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Dear Medical Professionals,

The Genesee County Medical Society, the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services, and the Greater Flint Health Coalition would like to present you with the *Human Trafficking Victim Identification Toolkit for Physicians and other Medical Professionals*.

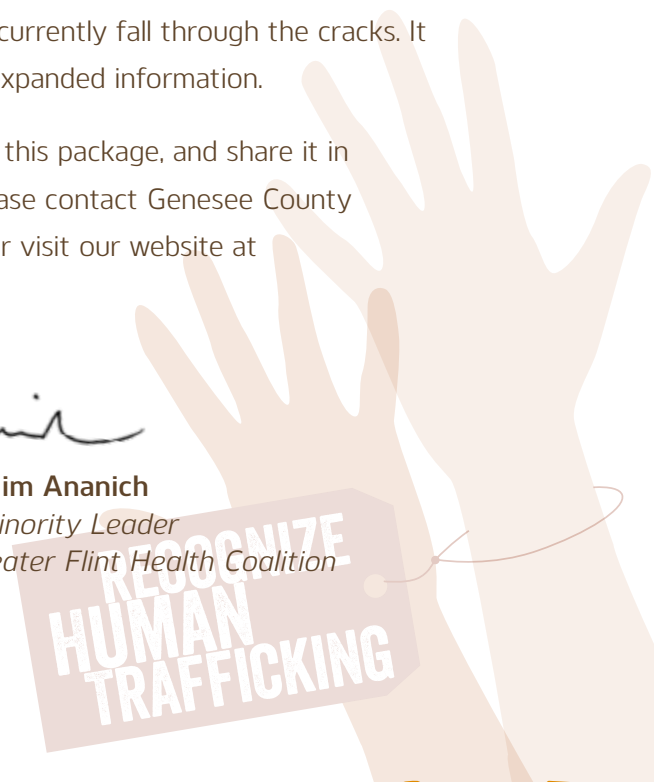
Human trafficking is a complex system of international and domestic crimes impacting the health of victims, young and old, male and female. It crosses every ethnic, social, religious, and racial divide. While this problem has plagued the world for centuries and continues to have a devastating impact on our children and families, we have an opportunity to help better inform the healthcare community about the physical, mental, and emotional ramifications of human trafficking and the signs that can help professionals identify trafficked individuals.

The purpose of this toolkit is to help medical professionals develop the knowledge to identify trafficked individuals who they may be seeing day to day and to create a standard reporting process to reduce the number of victims who currently fall through the cracks. It also contains resource links to connect the reader with expanded information.

Please take a moment to review the toolkit contained in this package, and share it in your office or organization. If you need more copies, please contact Genesee County Medical Society at 810-733-9923 or ssmith@gcms.org or visit our website at <http://gcms.org/bulletins.php>.

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