

## Notice to Suppliers: Fraudulent Purchase Order Scams

UMB would like to alert all vendors to active scams involving purchase orders and requests for quotes that purport to originate from the University of Maryland, Baltimore (UMB), but are in fact fraudulent. Strategic Sourcing and Acquisition Services (SSAS) has received multiple reports from vendors who have received such fraudulent requests via email, web forms and other sources.

Here are some common traits of these fraudulent purchase attempts that may help you identify them and reduce the risk to your company in becoming a financial victim of this scam: