Palm Beach County Victim Services and Certified Rape Crisis Center Provides Special Events During Human Trafficking Prevention Month

January is Human Trafficking Prevention Month. Awareness is important because Palm Beach County ranks third in the state, and Florida ranks third in the nation for incidents of human trafficking.

Palm Beach County Victim Services, in partnership with the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office and the Human Trafficking Coalition of the Palm Beaches, have collaborated to heighten awareness about human trafficking through a variety of events during January. Some of the events include "Red Sand Project," and "Wear Blue Day," on Jan. 11, 2022 and virtual trainings for the community. To see the full schedule of events, visit https://fb.me/e/2iD3L6IQC

Palm Beach County Victim Services and Certified Rape Crisis Center victim advocates are available 24/7 to respond to victims of Human Trafficking and other violent crimes. Helpline staff are also available to provide immediate support. For assistance, please call the Helpline at 561-833-7273.

For more information on the schedule of events, contact Jacqueline Jackson at <u>Jjackson4@pbcgov.org</u>.