



## Active Call Screener v3.1

### Quick Set Up (recommended)

1. Put in 3 AAA batteries. (not included)
2. Create White/Black List (without names)
  - Use key pad to punch in the phone number with area code. (Verify if "1" prefix if required)
  - Press ACCEPT to save on White List; REJECT to save on Black List .
  - To correct, use DEL/EXIT.
3. Connect SENTRY in between your phone and wall jack. (see diagram)

**SENTRY is ready now.**



### Custom set up

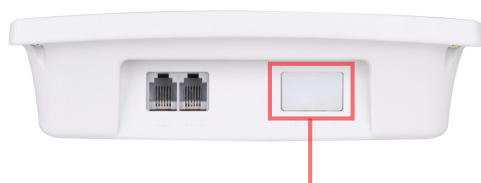
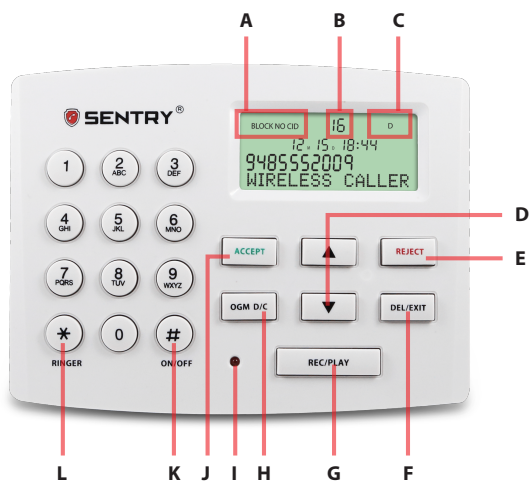
#### Create White List with names (optional)

- Press and hold ACCEPT until you see \_ \_ \_
- Use dialpad to input phone number (area code + number)
- Press ACCEPT to save number, then enter name using dialpad, press ACCEPT again to save both number and name.
- To correct, use DEL/EXIT.

#### Record your own outgoing message (optional)

- To listen to default OGM, double click REC/PLAY.
- To record your own OGM, press and hold REC/PLAY until 'beep', release button, then start recording (up to 20 seconds). Press REC/PLAY again to stop and play back. To re-record, repeat above steps.
- Double press REC/PLAY to listen to OGM, double click DEL/EXIT to erase.
- Press OGM D/C button to choose C (custom message)

## Functions



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- A. BLOCK NO CID** – Block all calls without caller ID
- B.** Number of unchecked incoming calls
- C. OGM** – D: default, C: custom, OFF: allow all calls except Black Listed
- D. UP/DOWN** – Scroll through entries
- E. REJECT** – Add to Black List, check Black List
- F. DEL/EXIT** – Exit or Save, double press to delete an entry
- G. REC/PLAY** – Record your custom message, play caller messages
- H. OGM D/C** – Warning message options, D: default, C: custom, (SENTRY ON)
- I. LED LIGHT** – When blinking check battery or new voice message
- J. ACCEPT** – Add to White List, check White List
- K. ON/OFF** – SENTRY OFF mode allows all calls except Black List
- L. RINGER** – SENTRY'S ring can be turned off \*

\*with ringer is off, SENTRY will not ring when callers dial "0" on the voice prompt.

1. **Check incoming calls:** on home screen, use UP/DOWN to go through incoming calls.
2. **Check messages:** when 'NEW MESSAGE' is flashing, press REC/PLAY once to listen.
3. **Check White List:** on home screen, press ACCEPT, then UP/DOWN to toggle through the list.
4. **Add a phone number to White/Black List**
  - Find the number on call log and press/hold ACCEPT for 3 seconds.
  - Use keypad to type the number and press ACCEPT.
  - To add to Black List, do the same with REJECT.
5. **Delete a phone number from White/Black List:** Find the number on White or Black List, press DEL/EXIT twice.
6. **Transfer a number from White List to Black List, or vice versa**
  - Find the number on White List, press/hold REJECT for 3 seconds to send it to Black List.
  - Find the number on Black List, press hold ACCEPT for 3 seconds to send it to White List
7. **Turn SENTRY OFF:** when you are expecting a call that is not on White List like a delivery notice, you can turn off SENTRY temporarily with ON/OFF button. This will allow all calls to come through except those on Black List.

## Functions (less used)

1. **Delete a number from White List:** press ACCEPT, then UP/DOWN to find that number, press DELETE twice to delete.
2. **Redo custom message.** Refer to Custom Set Up.
3. **Turn off SENTRY'S ringer:** press RINGER to choose RINGER ON or OFF, press DEL/EXIT to save.
4. **Turn on BLOCK NO CID:** Press and hold REJECT until BLOCK NO CID shows on screen. Then press Up/Down to toggle.  
All calls with no CID will be rejected directly.
5. **Replace batteries:** when REPLACE BATTERY is flashing, replace batteries immediately. SENTRY will not function when REPLACE BATTERY is flashing.
6. **Brightness:** press and hold number 9 until "brightness" appears on the screen. Use up/down to adjust the setting.  
Press del/exit when done.

## FAQ

1. **What if the spammer presses 0 after hearing the warning?**  
It almost never happens in reality, as long as your warning message doesn't sound too inviting. If it does happen, find it in the White List, press and hold REJECT to move it to Black List.
2. **What if I don't want to hear the single phone ring from blocked calls?**  
You can press and hold RINGER until ALLOW 1 RING shows, press again to change to ALLOW 0 RING, then DEL/EXIT to save. Please note that certain telephone sets will not show caller ID when ALLOW 0 RING is on.
3. **What if I wait for a call that is not on White List, like delivery, pharmacy, etc?**  
You can turn SENTRY off temporarily by ON/OFF button. When SENTRY is OFF, it allows all calls to come through, except Black List callers. Afterwards please don't forget to turn SENTRY back on.
4. **Do I need to add "1" to phone numbers when creating the White List?**  
Please check the caller IDs showing on your home phone. If you see CID displaying as "1+10 digit" on your phone, then you need to add "1" in front of area code.
5. **Frozen up?** Disconnect phone cables and remove batteries can reset the unit.
6. **How many messages can SENTRY save?** Two, the older message will be automatically saved over.
7. **More questions?** call 714.361.4615
8. Visit [www.plugnblock.com](http://www.plugnblock.com) for more information

## Specifications

Working voltage: 2.8-5 V Current: 1-5 MA, requires 3 AAA batteries.

FSK /DTMF sensitivity rate: -25 to -35 DBM

Signal - Noise Ratio: 6-50 DB

PSTN wired network: compatible with corded & cordless phone, VOIP phone



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