

## 5 Things To Do...

if you are a victim of identity theft and unemployment insurance

**Question** - What do I do if someone has stolen my identity and filed for unemployment insurance using my personal information?

**Answer** - If you believe you are a victim of ID theft, please do the following:

1. Fill out [State Form 57068](#) and mail or fax it to the department. Upon receipt of this form, DWD will lock the account from further use and initiate an investigation and issue a determination.
2. If you are currently employed, contact your employer's human resources department so that they can protest your claim with DWD.
3. Report to law enforcement:
  1. File an electronic report with the Indiana State Police by filling out the form available at <https://www.in.gov/dwd/indiana-unemployment/fraud/> and emailing it to [uifraud@isp.in.gov](mailto:uifraud@isp.in.gov).
  2. File an identity theft complaint with the Indiana Attorney General's Office at <https://www.in.gov/attorneygeneral/2895.htm> or by calling (800) 382-5516.
  3. The FBI also encourages victims to report fraudulent or any suspicious activities to the Internet Crime Complaint Center at <http://www.ic3.gov>. You may consult <http://identitytheft.gov> for help in reporting and recovering from identity theft.
4. Protect your credit: Notify the Credit bureaus (Equifax, Experian, and TransUnion)
5. Understand identity theft and taxes:
  1. Indiana: <https://www.in.gov/dwd/indiana-unemployment/individuals/1099g/>
  2. IRS: <https://www.irs.gov/identity-theft-fraud-scams/identity-theft-and-unemployment-benefits>