

Trauma and the Brain

Many victims of human trafficking show symptoms of Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD)

According to the American Psychiatric Association, PTSD may be diagnosed in people who have:

- Experienced, witnessed, or been confronted with one or more events that involved real or threatened death or serious injury to the physical integrity of themselves or others
- Responded to these events with intense fear, helplessness, or horror, which may be expressed as disorganized or agitated behavior



How Trauma Impacts the Brain

