

FRONTEX Common Core Curriculum
EU Border Guard (BG) Basic Training

Subject	Identification and Referral of Victims of Human Trafficking
Knowledge	BG is able to identify potential victims of human trafficking so as to be in a position to effectively address their needs and provide and/or refer them to specialized service providers for assistance and protection.
Skills	<p>BG is able to, according to international and national standards and legislation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify and understand how to recognize potential victims of trafficking, including children; • Apply, as appropriate, child- and gender-sensitive techniques and ethical principles in conducting victim-centred interviews; • Refer (potential) victims to specialized service providers; • Apply a human rights based approach to guarantee the dignity and well being of (potential) trafficked persons.
Training method	Pre- and post-training questionnaires, lectures, small working groups, case studies, role playing exercises with different scenarios.
Evaluation method	<p>Written test and/or practical exercise:</p> <p>BG receives a case study and answers several questions related to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How trafficking in persons works and how traffickers control their victims; • Fundamentals of victim identification and protection; • Screening of potential victims of trafficking, including interviewing techniques; • Special considerations for children; • Limitations and barriers to identifying victims of trafficking; • Relevant specialized service providers assisting victims of trafficking. <p>Practical exercise: BG performs a role playing exercise on a particular scenario.</p>
Remark	<p>Suggest use of the following manuals:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IOM Counter-Trafficking Training Modules on “Victim Identification and Interviewing Techniques” (2006): http://www.iom.int/unitedstates/ct/PDFs/Training%20Modules/Counter-Trafficking%20Modules%20Brochure.pdf • IOM “Handbook on Direct Assistance for Victims of Trafficking” – Chapter 1 and 2 on security and personal safety/screening of victims of trafficking (2007): http://www.iom.int/jahia/webdav/site/myjahiasite/shared/shared/mainsite/published_docs/books/CT%20handbook.pdf • OHCHR “Recommended Principles and Guidelines on Human Rights and Human Trafficking”, Commentary (2010): http://www.ohchr.org/Documents/Publications/Commentary_Human_Trafficking_en.pdf • Guidelines on the protection of child victims of trafficking (2006): http://www.unicef.org/ceecis/0610-Unicef_Victims_Guidelines_en.pdf