**MODERN SLAVERY**

*What is modern slavery?*

Modern slavery encompasses human trafficking and slavery, servitude and forced or compulsory labour. This affects both adults and children. The victims are recruited, moved or transported and then exploited, forced to work or sold.

Modern slavery is exploitation and abuse. It can include:

* Sexual exploitation
* Benefit fraud
* Forced marriage
* Domestic servitude such as cleaning, childcare, cooking
* Forced labour in factories or agriculture
* Removal of organs
* Criminal activity such as pickpocketing, begging, transporting drugs, working on cannabis farms, selling pirated DVDs and bag theft.

Individuals can be trafficked into the UK from abroad, but individuals can also be trafficked from one part of the UK to another.

*How to get help*

Speak to any member of College staff or speak to the College Safeguarding Team on 01226 216 142 or via email at safeguarding@barnsley.ac.uk

*Other support*

[www.hopeforjustice.org](http://www.hopeforjustice.org) – 0300 008 8000

<nspcc.org.uk> – 0808 800 5000

Childline – 0800 1111 (24 hours)

[Gov.uk referral guidance](http://www.gov.uk/government/publications/human-trafficking-victims-referral-and-assessment-forms/guidance-on-the-national-referral-mechanism-for-potential-adult-victims-of-modern-slavery-england-and-wales)