

----- WEEK 4 REFERENCE SHEET -----

MAIN IDEAS	NOTES
What do we mean by “responsible use”?	“Responsible Use of the Internet” means, using the Internet in a manner that protects the identity of yourself and others as well as your values and the overall organization.
PROTECT YOUR IDENTITY	
Protect your computer and smartphone	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Protect your computer and smartphone with strong, up-to-date security software. If your computer or phone is infected with malicious software, other safeguards are of little help because you’ve given the criminals the key to all your online actions. Be sure that any operating system updates offered are installed.
Learn to spot spam and scams.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Though some phishing scams are easy to identify, other phishing attempts in an email, IM, on social networking sites, or websites can look very legitimate. The only way to never fall for phishing scam is to never click on a link that has been sent to you.
Monitor your credit scores	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> By law you have the right to three free credit reports per year; from Experian, Transunion, and Equifax. These three credit bureaus work together through a website called AnnualCreditReport.com so you can quest all three reports at once.
Identity Theft Monitoring & Alerts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consider subscribing to an identity theft monitoring service. Receive ongoing identity theft monitoring, proactive alert, dark web surveillance and credit protection.
Identity Theft Monitoring Services	
What is the Dark Web?	<p>The dark web is a part of the internet that isn't indexed by search engines.</p> <p>You can buy credit card numbers, all manner of drugs, guns, counterfeit money, stolen subscription credentials, hacked Netflix accounts and software that helps you break into other people’s computers.</p>
IDENTITY THEFT RECOMMENDATION	
LifeLock	The company offers a wide range of protection services, including LifeLock Junior (for monitoring your kids) and LifeLock Senior (for monitoring your parents, 65 and older). This service is unique to LifeLock, and it's important.
IdentityForce	The base UltraSecure program for IdentityForce is \$149.90 a year. Its UltraSecure Plus Credit program, which provides you with your credit reports and score, is \$199.50. We liked how the credit score monitoring not only watches all three reporting agencies but provides a visual tracker that lets you examine your credit rating over time.
Experian	Experian IdentityWorks offers two types of plans, Plus and Premium. With the Plus plan, you’ll find a focus on credit monitoring features, with Dark Web Surveillance as the predominant identity protection feature. Once you move up to the Premium plan, you have the added benefits of more in-depth identity monitoring.