

Spot An AI Voice-Clone Scam Call — Checklist

Voice is no longer proof. Hang up. Call back. Use the password. Refuse urgent unusual payments.

Date completed: _____

Re-run this quarterly. Each pass takes about 12 minutes.

Beginner — do these in order

- 1. Have the family meeting tonight; pick a 3-word password together
- 2. Print the reference card and tape it next to every phone
- 3. Save real phone numbers for every family member in your contacts
- 4. Practice the password monthly via real phone call
- 5. Set up call screening (iPhone or Pixel) on at-risk household phones
- 6. Subscribe to FTC scam alerts
- 7. Talk to your bank about trusted-contact alerts
- 8. Refresh annually — the tech evolves; your defenses should too

Advanced — if you want to go further

- Set up household-wide call screening
- Subscribe to FTC scam alerts
- Use a different password per relationship pair
- Pre-arrange a 'fake distress' code word
- Talk to your bank about trusted-contact alerts
- Quarterly family practice call