

# Criminals Are Stealing SNAP EBT and P-EBT Card Information

## How can you help protect your funds?

✓ DO

✗ DO NOT



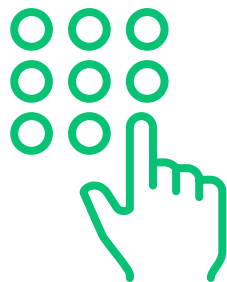
**Check** your balance often



**Create** a strong password



**Change** your PIN often



**Pull** on the card swiping/reading machine and look for anything that might be loose, crooked, damaged, or scratched.



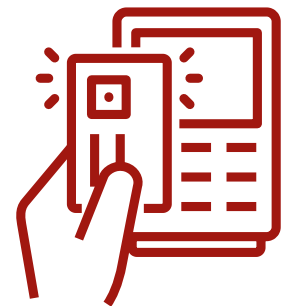
**Do not** respond to unknown texts, emails or phone calls



**Do not** give your EBT card to anyone or share your PIN



**Do not** use the card reader if you notice anything unusual.



The Virginia Department of Social Services will **never** contact you for your card information or PIN.

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