



Think SMART Online!

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Stop unnecessary sharing: Don't give out personal info to strangers.

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Monitor online activity as a caregiver: This is key, especially when it come to social media.

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Assess privacy: Understand what info is being collected by reading privacy policies.

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Research apps: Know what is downloading and all the features of the app.

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Teach: Emphasize the importance of not downloading unknown files and not believing everything on the internet.



Tips for Adults Online:

- ❖ When shopping online, look for “https” - the “s” stands for secure.
- ❖ Never disclose personal information - passwords and credit card numbers included - when using public WiFi connection.
- ❖ Keep your software up to date and have appropriate anti-malware installed.
- ❖ Never respond to unexpected requests for your personal info. Scammers may pretend to be your bank, credit card company or a government agency.
- ❖ Do not click on links, open attachments or download anything from a suspicious message, even if it appears to be from a friend, or trusted source (urgency is key to these scams).
- ❖ Research claims or offers surrounding suspicious information you receive.