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Identity Theft Protection

A Benefits Program for Members of The Maryland Association of Appraisers


Have you been a victim of Identity Theft yet? Do you know someone who has been a victim? Identity Theft is the fastest growing form of white collar crime in the world.

There is a common misconception that Identity Theft is just about credit cards. Financial identity theft only accounts for 28% of the problem. Here are a few of the major areas where this can have a negative effect on you and your business.

- Forgery of your signature on legal documents.
- Theft and misappropriation of individual and corporate accounts and credit cards.
- Driver's License Fraud - Fraudulent licenses being issued with one person's information and someone else's photo.
- Social Security Number Fraud - Using someone else's SSN in order to get a job. It is estimated that over 10 million Social Security numbers are sold every 6 weeks.
- Health Insurance Fraud - Persons are using stolen health insurance information to have surgeries, etc. The end result is that health histories become a 'tossed salad' with results that could prove to be fatal.

There is a viable and affordable solution to help protect you and your employees. Kroll Fraud Solutions is the premier name in data breach, fraud and identity theft solutions. Kroll offers the most comprehensive Identity Theft protection plan available. It is a three-part program which provides identification all current credit information, continuous monitoring and the most important component, identity restoration. Kroll's licensed investigators will work with affected public agencies, like the Social Security Administration, U.S. Postal Service and law enforcement personnel to correct the damages caused by identity theft. Finally, proactive searches of applicable local and national databases will be made on your behalf (to look for information of which you may not be aware).

The Identity Theft program that protects you and your spouse is available for \$12.95 per month if purchased individually, or \$9.95 a month if purchased in conjunction with the Pre-Paid Legal programs. All dependent children may be added for \$1 per month.

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For more information on this important benefit offered to members of The Maryland Association of Appraisers, **please contact MAA's representative, Marty Bossle, a partner with Franklin & Associates at 410.252.1519**



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