


# PASSWORD MISTAKES EVERYONE MAKES AND WHAT TO DO INSTEAD



## Writing passwords on sticky notes.

If it's easy for you to find, it's easy for someone else to find, too.

### Do this:

A password manager locks them down and automatically fills them in so you don't have to.

## Sharing your passwords.

Passwords aren't party favors. Stop handing them out. Even people you trust can accidentally put your security at risk.

### Do this:

Keep your passwords private to reduce the risks to your valuable data.

*Your password should be your first line of defense, but are your password habits leaving the door open for hackers? Let's explore some mistakes that could compromise your security and discover safer habits to protect your accounts.*


## Using your pet's name as a password?



Fluffy might be cute, but he's not a secure password. Pet names, birthdays and children's names are the first things attackers try.

### Do this:

Mix passwords up with letters, numbers and symbols. The more random, the better.



## Reusing the same password.

That's a disaster waiting to happen. One breach and it's open season on all your accounts.

### Do this:

Every account deserves its own unique password. One weak spot shouldn't bring everything crashing down.

## STEP UP YOUR SECURITY.

Adopt these safer habits and keep your data safe!

Want to learn more about password security?  
Reach out to us today.