

## Stalking Awareness Month

Nearly 1 in 3 women  
and  
1 in 6 men  
will be stalked in their  
lifetime.

**What is Stalking?**  
Stalking is a pattern of unwanted behaviors that can make someone feel unsafe, distressed or in danger. It may happen in person, online or through technology.

**Stalking is a Crime in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, U.S. Territories, and Tohono O'odham Nation.**



Tohono O'odham Nation  
Komckud Ki: Domestic & Sexual  
Violence Prevention Program  
24/7. Safe. Confidential Hotline  
1-866-666-4889



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## Prevention Through Connection

Safety grows through connection, respect, and community care.

### How Community Can Help & Support

- **Believe and listen without judgement.** Let people share at their own pace. You don't need all the details to offer care.
- **Respect privacy and choices.** Survivors know their situation best. Support their decision, even when they're not ready to act.
- **Stay connected, not controlling.** Check in with care, not pressure. Simple messages like, "I'm here if you need me" matter.
- **Help reduce isolation.** Invite people to community events, meals, or walks. Connection builds safety.
- **Learn the signs without assuming.** Sudden fear, isolation, monitoring by others, or loss of control may signal harm but only the person can name their experience.
- **Share resources gently.** Provide hotline numbers or local support options without forcing action.
- **Speak up against harmful behaviors.** Stalking, exploitation, and abuse are community issues, not private problems.



## Resources for support or more information

24/7. Safe. Confidential Hotline  
**1-844-7NATIVE (762-8483)**



Stalking Prevention, Awareness,  
& Resource Center (SPARC)



## Human Trafficking Prevention Month

### What is Human Trafficking?

Human trafficking happens when someone is forced, tricked, or pressured to work or engage in sexual acts against their will.



### How It Impacts Tribal Communities

- **Higher Risk:** Native people are often targeted because of poverty, housing issues, and gaps in law enforcement.
- **Stolen Futures:** Native women and girls are at greater risk of being trafficked and going missing
- **Community Impact:** Trafficking harms families, cultures, and future generations.



Hotline  
**1-888-373-7888**

