

MODERN SLAVERY AND HUMAN TRAFFICKING

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**2019 UK referrals
of potential victims
of Modern Slavery
and Human
Trafficking
submitted to
the National
Referral
Mechanism*.**

UK TOTAL
10,627

* The location of the
claimed exploitation
was not recorded in 3 cases.



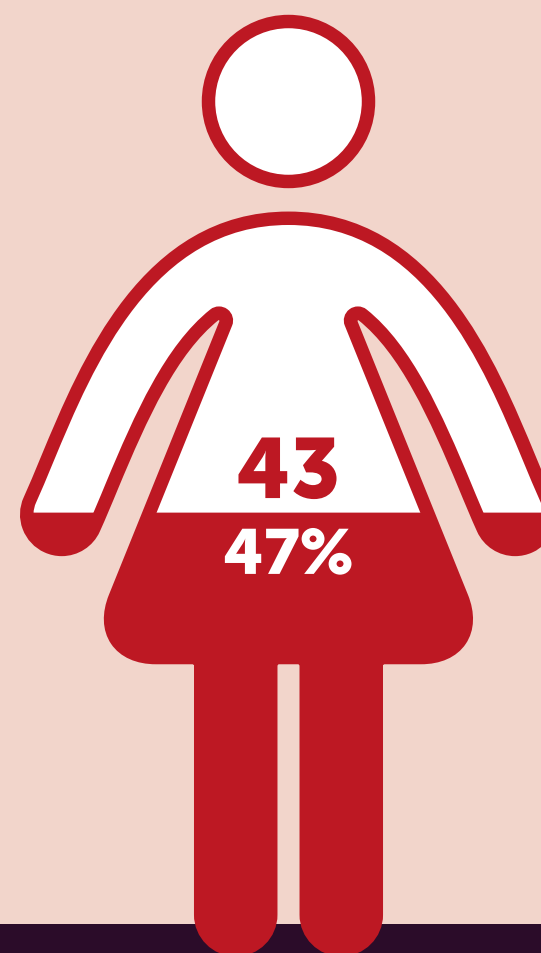
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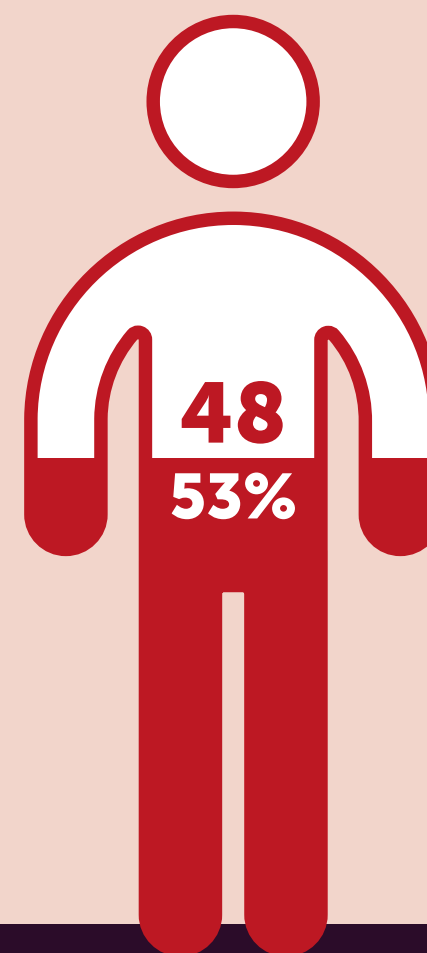
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2019 NORTHERN IRELAND REFERRALS TO THE NATIONAL REFERRAL MECHANISM



Female



Male

Including:



Children

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CLAIMED TYPE OF EXPLOITATION IN NI

(2019 NATIONAL REFERRAL MECHANISM FIGURES)



Criminal	1
Domestic	6
Labour	29
Labour & Criminal	1
Sexual	23
Sexual & Domestic	1
Unknown	4



Criminal	1
Labour	5
Sexual	2
Unknown	8



Criminal	2
Labour	1
Sexual	5
Unknown	2

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3 STRATEGIC
RECOMMENDATIONS.

8 OPERATIONAL
RECOMMENDATIONS.

8 AREAS FOR
IMPROVEMENT.



“ Modern slavery and human trafficking are complex global crimes. Often described as ‘hidden in plain sight’ many victims could be working in the public eye and visible in local communities. ”



“Victims of modern slavery and human trafficking are some of the most vulnerable and traumatised in the criminal justice system.”



**If you suspect someone is a victim
of modern slavery or human
trafficking, contact the police on
101 or 999 in an emergency or call
the Modern Slavery Helpline on
0800 0121 700.**