Now there’s a place to report online crime
What is online crime?

Every year thousands of people fall victim to online crime, or ‘cybercrime’. Now there’s a website where you can securely report online crime and learn how to better protect yourself. It’s called the ACORN, a new national policing initiative to fight online crime.

Common types of online crime include:

• Attacks on computer systems
• Email spam and phishing
• Identity theft
• Illegal and prohibited content
• Online child sexual abuse material
• Online scams or fraud
• Online trading issues

You can learn more about these on the ACORN website.
How do I report online crime on the ACORN?

Reporting is simple and quick.

Go to acorn.gov.au

The website also provides information and advice to help you recognise and avoid common types of cybercrime, so you can better protect yourself.
The ACORN has been developed by CrimTrac, the national agency responsible for developing police information-sharing services, in collaboration with:

- all Australian police agencies
- the Australian Crime Commission
- the Attorney-General’s Department
- the Australia New Zealand Policing Advisory Agency
- the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission, and
- the Australian Communications and Media Authority.

Developed as a national policing initiative with:

How do I find out more?

For more information on the ACORN, visit acorn.gov.au