

THE CYCLE OF ABUSE

The Connection Among Pornography, Child Sexual Exploitation and Sex Trafficking

CROSS MARKETING:

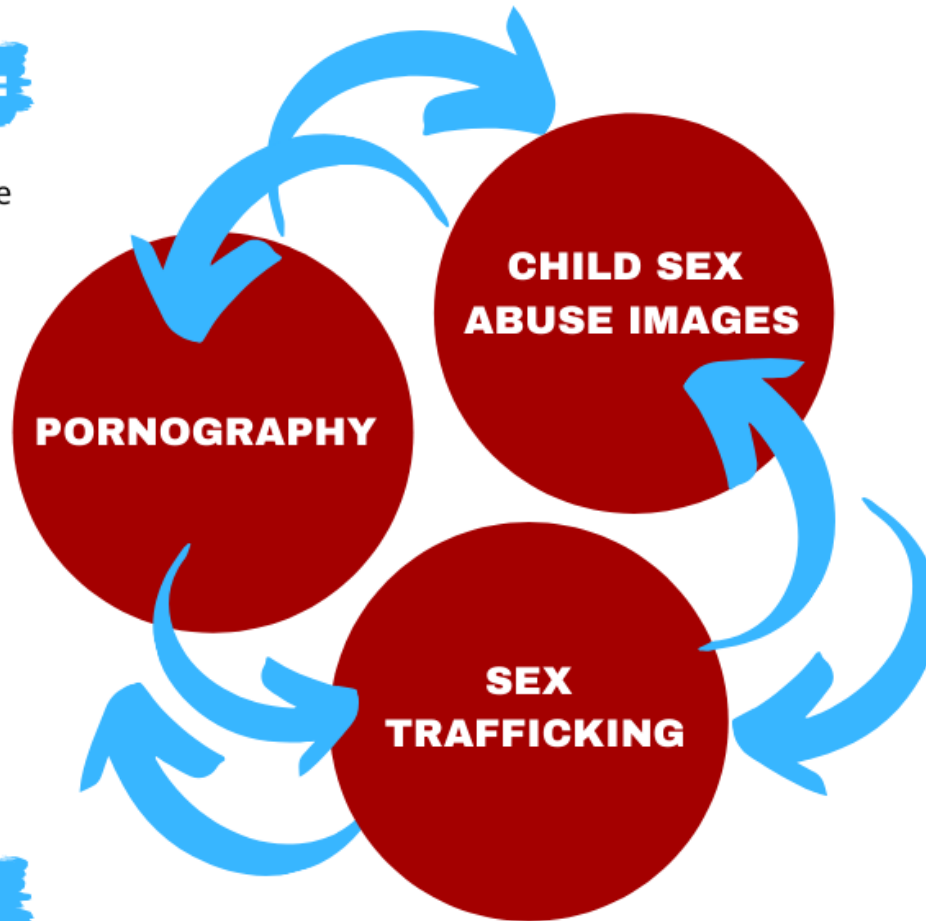
The pornography industry cross markets child sex abuse images and adult pornography.

"BARELY LEGAL":

Pornographers feature women who are legal adults (18 yrs.), but look much younger (11-13 yrs.), whetting the appetites of male consumers to sexually desire younger girls.

FINANCIAL GAIN:

Traffickers record/photograph victims forced to perform sex acts, used to create porn and child sex abuse images → financial gain.



CHILD SEX ABUSE IMAGES:

Trend is for younger children, including infants. Minors are sexually abused to create child sex abuse images (a.k.a child pornography).

SUPPLY & DEMAND:

Pornography fuels the "demand" for women and children (the "supply") to be sold commercially for sex trafficking, as well as demand for more extreme content.