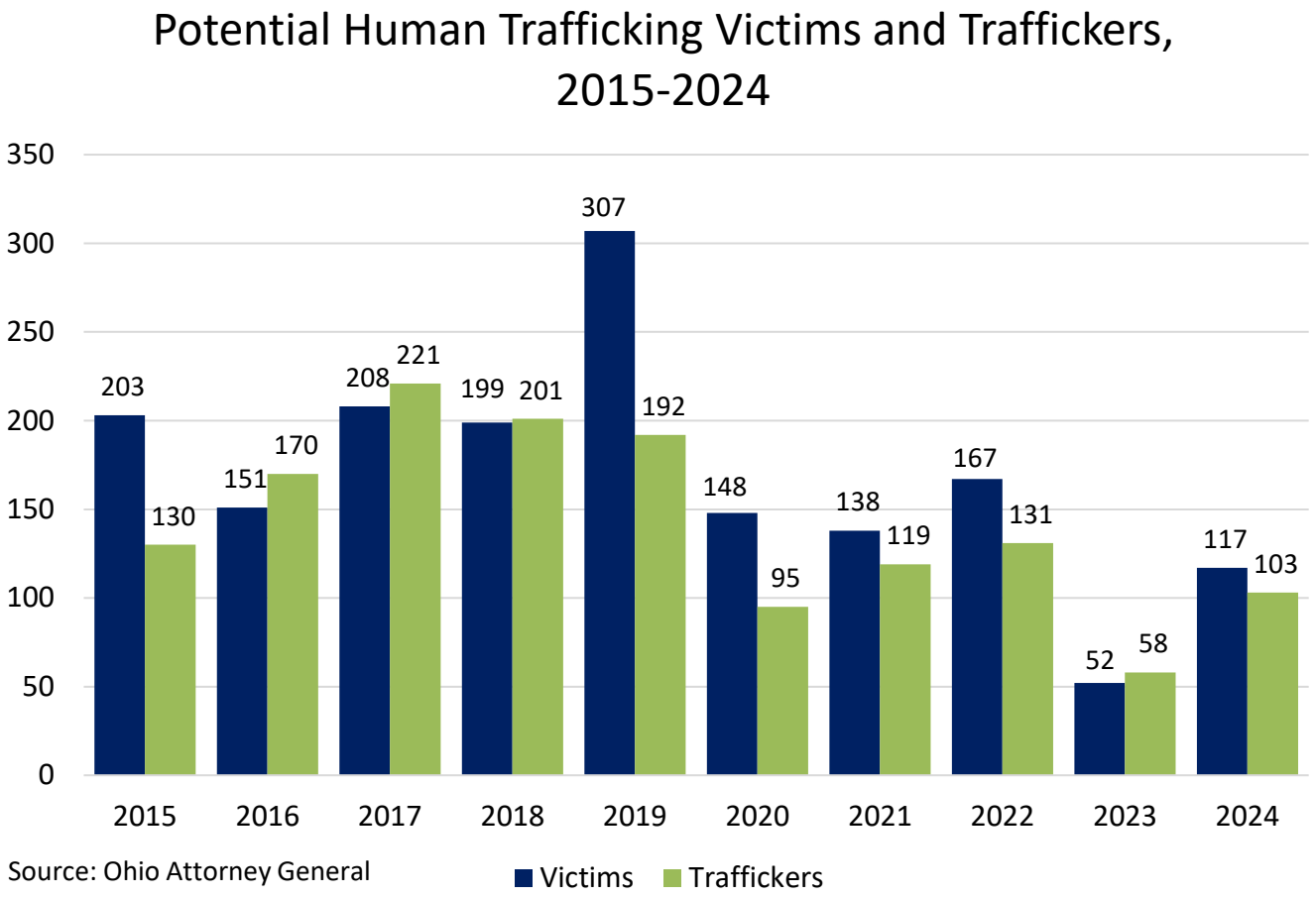
Law enforcement identified 1,690 potential human trafficking victims from 2015 to 2024



Source: Ohio Attorney General

- From 2015 to 2024, local law enforcement agencies identified and reported 1,690 potential human trafficking victims (sex, labor, or both) and 1,420 suspected human traffickers to the Ohio Attorney General's Bureau of Criminal Investigation. During this period:
  - Of the potential human trafficking victims for whom demographic data was reported, 92% were female. Individuals under age 18 accounted for 22% of reported human trafficking victims.
  - A majority of the suspected traffickers for whom demographic data was reported were males (77%) and ranged in age from 21-40 (67%).
  - Of the types of trafficking reported, the majority of potential victims (93%) and traffickers (95%) were involved in sex trafficking.
- Over the same period, law enforcement agencies identified 2,228 suspected consumers of sex trafficking and 99 suspected consumers of labor trafficking. Of the suspected consumers for whom gender was reported, 98% were male.