



# Identity *Theft*

Identity theft is a real threat to your financial security – According to [www.ftc.gov](http://www.ftc.gov), it's been the Federal Trade Commission's number one complaint for over ten years in a row. Identity thieves can damage your credit, cause legal troubles, and cost you time and money.

Luckily, identity theft services from MHN can help. Call us as soon as you suspect you've been a victim of identity theft. As an MHN member, you and your eligible dependents are entitled to a 30-minute consultation with a certified consumer credit counselor who can assess your situation, create an action plan and help you carry it out.

If there is a potential of identity theft, we will send you an identity theft recovery packet and connect you to an identity recovery specialist. The specialist will provide information about how to:

- Place fraud alerts.
- Close affected accounts.
- Freeze credit.
- File police reports.
- Conduct other activities necessary to resolve fraud.

If you are victimized by an identity thief, MHN can help. But prevention, of course, is even better. Call us today for information about how to lower your risk of being victimized, and to request your ID theft recovery packet.



## *Need help?*

Call toll-free, 24 hours a day, seven days a week: 1-800-535-4985

TTY users call 711.

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