



## More than their stories

**Survivor engagement** occurs when survivors participate in activities beyond the receiving of care.

Having **lived experience** of human trafficking, they possess invaluable insight into how these violations manifest and impact individuals and communities.

However, too often, survivors are asked to share their stories, but then are excluded from conversations and decisions about policies and services.

As a result, anti-trafficking initiatives are being formulated **without** the input of those who will be affected directly.

The VoiceOver project will invest in the training and leadership of trafficking survivors to reframe structures of power and authority, by:

- Training 90 staff members to safely work with survivor activists and peers,
- Facilitating the social and labor integration of 60 trafficked person through peer-based initiatives
- Raising awareness about survivor engagement in the anti-trafficking community through evidence-based models, recommendations for decision-makers, inspiring podcasts, and international events
- Fostering meaningful discussions
  within the anti-trafficking community
  about communicating about
  trafficked persons with dignity and
  respect.











