

# SENIORS EDITION



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### **Expectations**





Awareness

### **About You**

Do you mostly ...

- Connect with other people?
- Bank and shop?
- Watch movies and play games?
- What else do you do?



#### UNDERSTANDING THE CYBERWORLD

Knowing basic terminology will help you navigate the internet safely











#### MALWARE PROTECTION



Get anti-virus and keep it updated!



#### **SECURITY UPDATES**

- Operating System
- Internet Browser
- Software
- Anti-virus



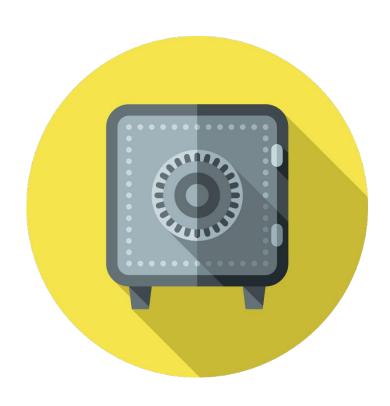
#### SAFE PASSWORDS



- Make it a phrase- the longer the better!
- 8 character minimum with no repetitive or sequential characters.
- No commonly used passwords and no context-specific words.
- Use 2-Factor whenever offered.
- Make sure passwords are used on all mobile devices and computers.

### PASSWORD VAULTS

- Store all passwords in a secure location
- Don't have to remember passwords



#### **OPEN WIFI**



- Connect with caution
- Do not auto-connect
- Avoid banking
- Avoid checking e-mail
- Avoid making purchases

#### ONLINE SHOPPING AND BANKING

https://www.yourbank.com/



- Be sure you are on a real, secure site before entering personal information, including credit card numbers.
- Never bank or shop on open Wi-Fi
- Banks will not ask for your credit card or password information via e-mail.
- Ensure you use strong, unique passwords for financial and shopping sites.

#### **SCAMS**

- Fake Emergencies
- False Promises
- Fabricated Prizes
- Bogus Investments
- Deceptive Money Offers
- Phony Lotteries



#### COMPUTER COLD CALLING SCAM

Someone calls and asks to take control of your device to help you.



 "Your computer has a virus. I'm calling to help. Please go to our website and download the tool so I can fix it for you."

#### RANSOMWARE SCAM

A scare tactic that takes control of your device or files; designed to scare you into sending money to get your access back.



#### **WARNING**

Your personal files are encrypted. In order to obtain the private key to restore access, you need to pay \$300.

Private Key will be destroyed.

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#### ADVANCED FEE SCAM

Convinces you that in return for sending money in order to help someone, you will receive even more money eventually



"I am a prince and my father left me \$40 million in his will, but I have to first bribe government officials to get it out."

#### STRANDED TRAVELLER SCAM

Appears to be coming from a family member or a friend, but really is coming from a criminal trying to convince you to send money.

"Please help me! My wallet and has been stolen and if I don't pay the hotel right now, they will arrest me!"

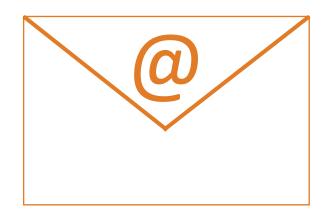


#### SCAM VICTIM PLAN OF ACTION

- 1. Collect your thoughts and remain calm.
- 2. Change your passwords.
- Make a list of all information that was stolen.
- 4. Track all communications.
- 5. Obtain a copy of your credit report and review it.
- 6. Notify credit card companies and financial institutions.
- 7. Contact your local law enforcement.



#### SAFE EMAIL HABITS



- Never follow links or instructions from unknown or untrusted sources
- Never send sensitive information through e-mail
- Log out when you are finished

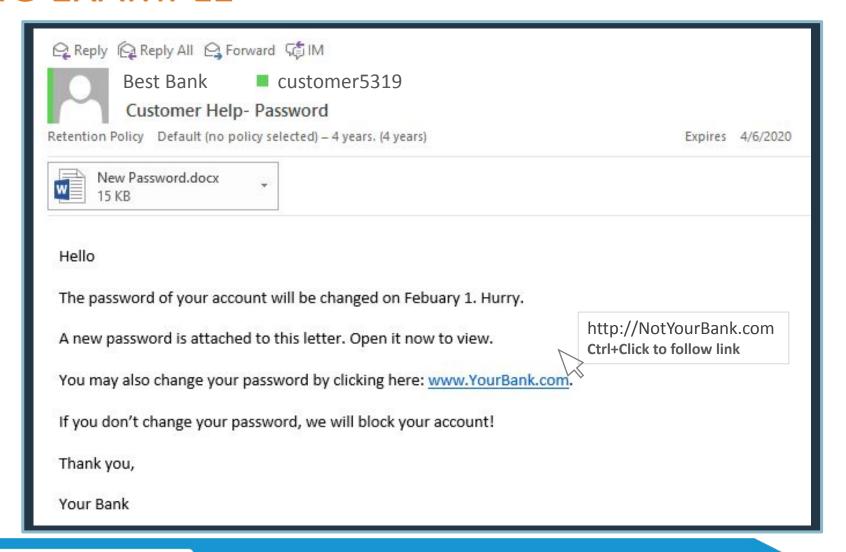
#### **PHISHING**

A malicious attempt to acquire sensitive information by pretending to be a trustworthy source and using fake bait to catch victims.





#### PHISHING EXAMPLE



#### QUESTION WHAT YOU SEE



#### BACK UP YOUR DATA

This is extremely important—but, easy to do.

- Use an external portable storage device or cloud services
- Backup your data daily or weekly



#### **DOWNLOADS AND STREAMING**

#### Use reputable sites only:

- Download music
- Watch movies
- Download apps
- Stream television
- Play games



#### **SOCIAL MEDIA**



- Get permission before posting pictures of others
- Do not put sensitive information on social media
- Do not post that you are going out of town
- What goes on the internet, stays on the internet

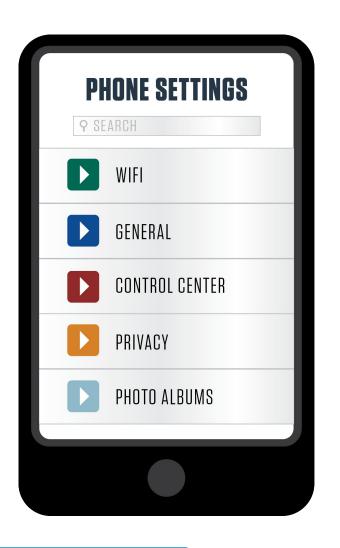
#### **PICTURES**

- <u>Stop and Think</u> before posting pictures Does this reveal personal information?
- Do not post pictures while still on vacation
- Look in the background of photos too
- Deactivate geotagging from your photos



#### DEACTIVATE GEOTAGGING

- Only deactivate geolocation from pictures
- Leave other geolocation apps and services in place
- Check with your cellphone provider for instructions on how you can change the setting on your specific device





#### **RECAP: TOP TIPS**

- 1. Think before you click.
- 2. Get anti-virus protection and keep it updated.
- 3. Keep your computer software and device apps updated.
- 4. Back-up your pictures and documents.
- 5. Create strong, unique passwords for every site.
- 6. Be careful on public Wi-Fi connections.
- 7. Question what you see in e-mails and pop-ups.
- 8. Download and stream from proper sites only.
- 9. Do not post sensitive information on social media sites.
- 10. Be mindful of e-mail and phone call fraud attempts.



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