

Prevention of victimisation (or further victimisation) through the installation of call blockers where individual is at risk of fraud. True call units are proven to reduce/remove fraudulent phones calls, this in turn improves financial and wellbeing outcomes for vulnerable people. Telephone fraud has been transformed in scale by communications technology.



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Installation of **80** (in financial year 22/23) True Call units within the homes of those identified as vulnerable to fraud through multi-agency working by Lincs Police Fraud Protect team and Lincs Scams Intervention and Prevention Officer.

NTS Optimity estimated savings based on installation of 80 (from both partners) call blockers:



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Feedback:

97% Confident in answering the telephone after installation

Impact on scam and nuisance calls – only 2 individuals felt there was no change or had received a scam call in the last 7 days

97% would recommend a call blocker to others

90% improved wellbeing since installation

Happy that only genuine callers can now get through and it has stopped the nuisance calls.

Its been really good – excellent – as far as phone calls go we don't get scam ones now, its brilliant, thank you.



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Victim experience

Call Blockers

**Feedback from LCC Scams Intervention and
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Victim experience

Romance Fraud

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