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Fraud
Smart!

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Essex Police Fraud Alert System

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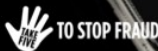


SWIPE LEFT ON ROMANCE FRAUD

Over £66m was lost to
romance fraud between
Aug 2019 and Aug 2020.

#LoveNotLies

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Online dating? If you haven't met
them in person do not:

DON'T LET YOUR HEART RULE YOUR HEAD.

#LoveNotLies



Send them
any money.



Purchase and
send the codes
on gift cards.



Transfer money
on their behalf.



Take a loan
out for them.



Provide copies of your personal documents
such as passports or driving licenses.



Allow them
access to your
bank account.



Invest your own
money on their
behalf or on
their advice.

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If you or someone you know is vulnerable and has been a victim of fraud, please call **Essex Police** on **101**
Report fraud or attempted fraud by contacting **Action Fraud** at **actionfraud.police.uk** or call **0300 123 2040**

Keep up to date with fraud and
do **even more** Online **at** essex.police.uk

