

This holiday season reflect on all of the things you are thankful for and make sure to keep you and your loved ones safe from hackers and scammers. Follow these easy steps:

AVOID HOLIDAY PHISHING SCAMS

Whether via email, phone or texts, be cautious of anyone asking for personal information or requesting money.

BE CAUTIOUS WHEN PURCHASING ONLINE

If you are going to start your shopping early, only make purchases on secure websites (URL starts with "https") that you know to be legitimate.





REFRAIN FROM POSTING TRAVEL INFORMATION ON SOCIAL MEDIA

If you are traveling for the holidays, avoiding posting information and photos online regarding your vacation plans and whereabouts.

AVOID UNENCRYPTED PUBLIC WIRELESS NETWORKS



When accessing public WiFi, be cautious logging into online accounts which contain personal information (bank, checking).

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