Sex Trafficking: What do UVU students know?

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What do UVU Students know about Sex Trafficking?

- We wanted to know how much UVU students knew about sex trafficking
- We created a survey asking students how much they knew about sex trafficking and tested their knowledge on it too.
- With the help of the IRB and the IRI we sent out 500 emails with our survey attacked, we got 138 responses back which was really unexpected
- We were late getting everything out because of our topic we needed a
 few more regulations on the consent form and survey like making sure
 the person taking it was 18+, so it took a little longer to get everything
 out which put us behind.

Literature Review

Survivors' Voices Complex Needs of Sex Trafficking Survivors:

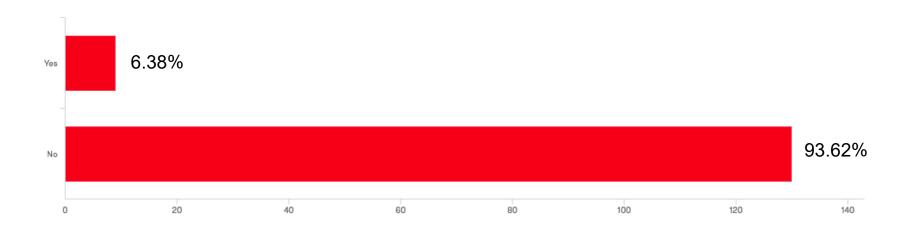
The study gathered data from twenty-two women over the age of 18 years old, who were sex trafficking victims. The data recorded showed that there was a lack of awareness among the general public about sex trafficking. (Rajaram & Tidball, 2018) The survivors stated that they their support needs were in both the initial aftermath and long-term. The study was done to find out just what survivors went through and their needs after trafficking and in long-term life. This study is to also educate people on what it is like to be trafficked and what it is like in the aftermath of being trafficked.

Literature Review cont.

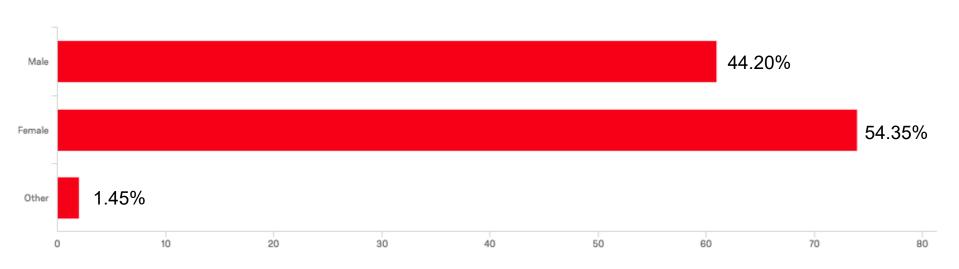
13 Sex Trafficking Statistics That Put the Worldwide Problem into Perspective:

The article states that human trafficking has become a global multibillion-dollar enterprise that affects nearly every single country. (Brinlee, 2018) The article gives people statistics from all different organizations that have collected data throughout the past years. The article talks about how women and girls are majority of sex trafficking victims and how there are an estimated 24.9 million people trapped in forced labor because of human trafficking worldwide.

Have you or anyone you know been a victim of sex trafficking?



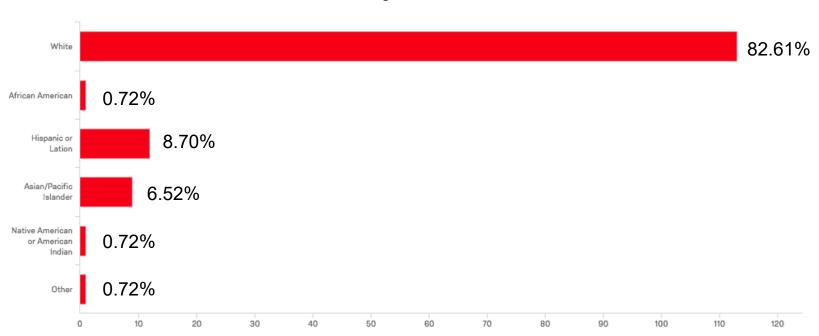
What is your gender?



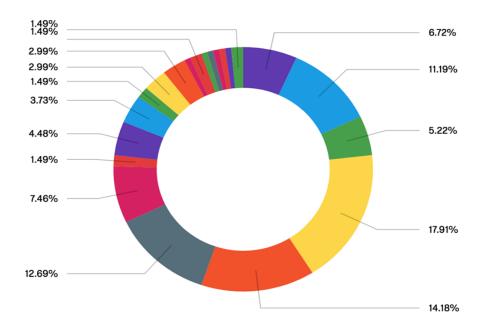
Cross Tabulation between their gender and if they or someone they know have been a victim of Sex Trafficking

		Have you or anyone you know been a victim of sex trafficking?		
		Yes	No	Total
What is your gender?	Male	3	58	61
	Female	4	71	75
	Other	1	1	2
	Total	8	130	138

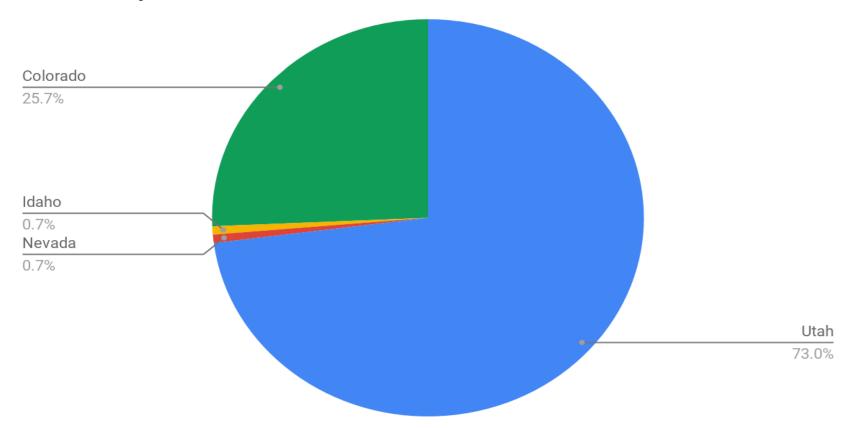
What is your race?



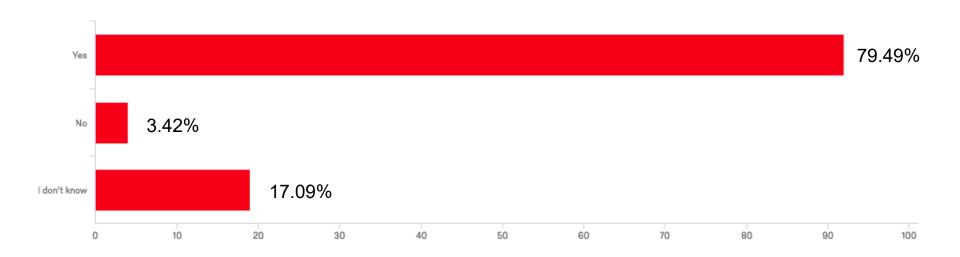
What is your age?



Where do you live?

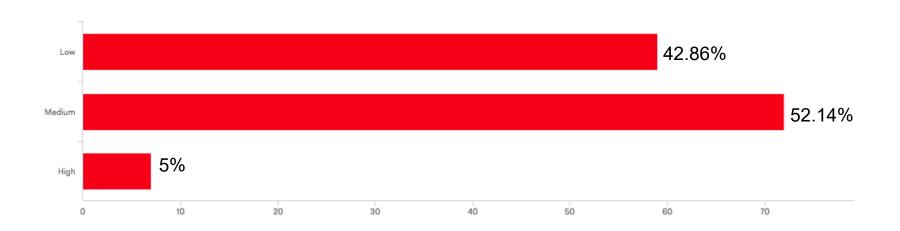


Do you believe Sex Trafficking Exists in your City/State?

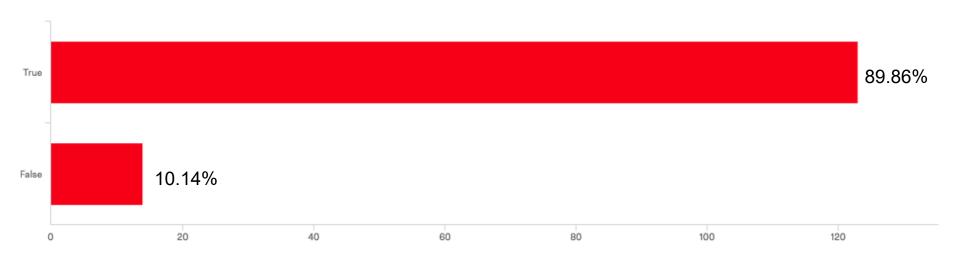


- Idaho-1 said yes
- Utah-
 - 87 said yes
 - o 3 said no
 - 20 said I don't know
- Nevada-1 said yes
- Colorado- Both said yes

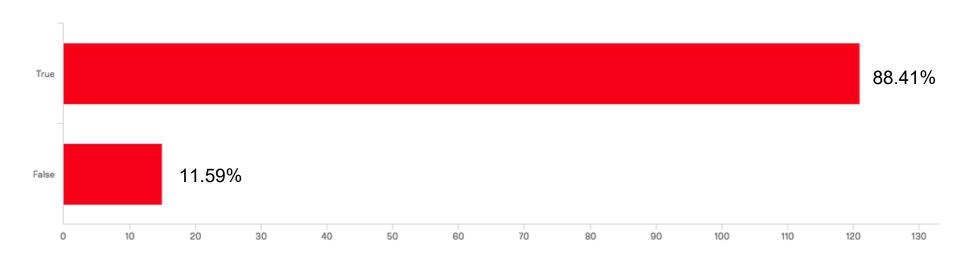
How would you rate your personal level of knowledge about sex trafficking?



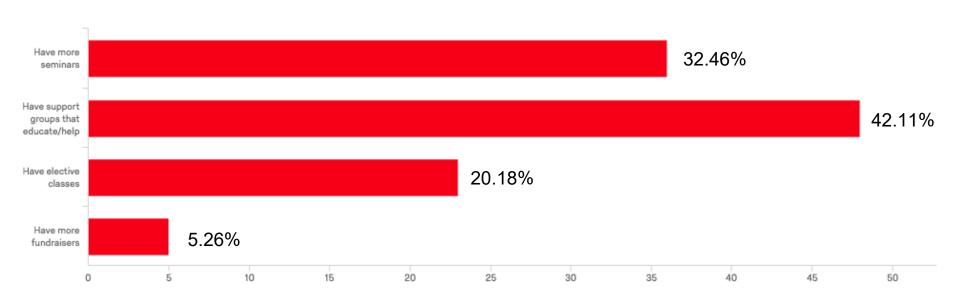
Children make up 26% of forced labor victims.



Sex trafficking is the third largest international crime



What do you think could be done extra to further educate UVU students about sex trafficking?



Final Conclusion

We got over a hundred and I think having a big number of responses like that really helps put into perspective of the question we were looking for "How much do UVU students know about Sex Trafficking". A lot said Medium to Low, and when we asked the question how do they think we can help educate the majority of them said have support groups and seminars. That really goes to show that students want to know more and be more educated about the seriousness of Sex Trafficking.