

# Cybercrime Happens Way More Than You Think!

Large-scale cyberattacks make the news, but that's just the tip of the iceberg. Cybercrime is on the rise, and the majority of attacks go unreported.

## Consider the following facts:

**A cyberattack every 36 seconds**

The University of Maryland found that there is an average of 2,244 cyberattacks per day, which is one every 36 seconds.

**43% of SMB lack a cybersecurity defense plan**

The International Criminal Police Organization (Interpol) reported that small- and medium-sized businesses (SMB) are being targeted at an increased rate.

**\$108 Million lost in only 6-months**

The US Federal Trade Commission, in a recent 6-month period, had seen over 128,000 phone-based fraud scams that cost victims a whopping \$108 Million – that's only half a year!

## Staying Safe Starts with YOU!

We often assume cybercrime only happens to someone else but hackers know the easiest way to get to your organization's information is through **YOU!**

Here are some actions to stay safe.

- Be careful what you post and share online.
- Don't reuse passwords for multiple sites.
- Follow your organization's security policies and procedures.
- If something seems suspicious, always verify that it's legitimate.

***In the time it took you to read this document, there were multiple cyberattacks across the globe. Make sure you stop, look, and think before you take any sort of action.***

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