



JusticeMatters

Protecting vulnerable communities | Helping survivors rebuild their lives

Human trafficking is real in North Carolina.
No one should have to face it alone

Human trafficking is the exploitation of vulnerability for profit. Immigrants without legal status and children without a safe, loving home are particularly vulnerable. Traffickers use force, fraud, and coercion to exploit vulnerable children and immigrants in our community for labor, services, and commercial sex acts.

JusticeMatters is a faith-motivated, nonprofit law firm. We provide free, trauma-informed legal services to protect those who are vulnerable and empower survivors to rebuild their lives.

We envision the freedom and flourishing of all.

Our Services

- ▶ **Legal Services**
Family law, humanitarian immigration law, and survivor rights law
- ▶ **Holistic Client Support**
Advocacy with/for clients to meet non-legal needs and achieve client goals
- ▶ **Training, Education, & Advocacy**
Advocating on behalf of survivors to pursue justice and protection.

Our Model

Prevention

Help those who are most vulnerable secure legal protections—legal security in a family, legal status in the U.S.—and move from vulnerability to opportunity.

Restoration

Secure legal remedies and protect human rights—equipping survivors to reclaim agency, reunite with family, and build a safe, fruitful future in our community.

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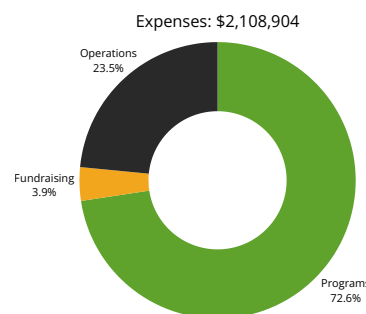
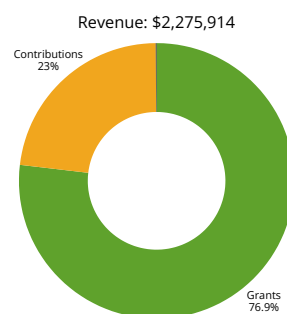
Amplify client voices to promote just policies and systems, building a future where no one is vulnerable to exploitation—all are free and flourish.



In 2025, JusticeMatters:

- ▶ Integrated **Survivor Rights Representation** into all legal services, deepening our commitment to trauma-informed practice.
- ▶ Launched our **Case Management Services**, providing 3 survivors of human trafficking with holistic support.
- ▶ Entered our second year of the first-in-nation **process and outcome impact evaluation**, building evidence for trauma-informed legal services and laying the groundwork to train attorneys across the nation in evidence-based legal services for survivors of violence.

Your generosity sustains this work.



Special thanks to the 214 donors, the Governor's Crime Commission, the NC Human Trafficking Commission, The Duke Endowment, NC IOLTA, and the US DOJ Office for Victims of Crime for their partnership this year.

JusticeMatters is building a sustainable, replicable model of trauma-informed legal services for survivors of human trafficking and vulnerable children.

Your support makes this possible. Thank you for partnering with JusticeMatters for freedom and flourishing.



Free legal services provide hope. Visit our website to read stories of impact and invest in freedom & flourishing.

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FY 2024-2025 Impact

For Freedom



316 survivors of violence served



783 clients & dependents impacted

And Flourishing



Equipped **43** caregivers to provide safe, stable housing for children at risk of entering the child welfare system



Secured legal status for **55** survivors & those at risk of exploitation



Unlocking access to healthcare, education, & employment