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Federal Trade Commission ■ Bureau of Consumer Protection ■ Office of Consumer and Business Education

Public Service Messages for Classified Ads

Medical Billing Work-At-Home Scams

Earn \$\$\$ helping MDs? Many offers to help process medical claims from home are rip-offs. Call the Federal Trade Commission to find out how to spot medical billing scams. 1-877-FTC-HELP. A message from (this newspaper) and the FTC. (38 words)

Process medical claims from home? Chances are you won't make any money. Find out how to spot a medical billing scam. Call the Federal Trade Commission, 1-877-FTC-HELP. A message from (this newspaper) and the FTC. (36 words)

Be your own Bo\$\$!! But first, be cautious. You will have to spend \$\$\$ and you may not make money back. Call the Federal Trade Commission to find out how to spot medical billing scams. 1-877-FTC-HELP. A message from (this newspaper) and the FTC. (44 words)

General Work-At-Home Scams

Laid off? A work-from-home plan can sound good. Be careful. You could lose your investment. Call the Federal Trade Commission to find out how to spot work-at-home scams. 1-877-FTC-HELP. A message from (this newspaper) and the FTC. (40 words)

Earn thousand\$ from home. Be careful of work-at-home schemes. Hidden costs can add up, and requirements may be unrealistic. Learn how to avoid work-at-home scams. Call the Federal Trade Commission. 1-877-FTC-HELP. A message from (this newspaper) and the FTC. (42 words)

Advance-Fee Loans Scams

Need a loan despite bad credit? Honest lenders won't guarantee a loan before you apply. Call the Federal Trade Commission to find out how to avoid advance-fee loan scams. 1-877-FTC-HELP. A message from (this newspaper) and the FTC. (40 words)

Need ca\$h fast but can't get a loan? Don't pay for the promise of a loan. Call the Federal Trade Commission at 1-877-FTC-HELP to learn how to spot advance-fee loan scams. A message from (this newspaper) and the FTC. (41 words)

Need \$\$\$? Don't pay. Call the Federal Trade Commission at 1-877-FTC-HELP. Find out how to avoid advance-fee loan scams. A message from (this newspaper) and the FTC. (28 words)

Weight-Loss Products

Lose 30 lbs in 30 days! Medical doctors say the only way to lose weight is to eat less and exercise more. Learn how to avoid weight-loss scams. Call the Federal Trade Commission at 1-877-FTC-HELP. A message from (this newspaper and the FTC.) (43 words)

Eat whatever you want and still lose weight! Eating a balanced diet and exercise are the way to maintain your weight. Find out how to avoid a weight-loss scam. Call the Federal Trade Commission at 1-877-FTC-HELP. A message from (this newspaper) and the FTC. (46 words)

Pounds melt away while you sleep! To lose weight, eat less and exercise more. Call the Federal Trade Commission at 1-877-FTC-HELP to learn about weight-loss scams. A message from (this newspaper) and the FTC. (36 words)

Scholarship Scams

Scholarships guaranteed or your money back! Beware of scholarship “guarantees.” Before you pay for a search service, get the refund policy in writing. Call the Federal Trade Commission at 1-877-FTC-HELP to learn how to avoid scholarship scams. A message from (this newspaper) and the FTC. (43 words)

Need money for college? Be wary of offers that guarantee a scholarship for a fee. Much scholarship information is free. To learn how to avoid scholarship scams, call the Federal Trade Commission at 1-877-FTC-HELP. A message from (this newspaper) and the FTC. (43 words)

Scholarships you won’t find anywhere else! College can be expensive. But information about scholarships is free and available. To recognize scholarship scams, call the Federal Trade Commission at 1-877-FTC-HELP. A message from (this newspaper) and the FTC. (38 words)



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