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Quick Start Guide

Remote Control

WAVEWRITER
ALPHA™
Spinal Cord Stimulator System



Your Freelink™ Remote Control is designed to **check the battery level** of your stimulator and help you **control your stimulation settings** to best suit your individual needs.

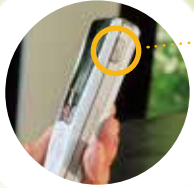
And it's easy to use!

An overview

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How can I start or stop stimulation?



- To get **started**, press and hold the **“unlock” button** on the right-hand side of your remote, until the text “Release Side Button to Unlock” appears on the screen.



- Now you can **turn stimulation on** by pressing the **red button** in the center of your remote.
- To **turn stimulation off**, simply press the **red button** again.

How can I increase or decrease stimulation?

If your doctor allows you to change your stimulation level, this is easily done on your remote:



- You can then use the **“plus”** or **“minus” buttons** beside the on/off button to **adjust your stimulation** to the right level for you.

How can I access or change stimulation programs?

If your doctor has set up different stimulation programs for you, you can access these in just a few clicks:

Either:

- press the **"Programs" button** on the left side of your remote.



Or:

- Click the **right-hand arrow** to see the main menu.
- Click the **right-hand arrow** a second time to enter the **"Programs"** menu.
- Click the **right-hand arrow** a third time to enter the **"Change Program"** menu.



- From there you can **navigate through the different programs** with the **up and down arrows**.
- **Select your desired program** by clicking on the **right hand arrow** one last time.

How do I know the stimulation program and intensity is right for me?

If your remote offers you different stimulation programs, it's important to talk to your doctor about which programs are best for which symptoms. That way you can pick the right program for your needs.

- If your doctor allows you to change the stimulation intensity, you should be able to tell which level is right for you based on the **improvement in symptoms you feel**.
- If you feel any side effects, make sure to **stop increasing stimulation intensity**.



How can I charge my remote?

- To charge your remote, simply connect it to the **USB power supply** and plug into a **plug socket**.

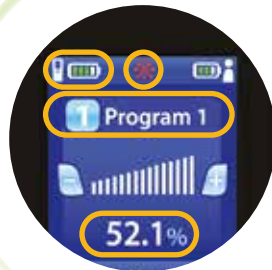


- Whenever the remote is **low on battery**, it will show you a *reminder to recharge*.

Using your Freelink™ Remote Control

Top Tips

- **Make sure your remote can communicate properly with your stimulator:** If your stimulator doesn't respond to the remote, try moving the remote **closer**. Remember too that the stimulator cannot communicate with the remote while charging.
- **Don't worry if your remote screen goes blank after around a minute of inactivity:** The remote is **entering into sleep mode** so as to save battery.
- **Keep up to date via your remote's Home screen:** The Home screen shows you the **name of the stimulation program** currently running as well as the **level of stimulation strength**. It also shows you the **remote's battery level** and whether **stimulation is on or off**.



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This document is not intended as a substitute for the WaveWriter Alpha™ and Wavewriter Alpha™ Prime Spinal Cord Stimulator System Patient Manuals. The contents of the handbook must be carefully read and fully understood before using your remote control. If you have any questions, or need clarification on anything contained in this manual, please [contact your physician](#).

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Talk to your healthcare professional about whether this product may be suitable for you as part of your overall plan to manage chronic pain.

The WaveWriter Alpha System is not a first-line treatment for chronic intractable pain.

Surgery is required in order to use the WaveWriter Alpha System and any surgical procedure carries risk.

Outcomes may vary for each patient.

Patients should consult their healthcare professional about factors that could impact their response.

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