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ASEAN-USAID PROSPECT

on counter-trafficking in persons

HUMAN TRAFFICKING IN SOUTHEAST ASIA

1,600,000

men, women, and children believed to be trafficked in the ASEAN region every year

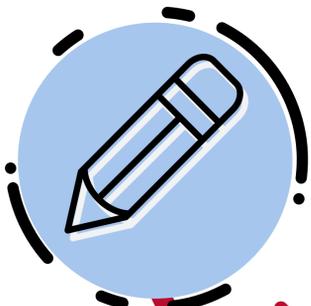


A majority of victims identified in the region are women and girls

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of victims are identified & receive help

Sources: Walk Free Foundation Global Slavery Index 2018



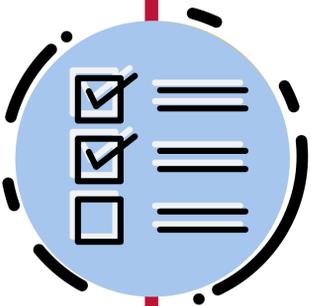
ASEAN POLICIES

ASEAN Convention against Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children (ACTIP) (2017) enters into force, becoming the first legally-binding instrument to combat human trafficking in the region



BUILDING A COALITION OF STAKEHOLDERS | 2018 - 2023

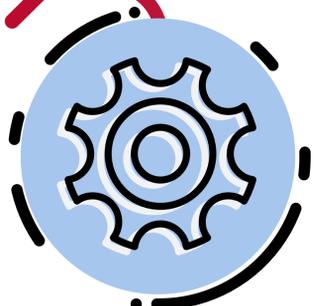
Supporting ongoing regional consultation and collaboration on cross-border counter-trafficking efforts among ASEAN bodies, multilateral organizations, subject matter experts, policymakers, implementers, and other regional actors



ADVANCING ASEAN POLICIES | 2019 - 2023

Launched the Regional Guidelines and Procedures to Address the Needs of Victims of Trafficking in Persons with ASEAN Committee for the Promotion and Protection of the Rights of Women and Children (April 2019)

Leading participatory development of a regional Model Implementation Toolkit for practitioners to assist victims of trafficking in accordance with the Regional Guidelines and Procedures to Address the Needs of Victims of Trafficking in Persons



POLICY TO PRACTICE | 2020 - 2023

Collaborating with a coalition of stakeholders to develop and deliver training on regional and national practitioner tools to improve access and quality of victim assistance across ASEAN Member States

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