

# INHOSPITABLE TO HUMAN TRAFFICKING TRAINING SUPPLEMENT FOR THE CITY OF HOUSTON



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*This document supplements BEST's Inhospitable to Human Trafficking training to meet the requirements of the [City of Houston's Human Trafficking Hotel Training Ordinance \(No.2020-319\)](#). This training is on the City of Houston's pre-approved training list and fulfills the ordinance requirements, as long as this supplement is provided.*

## **PLEASE NOTE EXCEPTION TO BEST'S TRAINING RECOMMENDATION CONCERNING RECOMMENDED REPORTING OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING INCIDENTS:**

If you work at a hotel in Houston, **please disregard** BEST'S recommendation that front-line staff report incidents to hotel management. **Hotel employees in Houston are required to report tips to the appropriate agencies directly, including, but not limited to:**

- Houston Police Department's Vice Division's Human Trafficking Unit: Call **713-308-8600**
- National Human Trafficking Hotline: Call **1-888-373-7888** or send a text to **233733** (BEFREE)

To avoid discrimination, look for behaviors that indicate trafficking rather than making assumptions based on a persons' race, national origin, gender, sexual orientation, etc. Protect your company by documenting potential incidents and the behavior-based indicators observed.