

## **NEWS FROM SCDCA**

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

SCDCA Hosts Webinar and Twitter Chat For National Cyber Security Awareness Month

**Columbia, SC...** The South Carolina Department of Consumer Affairs (SCDCA) is hosting a webinar and Twitter Chat in celebration of National Cyber Security Awareness Month (NCSAM).

The webinar is FREE and open to the public. Tune in on October 21, 2014 from 12:00 – 12:45 p.m. to learn about scams and identity theft. Anyone may register by visiting this <u>link</u>.

Consumers are also encouraged to join a Twitter chat on Privacy and Identity Theft on October 22, 2014 from 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. To participate, consumers must have a Twitter account and should tweet their questions using the hashtag **#SCDCAsecure**.

Follow @SCDCA on Twitter to get the most up to date information on identity theft and other pertinent consumer topics. Consumers can also find more information on identity theft by visiting our website at <a href="www.consumer.sc.gov">www.consumer.sc.gov</a> and click on the "Identity Theft Resources" tab.

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SCDCA aims to protect consumers from inequities in the marketplace through advocacy, complaint mediation, enforcement and education. To file a complaint or get information on consumer issues, visit <a href="https://www.consumer.sc.gov">www.consumer.sc.gov</a> or call toll-free, 1.800.922.1594.

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