

# FINANCIAL FRAUD OF OLDER ADULTS

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*Self-reported form of abuse by older adults nationwide.*

# \$293

MILLION

*Lost by Floridians 60+ to financial fraud in 2023.*

# 14%

*Increase in financial fraud complaints reported to the FBI from 2022-2023.*

## WHERE TO REPORT

### FLORIDA

#### **Contact Local Law Enforcement**

*Use a non-emergency number unless you or someone else is in danger.*

#### **Florida Protective Services**

*Abuse Hotline: 800-962-2873  
reportabuse.myflfamilies.com*

#### **Florida Department of Elder Affairs**

*Elder Helpline: 800-203-3099*

#### **Florida Attorney General's Office**

*Fraud Hotline: 866-966-7226*

#### **Seniors vs Crime**

*800-203-3099  
seniorsvscrime.com/file-a-complaint*

### NATIONAL

#### **CONSUMER FRAUD**

##### **Consumer Financial Protection Bureau**

*855-411-2372  
consumerfinance.gov/compliant*

##### **Federal Communications Commission**

*888-225-5322*

##### **Federal Trade Commission**

*877-382-4357  
report.fraudftc.gov*

#### **INVESTMENT & FINANCIAL PLANNING FRAUD**

##### **Financial Industry Regulatory Authority**

*finra.org/investors/need-help*

#### **ONLINE FRAUD**

##### **FBI Crime Complaint Center**

*ic3.gov*

#### **MORE RESOURCES**

##### **Office for the Victims of Crime**

*Elder Fraud Hotline: 833-372-8311*

##### **AARP Fraud Watch**

*1-877-908-3360  
aarp.org/money/scams-fraud/*

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##### **Better Business Bureau**

*bbb.org/all/older-adult-resources*



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