

**POLICY GOAL 3.6**

**State funding is appropriated to support specialized services and a continuum of care for sex trafficked children regardless of system involvement.**

State <sup>1</sup>	Did the state legislature appropriate funding to support specialized, community-based services for sex trafficked children regardless of system involvement? <sup>2</sup>
Alabama	No
Alaska	No
Arizona	No
Arkansas	No
California	Yes
Colorado	No
Connecticut	No
Delaware	No
District of Columbia	No
Florida	Yes
Georgia	Yes
Hawaii	Yes
Idaho	No
Illinois	No
Indiana	No
Iowa	No
Kansas	No
Kentucky	No
Louisiana	Yes
Maine	No
Maryland	Yes
Massachusetts	No
Michigan	No
Minnesota	Yes
Mississippi	Yes
Missouri	No
Montana	Yes
Nebraska	No
Nevada	Yes
New Hampshire	Yes*
New Jersey	No
New Mexico	Yes
New York	Yes
North Carolina	Yes
North Dakota	Yes
Ohio	Yes
Oklahoma	No
Oregon	No
Pennsylvania	No
Rhode Island	No
South Carolina	No
South Dakota	No
Tennessee	Yes
Texas	Yes
Utah	No
Vermont	No
Virginia	No
Washington	No
West Virginia	No
Wisconsin	No
Wyoming	No
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>18 state legislatures</b> appropriated funding to support specialized, community-based services for sex trafficked children regardless of system involvement.

<sup>1</sup> Unless otherwise indicated, evaluations of state laws are based on legislation enacted as of July 1, 2023. Responses do not include an analysis of case law, agency rules, regulations, or practices/initiatives that exist outside of statutory law. For more information on the importance of these policy goals, please visit <https://reportcards.sharedhope.org/related-resources/#3.6>.

<sup>2</sup> An asterisk (\*) indicates that the state legislature appropriated funding to support a human trafficking response generally, which potentially includes provision of services, but did not require that any portion of the funds be allocated specifically to provide access to specialized, community-based services.