



## Partnering to Support Human Trafficking Survivors with Criminal Records

### **What is the Survivor Reentry Project (SRP)?**

SRP acts as a bridge to help connect survivors of all forms of human trafficking with pro bono lawyers to clear **post-conviction records** resulting from their victimization.

Survivors of human trafficking often face the lasting consequences of criminal records, creating significant barriers to employment, housing, education, and access to essential resources. Many survivors have records across multiple states and jurisdictions, making the process of clearing their records overwhelming and complex. By removing these barriers, SRP empowers survivors to rebuild their lives, free from the weight of their past. In addition, SRP also provides technical assistance and training to legal professionals, ensuring legal services are trauma-informed and survivor-centered.

### **How Community-Based Providers Can Help:**

Join SRP's network! Survivors often need support to address their immediate and ongoing needs. SRP maintains an internal resource list of community providers across the US and directly refers survivors when their needs extend beyond our scope. We invite community providers to become part of SRP's resource list to help connect survivors with essential services. If your organization offers any of the services below, please join our network.

- Short- and Long-Term Housing
- Mental Health and Counseling
- Employment and Job Skills Training
- Education Scholarship Opportunities
- Health Care
- Substance Abuse Treatment

### **Frequently Asked Questions**

#### **Does SRP accept referrals from community providers?**

Yes, SRP accepts referrals from our community partners for survivors who need legal assistance with clearing their post-conviction records.

#### **Is there any cost associated with SRP services?**

All services provided by SRP are free of charge to the survivor.

#### **Who can I refer to SRP?**

Survivors of all forms of human trafficking, both sex and labor trafficking with a state-related post-conviction matter. There are currently no federal criminal record relief statutes at this time. SRP does not assist with open or pending legal matters.

#### **How Do I Join?:**

For more information regarding community partnerships, please contact SRP Advocate Chanel Toleston:

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