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## Risk Factors for Sex Trafficking:

- Sexual health concern
- Sexual abuse or assault concern
- Request for pregnancy testing
- Under the influence of alcohol/drugs
- Patient Health Questionnaire-2 (PHQ-2) score of > 4
- Suicide attempt and/or positive Suicide Screening Questions (ASQ)
- In foster care/CPS custody
- Injury suspicious for abuse
- History of running away
- Any team member has concerns

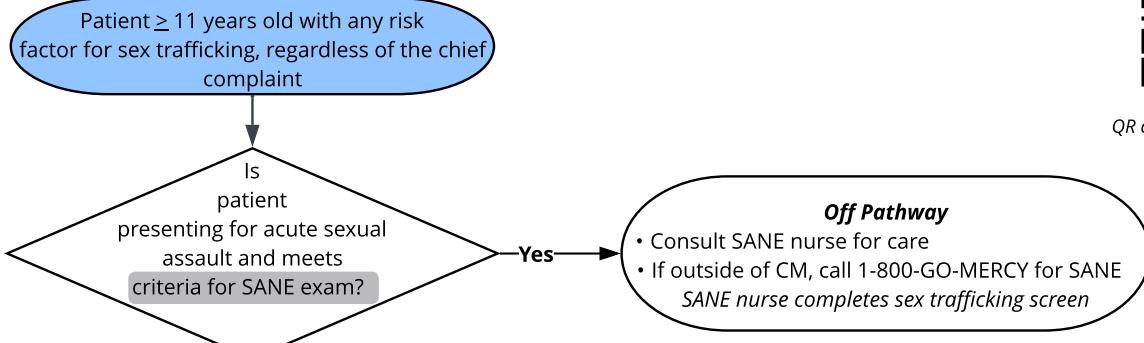
## SANE Exam Criteria:

### Any of the following

- Last skin to skin genital contact within
  - 5 days (post-pubertal females)
  - 3 days (all other patients)
- Genital pain/bleeding
- Genital discharge in pre-pubertal child
- State specific perpetrator criteria

## Additional Patient/Family Resources:

- [Online safety](#)
- [Healthy Relationships](#)
- [National Center for Missing and Exploited Children resources](#)



### Universal Education and Confidentiality

**Provide** Universal Education on Healthy Relationships

- [Suggested script for Universal Education](#) -or-
- [Link to video](#) for talking points on Universal Education
- Hanging Out/Hooking Up - [pocket card](#) (link to order cards in several languages)

### Discuss Confidentiality

Confidentiality is essential to maintain patient safety

- Screening must be completed privately, **not** in the presence of the person accompanying the patient (*trafficker might pose as family or friend*)
- Limitations of confidentiality must also be provided  
*Refer to Confidentiality Tips*
- If concerned, but unable to speak to patient alone, contact Social Work for assistance  
*Only contact Security if there is an immediate or urgent concern for safety*

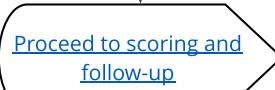
### Administer the Child Sex Trafficking Screening Tool

[\(English\)](#) | [\(Spanish\)](#)  
*Suggested script for introducing tool is at the top of the tool*

Specific screening processes will vary by clinical site

- **Verbal:** May be done by clinician, nurse, or social worker, using Language Services if needed

Guidance for [confidential documentation](#) in Cerner



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**Additional Guidance**

- Call SCAN if concern for other type of assault or abuse ([Child Physical Abuse Clinical Pathway](#) or [Child Abuse Tool Kit](#))
- If other risk factors for STI, complete screening for STI ([STI Clinical Pathway](#))
- **Specifically report to Social Work if:**
  - Any photos/videos of the minor have been created or distributed
  - Minor reports exchanging sex for the promise of money or something of monetary value

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**Review** the [Scoring Guidance](#) to determine screening results  
If performed by team member other than clinician and any questions are positive, discuss with clinician

