

You have likely heard about the recent Equifax data breach that has affected at least 143 million people in the United States. While Equifax will be directly notifying consumers that may be impacted, we at Journey Federal Credit Union take our responsibility to protect our member's financial information seriously and adhere to high standards of security in order to provide a safe & secure member experience. That's why we are passing along a list of steps that you can take to protect your information today!

- Go to [www.equifaxsecurity2017.com](http://www.equifaxsecurity2017.com) to check whether or not you are one of the 143 million people whose data may have been compromised. Equifax also has a toll-free number to call (**866.447.7559**) to help determine if you were affected by the breach.
- Set fraud alerts with all credit bureaus.
- Order a free copy of your credit report and monitor your credit activity. ([www.annualcreditreport.com](http://www.annualcreditreport.com))
- Change your current account passwords and other financial account log in credentials.
- Enroll in a credit monitoring service. Equifax is offering TrustedID Premier which includes five separate offerings, all complimentary. (<https://trustedidpremier.com/eligibility/eligibility.html>)
- **NEVER** share your personal information, such as account number, PIN, passwords, or Social Security number by phone or email.
- Pay close attention to your financial statements. If you have not already done so, enroll in Journey FCU's online and mobile banking system (**e\*Teller**) for 24/7 account access.
- Enroll in Journey FCU's **CardValet** program to receive real-time, customizable debit card alerts. You can also use the free CardValet mobile app to turn your debit card on and off in the event you feel there may be fraudulent activity on your account.

Our staff is also available to assist you with questions by calling **989.224.9511**.

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