

# Security Tip <sup>of</sup> the Week

## 4 Steps to Take if Your Identity is Stolen

1. Place a fraud alert on your credit reports, and review your credit reports.

- **TransUnion:** 1-800-680-7289; [www.transunion.com](http://www.transunion.com);  
Fraud Victim Assistance Division  
P.O. Box 6790, Fullerton, CA 92834-6790
- **Equifax:** 1-800-525-6285; [www.equifax.com](http://www.equifax.com);  
P.O. Box 740241, Atlanta, GA 30374-0241
- **Experian:** 1-888-397-3742; [www.experian.com](http://www.experian.com);  
P.O. Box 9532, Allen, TX 75013

2. Close the accounts that you know, or believe, have been tampered with or opened fraudulently.

3. File a complaint with the Federal Trade Commission (FTC).

4. File a report with your local police or the police in the community where the identity theft took place.

Visit the FTC site for more information.

<http://www.ftc.gov/bcp/edu/microsites/idtheft/consumers/defend.html>

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