos (CONATRIB).

Victims

Detected victims of trafficking, by age and gender, 2012-August 2015

Source: Comision Nacional de Tribunales Superiores de Justicia de los Estados Unidos Mexicanos (CONATRIB).
Detected victims of trafficking, by form of exploitation, 2012-August 2015

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<th>Form of Exploitation</th>
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<th>Jan-Aug2015</th>
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<tr>
<td>Forced labour, slavery and labour exploitation</td>
<td>34</td>
<td>50</td>
<td>121</td>
<td>48</td>
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<td>Sexual exploitation</td>
<td>35</td>
<td>64</td>
<td>98</td>
<td>49</td>
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Source: Comision Nacional de Tribunales Superiores de Justicia de los Estados Unidos Mexicanos (CONATRIB).

Detected victims of trafficking, by country of citizenship, 2012-August 2015

- Unknown, 285
- Mexico - domestic trafficking, 352
- Guatemala, 37
- Honduras, 31
- El Salvador, 1

One Mexican victim was repatriated from Colombia in the year 2013.

Source: Comision Nacional de Tribunales Superiores de Justicia de los Estados Unidos Mexicanos (CONATRIB)
The United States of America criminalizes trafficking for commercial sexual exploitation and forced labour.

Investigations and suspects

Number of persons against whom prosecution was commenced for trafficking in persons at federal level, FY2010 – FY2014*

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<tr>
<th>Year</th>
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<th>2012</th>
<th>2013</th>
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<tr>
<td>Prosecuted</td>
<td>181</td>
<td>213</td>
<td>200</td>
<td>253</td>
<td>335</td>
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Source: U.S. Department of State.

Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons offences at federal level, FY2010 – FY2014*

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<th>Year</th>
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<tr>
<td>Convicted</td>
<td>141</td>
<td>151</td>
<td>138</td>
<td>174</td>
<td>184</td>
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Source: U.S. Department of State.

*Fiscal years (FY) in the USA run from 1 October -30 September. For example, FY2010 started on 1 October 2009 and ended on 30 September 2010. The numbers concerning prosecutions and convictions include only proceedings related to federal trafficking in persons offences. These totals do not include child sex trafficking cases brought under non-trafficking statutes. They also do not include state-based prosecutions and convictions.

Source: U.S. Department of State.
Victims

Assisted victims of trafficking in persons, by gender and age, FY2013-FY2014*

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<tr>
<th>Gender</th>
<th>FY2013</th>
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<tr>
<td>Adult transgender</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>30</td>
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<tr>
<td>Women</td>
<td>1521</td>
<td>2003</td>
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<tr>
<td>Girls</td>
<td>353</td>
<td>510</td>
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<tr>
<td>Men</td>
<td>382</td>
<td>706</td>
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<tr>
<td>Boys</td>
<td>40</td>
<td>55</td>
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<td>Children transgender</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
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Source: DOJ OVC’s Trafficking Management System (TIMS).

Assisted victims of trafficking in persons, by citizenship, FY2013-FY2014*

Mexico, 872
El Salvador, 132
Guatemala, 183
Honduras, 227
Philippines, 547
Other East Asia, 226
Africa and the Middle East, 204
Europe and Central Asia, 67
Thailand, 171
Other Central America and the Caribbean, 95
United States - domestic trafficking, 2,306

Other, 33
South Asia, 94
South America, 124

Source: DOJ OVC’s Trafficking Management System (TIMS).
Assisted victims of trafficking in persons, by forms of exploitation, FY2013-FY2014*

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<tr>
<td>Unknown</td>
<td>30</td>
<td>104</td>
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<tr>
<td>Mixed Sexual and Labour exploitation</td>
<td>177</td>
<td>195</td>
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<tr>
<td>Forced labour</td>
<td>827</td>
<td>1259</td>
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<tr>
<td>Sexual exploitation</td>
<td>1281</td>
<td>1750</td>
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*Fiscal years (FY) in the USA run from 1 October -30 September. For example, FY-2010 started on 1 October 2009 and ended on 30 September 2010. The U.S. government supports all victims – men, women, transgender individuals, and children, whether U.S. citizens or foreign nationals – during trafficking investigations and prosecutions by funding victim services providers and increasing the number of victim assistance coordinators in field offices. Federal funding specifically for victims of human trafficking is provided by the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) through various grant programs and by DOJ’s Office for Victims of Crime (OVC) through grants to non-governmental organizations funded to support services for all victims of human trafficking that may be identified within a specific geographic area. HHS and DOJ OVC collect data on the number of trafficking victims in the United States provided with services funded or administered from these dedicated funds by the respective agency. However, the exact number of victims assisted is unknown because some were assisted with funding from both agencies but an unduplicated count is not available. The information directly above is as reported through the DOJ OVC’s Trafficking Management System (TIMS). TIMS maintains data on victims of human trafficking who are served by human trafficking organizations through the OVC Human Trafficking Grant Program.