



# ScamAware

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## Awareness Through Information Sharing

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### Incidents/Articles of Note:

- Newport News police warn of credit card scam at local 7-Eleven
- Chesterfield police warn of scam caller impersonating officer  
How Social Security recipients can stay alert to cost of living adjustment scams
- Looking for a job? Scammers might be looking for you
- How to spot, avoid, and report weather-related scams
- Don't answer another online quiz question until you read this
- When "Do me a favor" is a scam
- Identity Theft Awareness Week events focus on how to reduce your risk
- TikTok user charged in GoFundMe cancer scam after documenting 'battle'

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## - Tools and Resources -



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### **Pass It On in 2023: Renewing Fraud Prevention**

If you're one of the resourceful, dedicated people who uses Pass It On and Pásalo materials to help older adults avoid scams, thank you! You're part of an enormous network that's shared more than 17 million fact sheets and bookmarks, in English and Spanish, at coffee chats, financial literacy classes, information fairs, and in libraries, lobby tables, and other community meeting places over the last eight years. Now we've got more reasons for you to Pass It On.

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### **This March, Bring NCPW To Your Neighborhood**

March is right around the corner, and you know what that means...it's almost time for **National Consumer Protection Week!** This year, NCPW is March 5-11, so now's the time to jump into planning — and we want to help.

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### **Observe Suspicious Activity?**

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