



# Scammers Impersonate the Government

**You get a call, email, or text message...**

- ▶ They say they're from the Social Security Administration and your benefits will end unless you pay.
- ▶ They say they're from the IRS and you owe taxes.
- ▶ They say you need to give your Medicare number to get a new card.



**STOP!**

**These are all scams.**

Government agencies won't call, email, or text you and ask for money or personal information.

Only a scammer will do that.



Report the scam to the FTC at  
**[ReportFraud.ftc.gov](https://www.ftc.gov/ReportFraud)**



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