

# Essential Knowledge for Addressing the Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children in North Carolina

EQUIPPING CRITICAL ROLES AND PROFESSIONS WITH SKILLS TO PREVENT AND ADDRESS CSEC

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# Project Overview

This special training program provides essential and critical knowledge on commercial sexual exploitation of children (CSEC) in the state of North Carolina. The goal of this program is to better equip all those interacting with and caring for children and youth in North Carolina to end and prevent this form of exploitation, also referred to as child sex trafficking. Through this training program, in close collaboration with NCCASA and other specific subject matter experts, Justice U is providing online courses, digital certifications, and support for continuing education units (CEUs) needed.

## Quick Program Details (online content)

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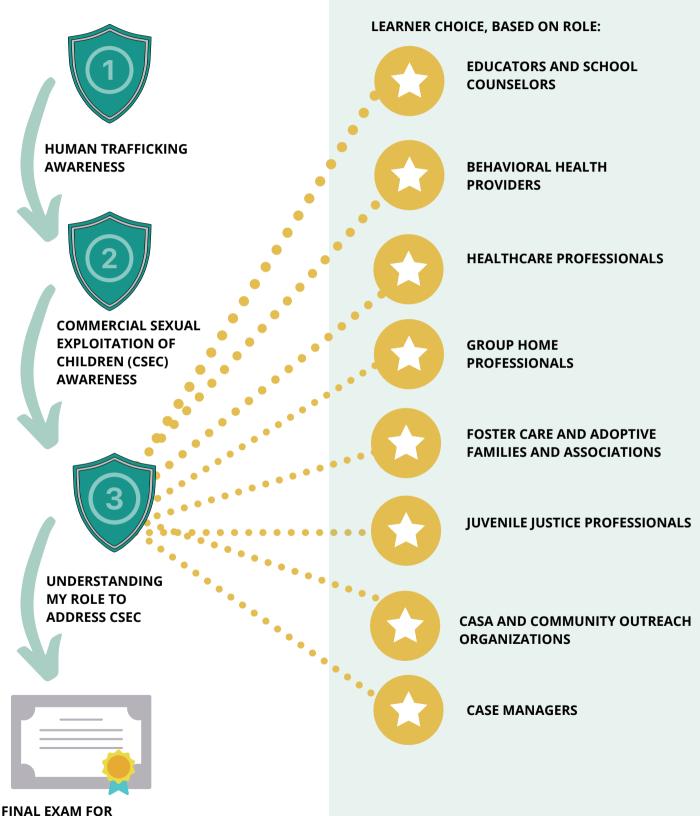
#### JOINT ACCREDITATION STATEMENT



In support of improving patient care, this activity has been planned and implemented by the Postgraduate Institute for Medicine and Altus Solutions Inc. Postgraduate Institute for Medicine is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), to provide continuing education for the healthcare team.

## The Curriculum Plan

This learning plan has 3 components, ending with a final exam to earn a Justice U Certification and profession-specific CEU credits. Component 1 establishes basic awareness about human trafficking. Component 2 provides specific understanding about CSEC as a form of human trafficking. Component 3 provides role-specific training with additional details important to that specific role or profession.



CERTIFICATION

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## Course Details

**TARGET AUDIENCES:** These courses are intended for roles and professions working with children in care.

COURSE 1:

Human Trafficking' Awareness

#### **EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES:**

After completing this activity, the participant should be better able to:

- · Define human trafficking.
- Distinguish common myths from facts.
- Identify vulnerable populations and risk factors.
- Define key factors that are behind trafficking behaviors.
- Recognize red flags that may indicate suspicious activity.
- Describe how to report suspected human trafficking.
- Describe the challenges that arise when working to end human trafficking
- Recognize the role of key organizations and agencies.
- Compare and contrast local and global issues.

LENGTH: 1 Hour

#### COURSE 2:

Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children (CSEC) Awareness

#### **EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES:**

After completing this activity, the participant should be better able to:

- Describe the scope and context of the commercial sexual exploitation of children.
- Recognize the language and definitions of commercial sexual exploitation of children.
- Explain the value of trauma-informed and survivor-centered language related to commercial sexual exploitation of children.
- Identify risk factors that make a child vulnerable to commercial sexual exploitation.
- Identify warning signs of commercial sexual exploitation of children.
- Identify key federal and state laws related to commercial sexual exploitation of children.
- Describe and predict how to respond to commercial sexual exploitation of children.

**LENGTH:** 1.5 Hours

#### COURSE 3:

Understanding My Role to Address CSEC

#### **EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES:**

After completing this activity, the participant should be better able to:

- Recognize intersection points for identification and care
- Identify potential challenges working with CSEC cases
- Identify services and referrals that might be available for CSEC victims
- Predict outcomes based on processes surrounding CSEC cases
- Describe how to build community relationships and network
- Analyze opportunities for better prevention, care, and reform
- Create a personal action plan

**LENGTH:** 1.5 Hours



**8 DIFFERENT ROLE TRACKS TO CHOOSE FROM** 

PROFESSION OR INDUSTRY CEUS AVAILABLE (4 ONLINE LEARNING HOURS)

A COMPLETION CERTIFICATE WITH 4 HOURS OF PARTICIPATION INDICATED WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR ALL PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS WHO EARN THE CERTIFICATION AT THE END OF THE SERIES.

SEE ADDITIONAL CREDITS AVAILABLE ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE.

## **CE Credits Available**

#### **Physician Continuing Medical Education**

The Postgraduate Institute for Medicine designates this enduring material for a maximum of 4 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s) $^{\text{m}}$ . Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

#### **Continuing Nursing Education**

The maximum number of hours awarded for this Continuing Nursing Education activity is 4 contact hours.

#### **Continuing Pharmacy Education**

Postgraduate Institute for Medicine designates this continuing education activity for 4 contact hour(s) (0.4 CEUs) of the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education.

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Type of Activity: Knowledge

Hardware/Software Requirements (Required for Internet-based ACPE activities only)

This activity requires a device with access to the Internet. This could include a computer or a mobile device.

Policy on Privacy and Confidentiality (Required for Internet-based ACPE activities only)

Please see final activity for the policy on privacy and confidentiality that relates to this internet activity.



#### **Interprofessional Continuing Education**

This activity was planned by and for the healthcare team, and learners will receive 4 Interprofessional Continuing Education (IPCE) credit for learning and change.

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Credit Designation

This program offers 4 continuing education credits for psychologists.



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#### Postgraduate Institute for Medicine is accredited by COPE to provide continuing education to optometrists.

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