

Fraud Friday, February 11, 2022

With Valentine's Day approaching, be on the lookout for romance scams!



What to do

- 1 Slow down** — and talk to someone you trust. Don't let a scammer rush you.
- 2 Never transfer money** from your bank account, buy gift cards, or wire money to an online love interest. You won't get it back.
- 3 Contact your bank right away** if you think you've sent money to a scammer.
- 4 Report your experience to:**
 - The online dating site
 - Federal Trade Commission: [ftc.gov/complaint](https://www.ftc.gov/complaint)
 - Federal Bureau of Investigation: [ic3.gov](https://www.ic3.gov)