COVID-19 SCAMS
How To Protect Yourself Against Common COVID-19 Scams

To stay updated on current information, visit the Federal Trade Commission's Consumer Information on COVID scams.

**SCAM**

**ROBOCALL SCAMS:**
Scammers are using robocalls to get personal information by saying:
- "Your social security account is suspended"
- "Press a number to hear more information"

**SOLUTION**

Know that:
The government won't call asking for money or personal information.

**FAKE MEDICAL KITS and TESTS:**
Scammers are advertising fake coronavirus medical kits/vaccines and testing kits.

**SOLUTION**

Know that:
There are currently no FDA approved at home test kits or vaccines currently available.

**IMPERSONATING POLICE OFFICERS:**
Across the Front Range, there have been reports of fake police officers pulling people over to "enforce stay-at-home orders."

**SOLUTION**

Know that:
Law enforcement is not pulling people over for stay-at-home order purposes. If you suspect an impersonator is trying to pull you over, call 911. The dispatcher will be able to confirm if a real police officer is pulling you over.

**FAKE GOVERNMENT CHECKS:**
Scammers are attempting to get bank information by claiming they can deposit a government stimulus check.

**SOLUTION**

Know that:
The government will not call asking for personal information. Check the IRS website for the status of your stimulus check.

Information from Federal Trade Commission and CSU Police Department