

VICTIMS ASSISTANCE OF AMERICA, INC.

Advocates for the Victims of Identity Theft

A 501 (C) (3) NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

Addressing:

- Identity Theft
- Malicious Identity Theft
- Terroristic Identity Assumption

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Mission Statement

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- Time and Date
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- Your IP (Internet Protocol) Address
- Your Web Browser Type and Version
- Your Operating System Platform

This generic information is utilized to maintain a record of visitors to our site, how they found us, and what pages are receiving the most and/or least interest. This is an everyday process used on every website on the Internet today.

We do not use "cookies" on the VAA website to transmit information. The only exception to this policy is that upon entering the VAA Retail and other external shopping site links that benefit VAA, we may transmit a "referral code" when you "click through" in order to receive our proper percentage of your purchases, supporting the nonprofit goals of VAA.

INFORMATION COLLECTION AND USE

Information you offer VAA through our interactive forms is compiled of information you provide. This information is solely for the use of VAA to provide victim advocacy services as necessary. This information is not passed through or shared with any third party outside of VAA, without your prior authorization.

Statistics sharing may be incorporated, however, NO identifying personal information will be shared.

INFORMATION SECURITY

We use secure socket layer (*SSL) encryption, which is recognized as an industry standard in encryption technology, to protect the transmission of information you submit to us when you use our secure online forms. All the information you provide us through these forms is stored securely.

*Please be advised that until we receive enough funding, VAA does not currently receive transmitted information under the Secure Socket Layer Encryption method. If you would like to donate the funding required for our certificate, please <u>contact us</u> directly to arrange the purchase.

EMAIL SECURITY

It should be known that email communications written directly from you to VAA from your computer or use of any web email client on the Internet is not necessarily secure against interception. Please do not send sensitive, personal information such as social security and bank account numbers through email. Please use our Toll Free Hotline or regular postal mail services.

SPAM POLICY

Victim's Assistance of America, Inc. (VAA) does not condone the use of UCE (unsolicited commercial email), bulk email and Spam. VAA employees, volunteers and any associates/affiliates of VAA are strictly prohibited from using Spam in their marketing efforts, and are subject to immediate suspension and/or termination if they do so.

SUBSCRIPTION/NEWSLETTER SERVICES

We communicate with you to provide requested services and/or information on related identity theft and VAA issues. We also send website and subscription service updates. If you have previously subscribed to the VAA Newsletter and wish to be removed from our low volume mailings, please send an email to: <u>vaadmin@victimsassistanceofamerica.org</u>. Please include the email address that you wish to have removed.

NOTIFICATION OF CHANGES

Modifications of our Privacy Policy will be posted by identifying them as changes to our previous privacy policy. We will identify those changes so that you are always aware of what information we collect, how we use it, and under what circumstances, if any, we disclose it.

PRIVACY POLICY MODIFICATIONS

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