

# Practical Steps for Protection

? Pause and verify using official channels before acting

? Document incidents; report to FTC ([reportfraud.ftc.gov](https://reportfraud.ftc.gov)) and FBI IC3 ([ic3.gov](https://ic3.gov))

? Talk to someone you trust; scams rely on isolation and urgency

Key takeaway: Small, consistent habits = big safety gains.

Next steps: Share with a friend ? Enable updates ? Turn on 2FA