

**Sector 3: Links to Trusted Sources for Scam Information  
As Of: March 29, 2026**

Link	Date	Source	Link Address	Summary
1	3/25	Consumer Reports	<a href="https://www.consumerreports.org/money/scams-fraud/new-scams-to-watch-out-for-a9334297641/">https://www.consumerreports.org/money/scams-fraud/new-scams-to-watch-out-for-a9334297641/</a>	Latest in a series of articles about scams; may need a subscription
2	3/26	AARP	<a href="https://www.aarp.org/money/scams-fraud/#01?intcmp=AE-SCM-FRD-FRC">https://www.aarp.org/money/scams-fraud/#01?intcmp=AE-SCM-FRD-FRC</a>	High level link with links to several scam topics, subtopics and issues
3	2/26	New York Times	<a href="https://www.nytimes.com/wirecutter/reviews/scammers-want-to-steal-everyones-savings-especially-seniors-heres-how-to-protect-yourself/">https://www.nytimes.com/wirecutter/reviews/scammers-want-to-steal-everyones-savings-especially-seniors-heres-how-to-protect-yourself/</a>	A high-level look at scams. Might be a good place to start but does not cover the topic in much detail.
4	2/26	Newsbreak	<a href="https://www.newsbreak.com/share/4516496163630-a-family-thought-their-luggage-was-swapped-during-a-dream-vacation-only-to-learn-they-had-fallen-victim-to-a-28000-travel-scam?_f=app_share&amp;pd=01CLqwxC&amp;lang=en_US&amp;send_time=1772393887&amp;trans_data=%7B%22platform%22%3A0%2C%22cv%22%3A%2226.6.0.47%22%2C%22languages%22%3A%22en%22%7D&amp;s=i3">https://www.newsbreak.com/share/4516496163630-a-family-thought-their-luggage-was-swapped-during-a-dream-vacation-only-to-learn-they-had-fallen-victim-to-a-28000-travel-scam?_f=app_share&amp;pd=01CLqwxC&amp;lang=en_US&amp;send_time=1772393887&amp;trans_data=%7B%22platform%22%3A0%2C%22cv%22%3A%2226.6.0.47%22%2C%22languages%22%3A%22en%22%7D&amp;s=i3</a>	Travel scam which started with mishandled luggage. Money was lost due to an <b>unsecured payment link</b> during attempt to retrieve it.
5	3/26	Forbes	<a href="https://www.forbes.com/sites/kellyphillipsrb/2026/03/05/the-irs-dirty-dozen-tax-scams-to-watch-for-in-2026/?ctpv=searchpage">https://www.forbes.com/sites/kellyphillipsrb/2026/03/05/the-irs-dirty-dozen-tax-scams-to-watch-for-in-2026/?ctpv=searchpage</a>	IRS' annual list of top tax related scams against unsuspecting taxpayers
6	3/26	Vanguard	<a href="https://click.e-vanguard.com/?qs=eyJkZWtJZCI6IjNjZjg3YmVILWY0MTAtNDg1MS04ODQ4LTlIZDc2MTZhMGI2OCIsImRla1ZlcnNpb24iOiJEsIml2IjoidXRqTEx4TWxWRnllQ2VTTFFizWExnUT09IiwIY2lwaGVyVGV4dCI6Ikd5Ykd5ZmE4bDVoaWhyZzFUDjZNVzBuL014Ym1hdkZmQlhjcHlmU1NxSTIZNnB4b1kxYTNHbnZwaEVsVDBTTEEx5bzRQUjVjcncQ4eEpmRFNiZkxLUWRRTzYwaXpEUjE5VHJ2VFd1dGpMTHhNbFZGeWVDZVNMUjNYTGdRPT0iLCJhdXRvVGFnljoibTN5eWtIVUR1dElzdzBkZlU2NzAxZz09In0%3D">https://click.e-vanguard.com/?qs=eyJkZWtJZCI6IjNjZjg3YmVILWY0MTAtNDg1MS04ODQ4LTlIZDc2MTZhMGI2OCIsImRla1ZlcnNpb24iOiJEsIml2IjoidXRqTEx4TWxWRnllQ2VTTFFizWExnUT09IiwIY2lwaGVyVGV4dCI6Ikd5Ykd5ZmE4bDVoaWhyZzFUDjZNVzBuL014Ym1hdkZmQlhjcHlmU1NxSTIZNnB4b1kxYTNHbnZwaEVsVDBTTEEx5bzRQUjVjcncQ4eEpmRFNiZkxLUWRRTzYwaXpEUjE5VHJ2VFd1dGpMTHhNbFZGeWVDZVNMUjNYTGdRPT0iLCJhdXRvVGFnljoibTN5eWtIVUR1dElzdzBkZlU2NzAxZz09In0%3D</a>	Article about the warning signs of scams and what to do about them

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7	3/26	IDX	<a href="https://www.idx.us/knowledge-center/ai-is-being-used-to-impersonate-people-you-trust">https://www.idx.us/knowledge-center/ai-is-being-used-to-impersonate-people-you-trust</a>	<p>IDX is a consumer identity theft protection and tracking service. If someone's personal information has been stolen in a security breach at a company which has that person's information, that company may employ IDX to assist those customers (for free, for a while) by tracking occurrences of their information on the web.</p>
8	1/26	Malwarebytes	<a href="https://www.malwarebytes.com/blog/news/2026/01/how-ai-made-scams-more-convincing-in-2025">https://www.malwarebytes.com/blog/news/2026/01/how-ai-made-scams-more-convincing-in-2025</a>	<p>One of numerous scam articles. "AI allows criminals to improve the scale, speed, and personalization of social engineering through realistic text, voice, and video. Victims face not only financial loss, but erosion of trust in digital communication and institutions.</p>