NOROUM & TRAFFICKING AN AHLA FOUNDATION PROGRAM

No Room for Trafficking (NRFT), a program of the AHLA Foundation, builds on the hotel and lodging industry's longstanding commitment to eradicate human trafficking. Since 2019, NRFT has united the industry around its collective anti-trafficking efforts to meet the needs of today's hospitality employers, employees, and the communities they serve.

Through NRFT events, partnerships, and resources, we:

- *Elevate* the issue of human trafficking and industry efforts to prevent and combat it
- *Educate* industry employers and employees to identify and report suspected trafficking in hotels and communities nationwide, and
- *Empower* survivors with the support they need to help them thrive on their path forward.

In July 2022, the AHLA Foundation launched the **"No Room for Trafficking" Survivor Fund**, expanding the hotel industry's ongoing work to eradicate human trafficking by directing resources towards supporting survivors in the aftermath of their victimization.

The NRFT Survivor Fund will provide grants to community-based organizations that engage and support survivors – from direct funding for their crisis and baseline needs through to career-related support that can empower and equip them on their path forward. With this significant investment in survivors' economic stability, the hotel and lodging industry embodies a best practice approach to eradicating human trafficking and supporting survivors.

Industry and survivor leaders will help set the framework and criteria for NRFT Survivor Fund grants, with the first awards anticipated to be released in July 2023, in advance of the World Day Against Human Trafficking (July 30th).



Donations made to the Survivor Fund are tax-deductible as allowed by law and may be restricted in purpose to support grantmaking and the administration of the grants.

