SAFE HARBOR
Minnesota’s new system for redirecting sexually exploited youth from prosecution to services and holding traffickers and sex buyers accountable.

The Ramsey County Attorney’s Office (RCAO) is leading Statewide Safe Harbor efforts on:
1. Regional Multidisciplinary Conferences
2. Training
3. Model Protocol Development

REGIONAL MULTIDISCIPLINARY CONFERENCES
For all systems professionals – especially agency leaders and supervisors – to raise awareness of Safe Harbor and develop a plan of action for combating the sexual exploitation of youth.

Southwest Conference
March 12, 2015
Redwood Area Community Center

West Metro Conference
June 18-19, 2015
Mystic Lake Casino, Prior Lake

West Central Conference
May 8, 2015
Willmar Conference Center

Southeast Conference
September 9, 2015
Albert Lea

Northeast Conference
May 19, 2015
Holiday Inn, Duluth

East Metro Conference
Early 2016
Location TBD

Northwest Conference
June 11-12, 2015
Sanford Center, Bemidji

Tribal Summit
Spring 2016
Location TBD

Cosponsor: MDH
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For more info or to register for a training or conference, visit: www.mnchiefs.org/safe-harbor
MINNESOTA’S SAFE HARBOR LAW:
Statewide Training and Protocol Development

TRAINING

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LAW ENFORCEMENT

Law Enforcement Leaders
Regional Multidisciplinary Conferences (see opposite side)

Investigators
Statewide Safe Harbor Conference for Investigators, Prosecutors, & Child Protection Attorneys
October 21-22, 2015 in Brainerd, MN

Frontline Officers
Trainings for 1500 officers at 20+ locations statewide

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MODEL PROTOCOL DEVELOPMENT

Goal: Help communities to develop a coordinated response to the sexual exploitation of youth.

EXPERT WORKGROUPS

Survivor & youth input

Adolescent Medicine
Child Advocacy Centers
Child Protection/Welfare
Civil Legal/Public Defenders
Frontline Medicine

Housing
Judicial
Juvenile Corrections
Law Enforcement
Mental/Chemical Health

Prosecution
Public Health
Schools
Tribal
Victim/Youth Services

Community input on cultural considerations

STATEWIDE MODEL PROTOCOL
to be published fall 2015

Guidelines for developing an effective community response

Resources, tools, best practices for systems professionals

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