



**“Scammers are using the COVID-19 pandemic to their advantage. Trying to steal your cash, private information or worse.... both.”**

**DON'T LET THEM.**

The FBI advises consumers to do research before clicking on any links claiming to provide information on the virus, contributing to charity online through social media, donating to a crowd funding campaign, buying products online or giving personal data in order to receive money or benefits.

Be on the lookout for:

- 1.) Fake emails from CDC and prevention or other organizations claiming to have information on COVID-19**
- 2.) Phishing emails asking for personal information related to the economic stimulus checks**
- 3.) Airline carrier refunds, fake cures and vaccines or fake testing kits.**
- 4.) Counterfeit products that claim to prevent, treat, diagnose or cure.**

The FBI reminds you to practice good “cyber hygiene” and follow security measures including the following:

- 1.) Do not open attachments or click any email links**
- 2.) Do not share personal information**
- 3.) Always be sure the website your visiting is legitimate**
- 4.) Check for misspelled words or wrong domains within the link your using.**

In addition, if you are experiencing any symptoms that you think could be related to COVID-19 please consult your primary care physician.

**Stay Safe!**