



Coalition of Wisconsin Aging Groups

Financial Empowerment – Personal Advocacy – Victim Rights

“Advocating for all Generations”

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Identity Theft

Attorney John Hendrick

Detecting and Reporting

Never Give out Credit Card and Bank Account Information

(or other personal information) by phone or over the Internet, unless the transaction was initiated by you with a trusted vendor.

Opt out of credit marketing lists: 1-888-5OPTOUT (888-567-8688)

Use a shredder to foil garbage thieves.

Opt out of Junk Mail

Mail Preference Service
Direct Marketing Association
PO Box 1559
Carmel, NY 10512

Get on No Call Lists

Telephone Preference Service
Direct Marketing Association
PO Box 1559
Carmel, NY 10512

State No Call: 1-866-9NO-CALL (1-866-966-2255) www.nocall.wisconsin.gov

Federal: (cell phones, too!) 1-888-382-1222 or www.donotcall.gov.

Check your credit reports: 1-877-322-8228 or www.annualcreditreport.com



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Immediate Action

- **Contact your bank or credit card company**
- **Contact local law enforcement.**
- **Security Freeze (\$10 or police report)**

Forms: www.privacy.wi.gov

Send by certified mail to:

- **Equifax** at: CSC Credit Service, Security Freeze, PO Box 674438
 - Houston, TX 77267-4438
- **Experian** at: Experian Security Freeze, PO Box 9554, Allen TX 75013
- **TransUnion** at: TransUnion Security Freeze, PO Box 6790
 - Fullerton, CA 92834-6790

Get a 90-day “fraud alert” placed on credit reports.

Equifax Credit Information Services, Inc.

Toll-free (888) 766-0008 (TDD 800-255-0056)

P.O. Box 740241, Atlanta, GA 30374-0241

www.equifax.com

Experian Information Solutions, Inc.

(888) 397-3742 (TDD 800-972-0322)

P.O. Box 9530, Allen, TX 75013

www.experian.com

TransUnion

(800) 680-7289 (TDD 877-553-7803)

Fraud Victim Assistance Division

P.O. Box 6790, Fullerton, CA 92834-6790

www.transunion.com

Email: fvad@transunion.com

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