

# OUTERNET LIVE

*Modern Slavery – Doing the Right Thing*

*Modern slavery is all around us, often hidden in plain sight.*

*Modern slavery can take many forms including the trafficking of people, forced labour, servitude and slavery. The hospitality sector is particularly susceptible to issues of human trafficking and sexual exploitation as well as labour exploitation.*

*As a company, we condemn Modern Slavery and refuse to knowingly conduct business with any persons or companies involved in or who condone such practices.*

*If you think modern slavery is happening, tell me as soon as you think it's safe to. This could be about a victim, a suspect, or a particular business or place. You will always be taken seriously, and protection and support will be made available.*

*Managers will be responsible for ensuring that those reporting to them understand and comply with the policy and are given adequate and regular training on combatting modern day slavery in our business and supply chain. We will update you on this shortly.*

*Here are the most common signs of modern slavery and exploitation*

*<https://www.unseenuk.org/about-modern-slavery/spot-the-signs/>*

*The Gangmasters and Labour Abuse Authority (GLAA) has produced a range of [videos on how to spot the signs of modern slavery](#), methods used by traffickers to exploit their victims.*

*You can also contact the Modern Slavery helpline (0800 0121 700) to report suspicion and get advice or assistance or [modernslavery.co.uk](http://modernslavery.co.uk) for more information.*