



# CHARITY WATCHLIST

## Shared Hope International



### LGBTQ+

- While Shared Hope International helps all victims of sex trafficking, its online resource guide, [2025 Roadmap Report: Community-Based Responses as the Next Step in Anti-Trafficking Reforms](#), features LGBTQ ideology:
  - A man who identifies as a “transgender woman” refers to himself as the “Chief Matriarch of Transpalace,” the organization he leads. (p.18)
  - In his recommendations for assisting trafficked children who identify as LGBTQ+, he advocates providing access to LGBTQ+-specific groups and support services. (p.21)
  - He says, “Imposing restrictions on LGBTQIA+ youth’s use of the term ‘sex work’ to identify themselves and their experience can simultaneously create barriers to identification of their victimization and inhibits a response based on trauma-informed care and promising practices.” (p. 20)
  - Another LGBTQ+ contributor uses language and terminology that affirms various “gender identities.” (p. 26)
  - Shared Hope announced partnership with My Choice My Voice in its guidebook. My Choice My Voice recommends asking trafficked children for their preferred pronouns and connecting them with LGBTQ+-specific support services. (p. 55)
  - The author who identifies as a “transgender woman” (mentioned above) [spoke at a Shared Hope event](#) in June 2025.
- ALL has contacted Shared Hope International multiple times with inquiries regarding its stance on LGBTQ+ and other life issues. It has not responded.

### NOTEWORTHY

- Shared Hope International’s website includes [a 2011 article about pro-life leader Lila Rose](#) and her undercover investigation into Planned Parenthood’s aiding of human traffickers.

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#### Mission

Prevent conditions that foster sex trafficking, restore victims of sex slavery, and justice to women and children.

#### Focus

human trafficking, child abuse, sexual abuse, child advocacy, freedom from slavery

**Charity Watchlist Rating: RED**  
unworthy of support