

Computer Protection Checklist

- Update your operating system, browser, and other software regularly. Configure automatic updates where possible.
- Keep your anti-virus software up to date and scan your computer for viruses regularly.
- Shutdown your computer when not in use—A computer cannot be compromised when it is off.
- Use encryption on your home wireless network.
- Use a firewall to block external attacks.
- Password protect your mobile devices.
- Configure user profiles on your computer and consider using an isolated computer for online banking only.
- Consider encrypting your laptop, thumb drive, or other portable device.
- Use software only from reputable sources.