

# COVID-19 GRANT ABUSE - RISK MITIGATION

We cannot stop all fraud...Here's four ways to mitigate risk.

## 1 Comply

Utilize and follow the guidance developed by the City to avoid many identified risks and ensure compliance with mandated requirements.

## 2 Examine

Start by examining your specific operations to identify and address potential fraud vulnerabilities.

## 3 Educate

Educate others about the risks— the more people are aware of the issues, the more they can help prevent problems or detect them as early as possible.

## 4 Follow-up

Follow-up with unsuccessful or unresponsive grant-funded programs as soon as possible to determine what the issues may be sooner, rather than later.



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