

# Red Flags to Spot a Scooter Scam

Sadly, scammers are out there, and mobility scooter shoppers are being targeted. We have put together a list of possible ways to determine if an ad is a scam. To avoid being scammed, look for these Red Flags...

■ URL – Beware of a possible scam if the URL does not end in .com. URL's ending in .shop are often scam sites.

■ Price – If it sounds too good to be true, it probably is. Check out price reputable mobility dealers are charging online, if the price is much lower, it is probably a scam.

■ Poorly translated or incorrect grammar used in the ad and webpage.

■ Website sells many things not related to medical mobility.

■ Most scooters sold in the US are shipped in the US. Beware of scooters being shipped from overseas even if they give you a tracking number. Many times scammers will ship a small, cheap item like a plastic ring or watch to make you think the scooter is on the way.

■ Webpage is inconsistent with types of scooters shown.

■ A few sites that are known scammers include (but not limited to)...

[www.carry-ons.shop](http://www.carry-ons.shop), [www.forever-youngs.shop](http://www.forever-youngs.shop),  
[www.smoothsailing.shop](http://www.smoothsailing.shop), [www.firm.shop.com](http://www.firm.shop.com),  
[www.mugglees.shop](http://www.mugglees.shop), <https://imissladies.com/>

What should you do? **Do not order from these sites, you will not get a scooter.** Report any Facebook scams to Facebook. To report a scam post - Click on triple dots in the upper righthand corner, click on **Find Support or Report Post**, Click on **Something Else**, then click **Fraud or Scam**, click **Next** and you are done. To report a Scam Ad – click on triple dots in upper righthand corner, click on **Report Ad**, Click **Misleading or Scam**, then click **Submit**.

Call the manufacturer, distributor, or your local mobility scooter dealer if you have any questions about the authenticity of a scooter advertisement.

