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Identity Theft Informational Program

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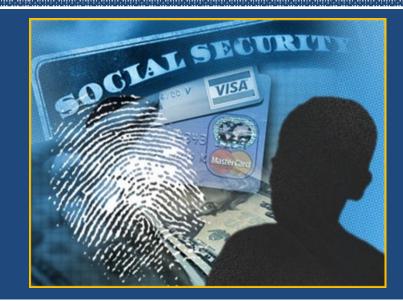
The Federal Trade **Commission reports** that identity theft has been the NUMBER **ONE** consumer complaint for ELEVEN consecutive years!



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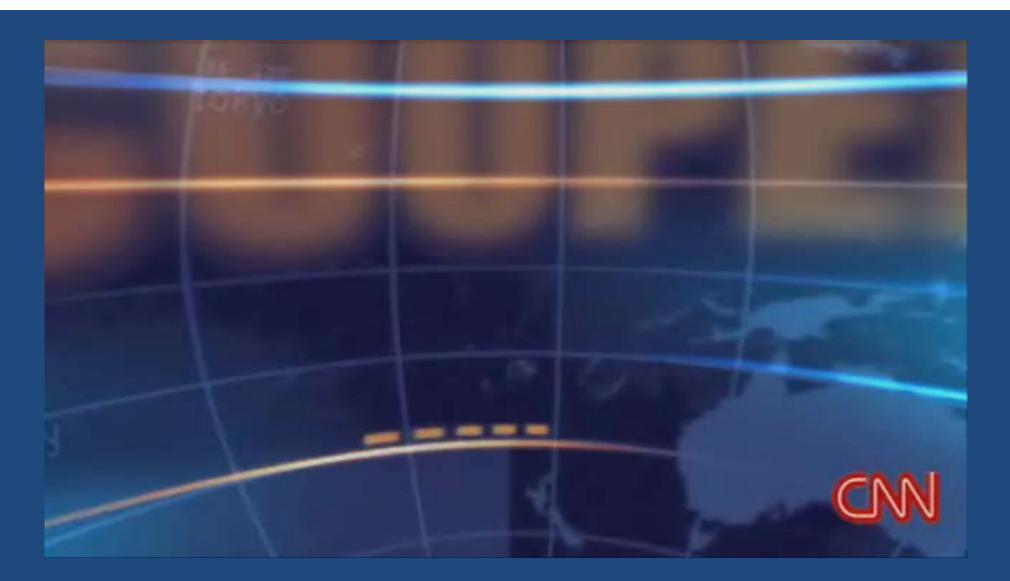
Types of ID Theft



Types of Identity Theft







EMPLOYMENT Identity Theft



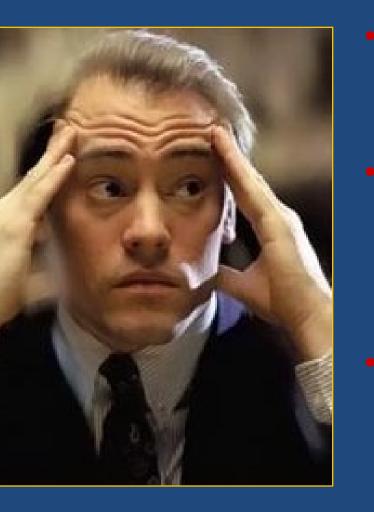
- 541 Million identities of Americans' have been reported lost or stolen since Jan 2005. *www.privacyrights.org*
- **Eleventh Year in a ROW** identity theft is the #1 complaint received by the FTC.
- There are currently over 27,000 NEW identity theft victims EVERY DAY!

Over 400,000 Dead People opened Bank accounts last year.

25% of victims of new account and other frauds did not discover the misuse of information for at least six months after it was started

65% of IDT Victims had *arrest warrants* issued against them.

Only 17% of Identity Theft deals with credit.



- The average dollar amount charged in Identity Theft: \$92,89
- The time taken by victim to restore their identity is between 140 & 600 hours
 - The fastest growing area of Identity Theft is – MEDICAL

- Sept 2003, Identity Theft Resource Center interviewed 2,000 victims

MEDICAL Identity Theft

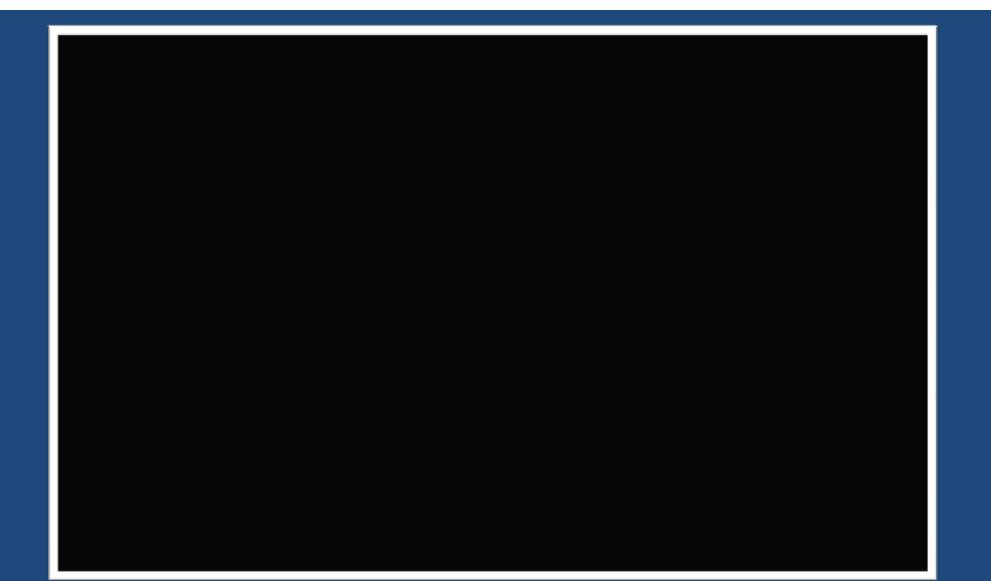


"Identity Theft is poised to **increase by a factor of** <u>20</u> over the next two years. The criminals are still trying to figure out what to do with all the data."

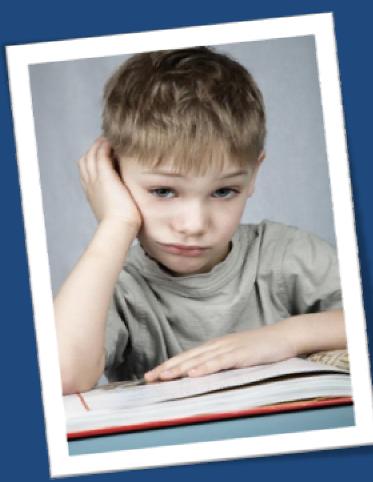
3.5 million CHILDREN in the US have already fallen victim to IDT.

Unfortunately Child Identity Theft is **impossible** to prevent. Children *should not* have a credit report, and fraud alerts can not be placed on a report that does not exist.





Newest Form of IDT



"I Owe \$16,000 on my credit cards, my condo's in foreclosure and I turn 7 on Friday"





About

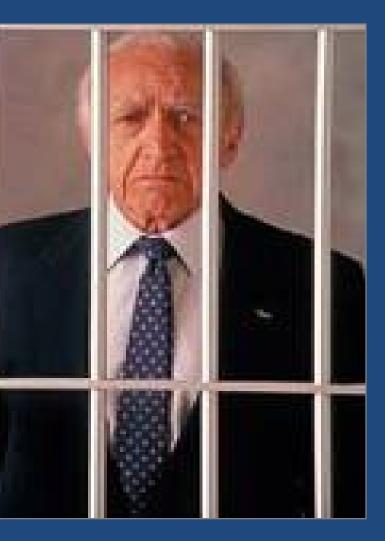
It takes...

60 seconds

to find out that you are a victim of identity theft Between 140 – 600 Hours to restore yo

identity

Identity Theft - FACT



As a victim of identity theft you are **GUILTY** until proven innocent!

Problems IDT Causes



obs – Loans – IRS– Time – Money – Peace of Mind – Arrest -Reputation HEALTH



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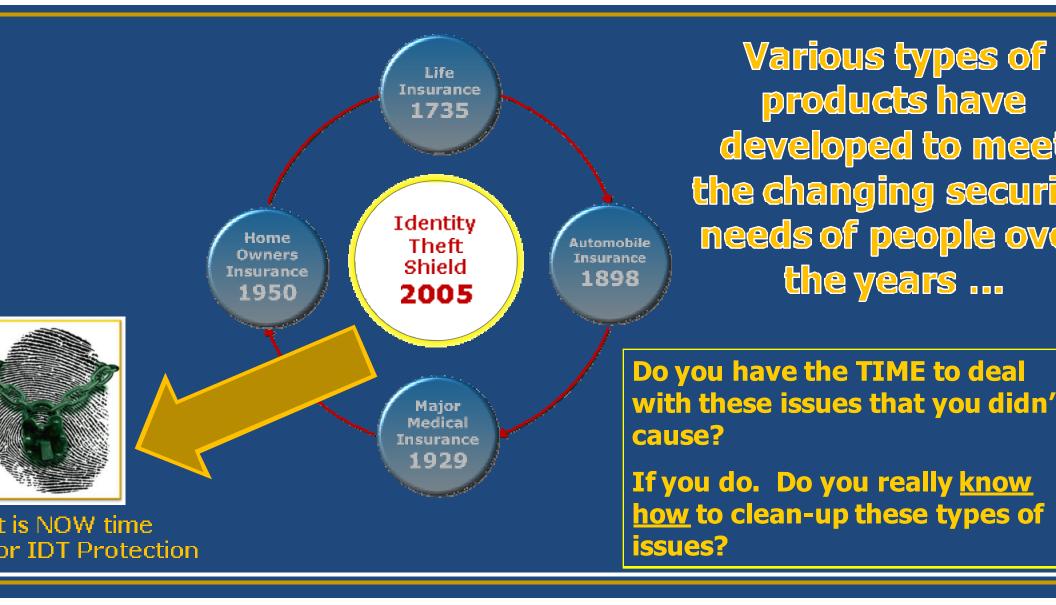
Prevention Tips

- . Review a current copy of your credit report. (Every 30 days)
- Make sure you Shred "junk mail" and unwanted credit card offers!
- Opt out when you receive Privacy Statements You must write them to stop companies from sharing your information.
- Do not carry your Social Security Card Keep it safe at home.
- 5. Do not carry extra credit cards.
- 5. Copy the contents of your wallet and store in a secure place.

Prevention Tips

- Do not mail bill payments and checks from home. Use Locked Mailboxes
- Do not print your <u>Social Security number</u> or <u>Drivers License Number</u> on you checks.
- Order your Social Security Earnings and Benefits statement and check it for accuracy.
- 0. Examine charges on your credit card statements each month.
- 1. Never give your credit card number or personal information over the phone unless you initiated the call.
- 2. Do not respond to Phishing emails or click on links that appear to be from a trusted source.
- 3. Purchase a **comprehensive** Identity Theft monitoring service with a restoration plan.

Changing Times = Changing Needs



Questions to Think About

In your opinion is IDT going to < or > in the future?

Is IDT really a serious threat to you and your family?

What are you doing now to protect yourself and family from ALL SIX types of IDT?

Have you explored the different IDT plans to know the details and differences between them?

Is there a plan that can 100% protect your personal information?

Types of IDT Services



Monitoring Plans Reimbursement Benefits Fraud Alert Services <u>Restoration- Services vs.</u>

Benefits/Insurance WHICH ONE?

Recommendation





Services provided by Kroll Fraud Solutions Group



Complete Credit Analysis



24 Hour Credit Monitoring



Complete Identity Restoration



Minor Coverage

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- Headquartered in New York
- Founded in 1972 by Jules Kroll
- **Operates in 65 cities and 33 countries with** over **3800 employees**
- Kroll maintains a superior expertise in monitoring credit and restoring the lives of identity theft victims.



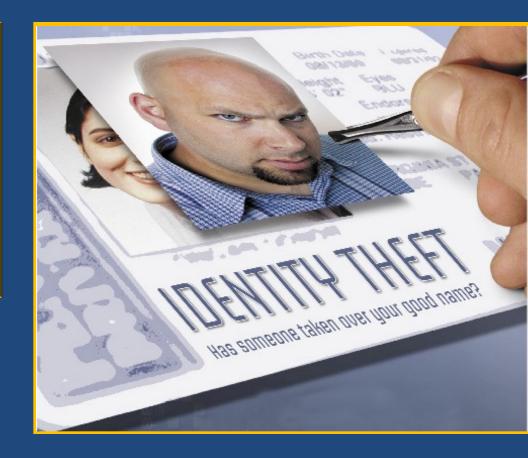




Thank You!

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