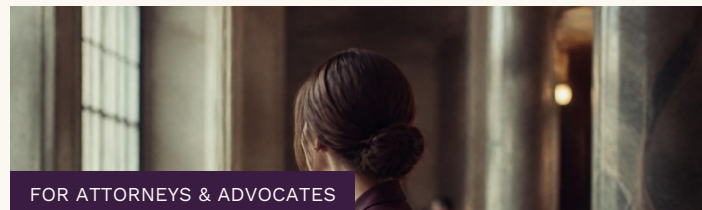




THE DIGITAL IDENTITY FOUNDATION

Image-Based Sexual Abuse

A one-hour training for law enforcement & legal professionals



1 HOUR

VIRTUAL OR IN-PERSON

CLE-ELIGIBLE

FREE FOR AGENCIES

US & CANADA

Deepfake abuse, sextortion, and non-consensual intimate imagery move faster than any single unit or firm can chase. This one-hour training gives investigators, prosecutors, and civil attorneys a working command of the harm, the law, the technology underneath it, and the evidence-first removal process that gets a survivor's images down without damaging the case.

WHAT THIS TRAINING COVERS

- The four faces of IBSA — deepfake abuse, sextortion, NCII, and recorded exploitation, and how they overlap with trafficking.
- The legal landscape — the TAKE IT DOWN Act (15 U.S.C. § 6851), § 1591, § 2251/2252, cyberstalking, and where state law diverges.
- How the Internet actually works — the layers between a survivor and their images: hosts, CDNs, registrars, payment rails, and nudify apps.
- Evidence-first removal — documenting URLs, timestamps, and platform data before a takedown so removal supports prosecution.
- Case studies from our federal tracker — 21 cases, 17,828+ quantified victims, and the charging patterns that won them.
- Talking to a survivor — trauma-informed disclosure practices that keep victims engaged with the case.

WHAT YOU WILL LEAVE ABLE TO DO

- Recognize and correctly classify an IBSA case at intake, not three months in.
- Choose charges and civil claims that match the conduct, including TAKE IT DOWN Act pathways.
- Preserve platform evidence that survives a motion and a takedown.
- Refer a survivor to DIF for free image removal and support that runs parallel to your case.
- Explain to a victim, in plain language, what can and cannot come down — and when.

WHO IT'S FOR

Local, state, and federal investigators; digital forensics and ICAC units; victim-witness advocates; prosecutors; and civil attorneys representing survivors. US and Canada.

SESSION FLOW · 60 MINUTES

10 min

The harm & the survivor

15 min

The law & charging

10 min

How the Internet works

10 min

Evidence-first removal

10 min

Case studies

5 min

Referrals & Q&A

YOUR TRAINERS



Andrea Powell

Executive Director, Digital Identity Foundation

Policy leader, author of *Believe Me*, and survivor advocate with two decades fighting image-based sexual abuse and sex trafficking — co-lead of more than 600 law enforcement trainings across the US and abroad.



Melissa Sinclair, BSN, RN

Advisor for Campus and Wellness Services

Nursing educator, survivor advocate, and the force behind Pennsylvania HB 2252 — she brings a clinical, public-health lens to trauma-informed response and testified at a federal listening session on tech-facilitated abuse.

Request a training, or refer a survivor — both are free.

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