Protect yourself from scams

Be aware that criminals are attempting to exploit COVID-19 worldwide through a variety of scams.

Watch out for these common tactics via phone call, email or social media:
• Advertises loans (mortgage, refinance or short term) for those affected by the COVID-19 crisis
• Advertises they can help get stimulus payments faster – they can't!
• Impersonates your bank, credit card or even the IRS—remember we will not call and ask you for your information.

The scammer registers a number of websites (some may be lookalike domains, others might just be general)

Victims interested in the fake opportunities will be asked to fill out a contact form or send the scammer personal details

The scammers may impersonate your bank, or the IRS to convince you of the legitimacy of the “services” they are offering

The scammers use the collected details to contact you – and get your money!

Contact us to report fraud or suspicious activity 1-800-488-2265
TTY 1-800-659-5495