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## Persons posing as "Healthcare" workers were not

## Kane County Health Department employees

The Kane County Health Department is advising residents that it has been made aware by the South Elgin Police Department of a potential scam in which people posing as "Kane County Healthcare" workers tried to gain access to someone's home.

Kane County Health Department Executive Director Barbara Jeffers said these were not Kane County Health Department employees. She said she would like to assure residents that department staff will make appointments before any home visits, that staff always carries proper identification and that they travel in vehicles clearly marked with Health Department logos.

"If there is ever any question as to someone's identification, do not allow them into your home and never hesitate to contact the police and the health department," Jeffers said.

Anyone with any questions can call the health department at the number above, or the South Elgin Police at (847) 741-2151.

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