

*The Report Cards on Child & Youth Sex Trafficking Advanced Legislative Framework builds on the original Protected Innocence Challenge Framework, preserving the most fundamental components while including new policy priorities that reflect feedback and research from the field—particularly in the area of victim protections. The advanced framework will be used to grade the states next fall when we release the inaugural Report Cards on Child & Youth Sex Trafficking. As such, the 2021 legislative session is a critical time for your state to strengthen its laws before report cards and corresponding grades are issued.*

So what is **NEW HAMPSHIRE**'s current score and what changes are needed? As of August 1, 2019, **NEW HAMPSHIRE HAD RAISED ITS GRADE FROM F TO B:**

## NEW HAMPSHIRE

2019	SCORE	GRADE	7.5	24	15	5	24	9
	84.5	B	10	25	15	10	27.5	15
								
2011	SCORE	GRADE	7	10	13	2.5	11.5	7
	51	F	10	25	15	10	27.5	15

New Hampshire criminalizes child sex trafficking without regard to force, fraud, or coercion or third party control. State law prohibits the criminalization of minors

for the crime of prostitution and extends non-criminalization to certain other offenses committed pursuant to trafficking victimization. However, commercially sexually exploited youth are not provided with a statutory avenue to specialized services.

To support implementation of the Report Cards on Child & Youth Sex Trafficking Advanced Legislative Framework, our Policy Team will remain available to provide rapid, technical assistance to support legislators, advocates, and state agencies; technical assistance requests can be submitted [here](#).

