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# User Guide

# Simple Setup

1. **Download the app.**
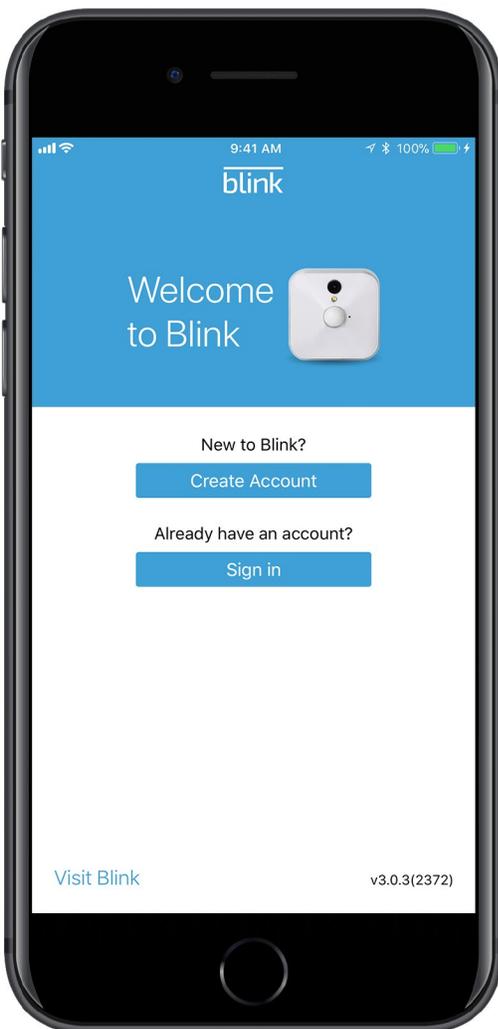Visit the App Store, Google Play Store

2. **Launch the App.**
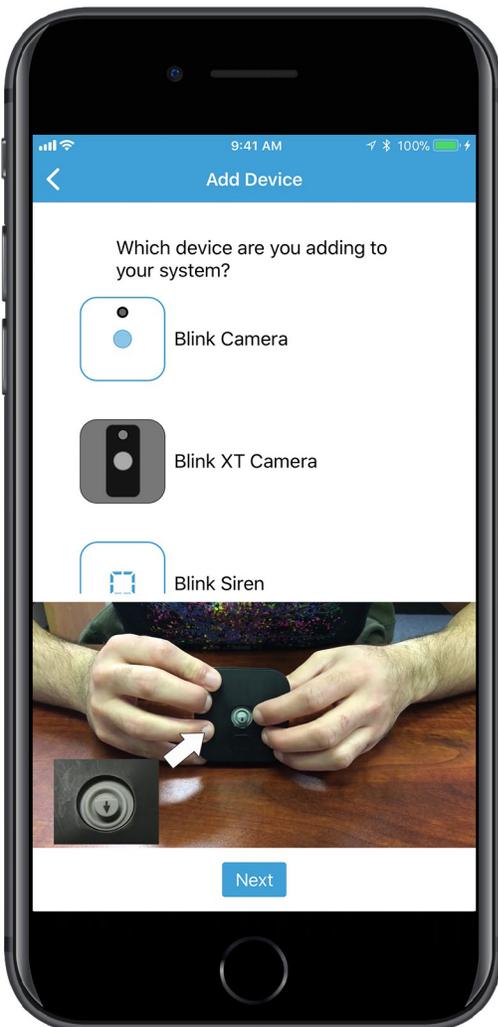Open the app on your iOS or Android device

3. **Follow in-app instructions.**
The Blink app will walk you through creating an account and setting up your new Blink system.

Detailed setup instructions can be found on page 5.



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# System Requirements

Blink connects to the Internet via a wireless connection.

**Wi-Fi Network Requirements**
In order for Blink to connect to your home Wi-Fi network, it must meet the following requirements.

- ☑ Your Wi-Fi network broadcasts at 2.4GHz (802.11 b/g/n)
- ☑ Your network does not block port 443.
- ☑ Your network upload speed is at least 2 Mbps.

**iOS Requirements**

To set up Blink using an iOS device, it must be running iOS 9.3 or later. The following devices support that:

- ☑ iPhone (4S or newer)
- ☑ iPad (2nd gen or newer)
- ☑ iPad Mini (1st gen or newer)
- ☑ iPod Touch (5th gen or newer)

**Android Requirements**

To set up Blink on an Android device, it must be running Android 4.4 (KitKat) or later.

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# Package Contents

**Sync Module**
The Sync Module is the central hub of your Blink system.  This connects to your WiFi network and to your Blink cameras.

**Package Includes:**
Micro USB Cable and USB Wall Adapter

**Blink XT**
Blink XT operates on 2 AA Lithium batteries and with standard use, can last up to two years before needing to be replaced.

(Alkaline or rechargeable are not recommended) and standard use is defined as 40,000 seconds of Live View and motion cilps over a 2 year period
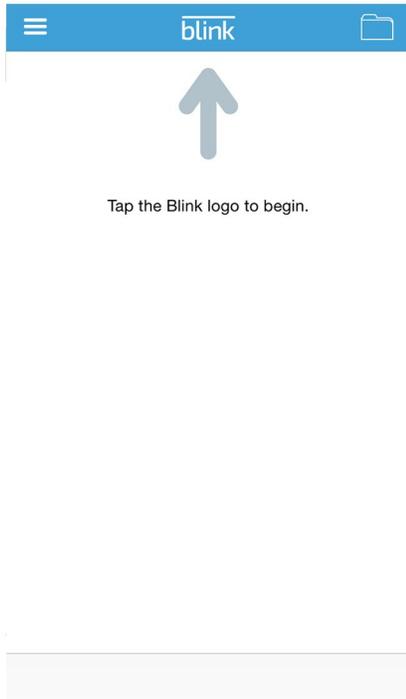
**Package includes:**
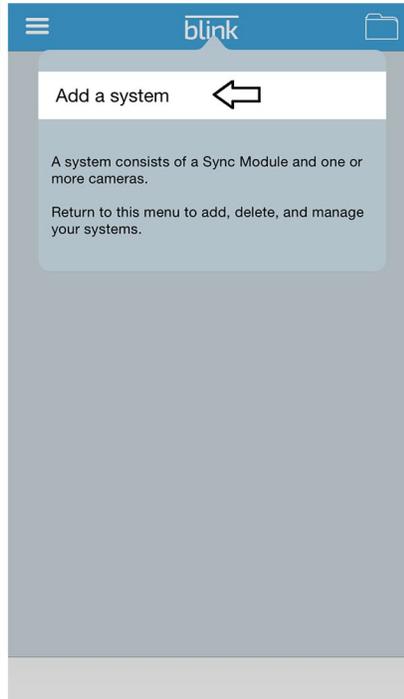Blink XT Camera
2x AA Lithium Batteries
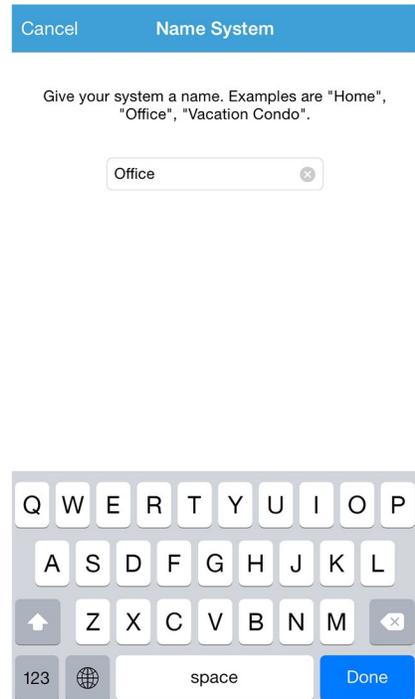Mounting Bracket & Screw

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# Setup

This is an overview of the setup process. Once you've downloaded the Blink app, create your account and follow these instructions.

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Tap the Blink logo to begin.

**1.** Tap the Blink logo to begin.

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**Add a system**

A system consists of a Sync Module and one or more cameras.

Return to this menu to add, delete, and manage your systems.

**2.** Tap the Add a system button.

Cancel **Name System**

Give your system a name. Examples are "Home", "Office", "Vacation Condo".

Office

| Q | W | E | R | T | Y | U | I | O | P |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| A | S | D | F | G | H | J | K | L | |
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| 123 | 🌐 | space | Done |
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**3.** Set a name for the system like "Home" or "Office".

Office ▼

Tap the Sync Module

**4.** Tap add a Sync Module.

‹ **Add Sync Module**

**Before you begin you will need:**

• Your Sync Module serial number located on the bottom of the unit.

• The name and password of the Wi-Fi that Blink will use. Verify that your phone is connected to that Wi-Fi before continuing.

• Good Wi-Fi signal strength. Place your Sync Module close to your router to ensure a stable connection.

Ready

**5.** Read guide then tap "Ready" when you have the necessary information.

Cancel **Add Sync Module**

Enter the serial number using the keypad, or scan the QR code.

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| 1 | 2 ABC | 3 DEF |
|---|---|---|
| 4 GHI | 5 JKL | 6 MNO |
| 7 PQRS | 8 TUV | 9 WXYZ |
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**6.** Enter your Sync Module's serial number located on the bottom of the unit.

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# Setup Cont'd.

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Cancel     **Add Sync Module**

Plug in your Sync Module and wait 30 seconds. The lights should match the pattern: Blinking Blue, Steady Green.

Do the lights on your Sync Module match the pattern above?

**Yes**     **No**
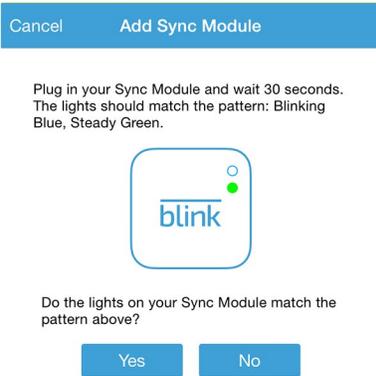
**7.** Plug your Sync Module into power and wait 30 seconds until you see a solid green and flashing blue light.

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Cancel     **Add Sync Module**     Help

Tap the Home button.

Tap Settings, then "Wi-Fi".

Tap BLINK-8142 as shown below.

| Settings | Wi-Fi | |
|---|---|---|
| Wi-Fi | | |
| ✓ BLINK-8142 | | 🛜 ⓘ |

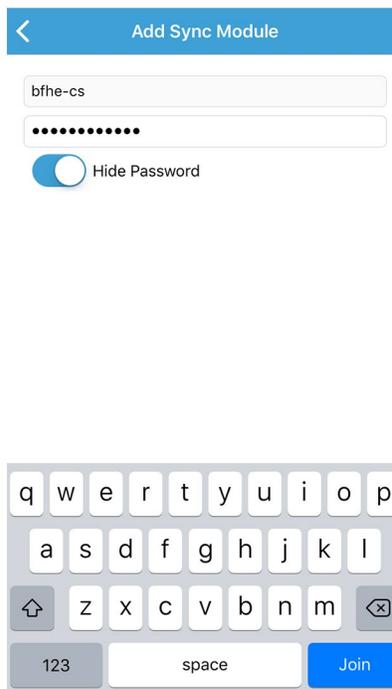Tap the Home button then tap Blink.

Tap "Help" above to see a video.

**8.** Leave the Blink app and go to Settings>WiFi. Connect to the Blink-#### network. It's normal to see "Security Recommendation" or "Connected, no Internet".
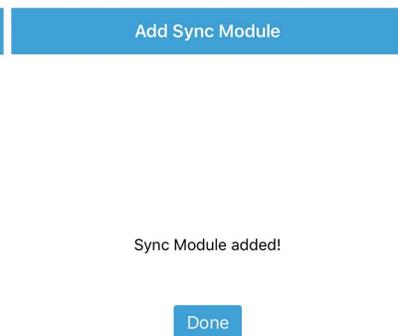
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Cancel     Add Sync Module     ‹ Settings

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Tap the Home button.

Tap Settings, then "Wi-Fi"    Wi-Fi

Tap BLINK-8142 as shown below    ✓ BLINK-

| ‹ Settings | Wi-Fi |
|---|---|
| Wi-Fi | |
| ✓ BLINK-8142 | |

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Other..

Tap the Home button the Blink.

Ask to Join

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Tap "Help" above to see a vide
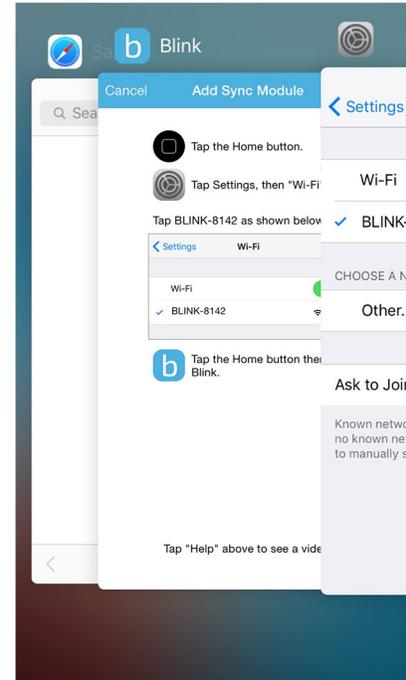
**9.** After a successful connection, navigate back to the Blink App.

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Cancel     **Add Sync Module**

Listed below are the Wi-Fi networks in range of your Sync Module. Select the Wifi network for Blink to join. (Three bars or more recommended)

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Other... (hidden network)

Sync Module v1.79     **Refresh List**
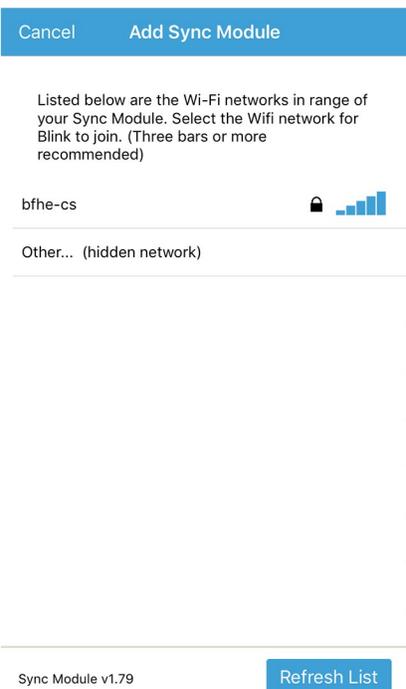
**9.** Locate your Home WiFi network then tap it to continue.

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‹     **Add Sync Module**

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🔵 Hide Password

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q w e r t y u i o p
 a s d f g h j k l
⇧ z x c v b n m ⌫
123      space      Join
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**10.** Enter the password for your home WiFi network to connect.

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**Add Sync Module**

Sync Module added!

**Done**

**11.** After about 30 seconds, you'll see the message "Sync Module added!". Tap "Done".

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# Adding your Cameras

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Add a Blink device

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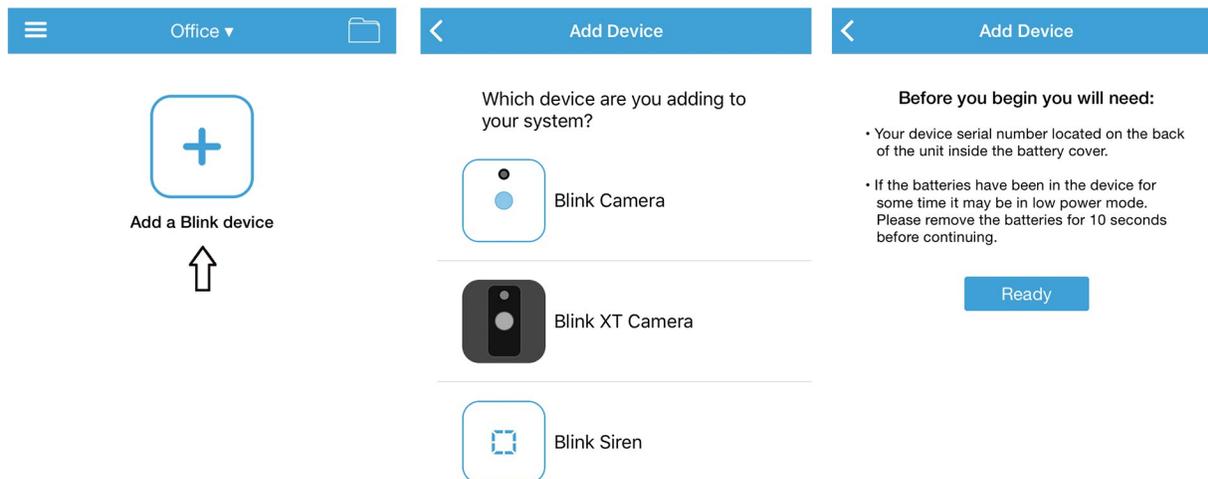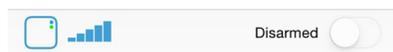
**1.** Tap to Add a Blink camera.

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<    **Add Device**

Which device are you adding to your system?

⦿    Blink Camera

▣    Blink XT Camera

▢    Blink Siren

**2.** Select which camera to add.

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<    **Add Device**

**Before you begin you will need:**

• Your device serial number located on the back of the unit inside the battery cover.

• If the batteries have been in the device for some time it may be in low power mode. Please remove the batteries for 10 seconds before continuing.

Ready

**3.** Read guide then tap Ready.

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<    **Add Device**

First insert the batteries into your device, then enter or scan the serial number.

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| 1 | 2<br>ABC | 3<br>DEF |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 4<br>GHI | 5<br>JKL | 6<br>MNO |
| 7<br>PQRS | 8<br>TUV | 9<br>WXYZ |
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**4.** Enter camera's serial number and hit the continue button.

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**Camera**

| Front Door | ⊗ |
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Name your camera

| Q | W | E | R | T | Y | U | I | O | P |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| A | S | D | F | G | H | J | K | L | |
| ⇧ | Z | X | C | V | B | N | M | ⌫ | |
| 123 | 🌐 | | space | | | Done | | | |
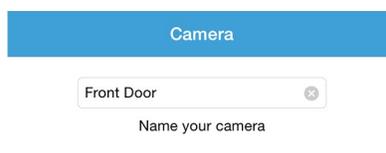
**5.** Name and position your camera then tap the snapshot.

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**Camera**    Done

| Front Door | ⊗ |
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If you don't like your location or you see fewer than 3 bars, move your camera and try again

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Signal Strength

Camera to Sync Module    ▃▄▅▆

Camera to WiFi    ▃▄▅▆
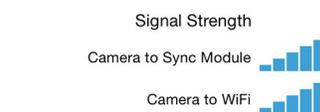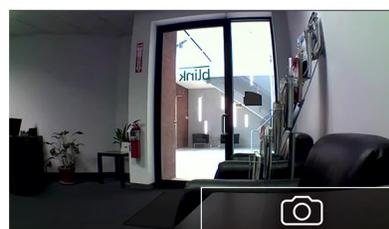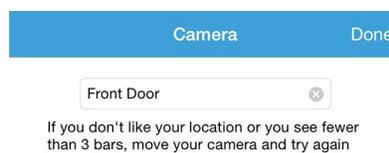
**6.** Once generated, gauge the signal strengths and tap "Done". Repeat the above steps for any additional cameras.

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# Home Screen

The Home Screen shows you the cameras that you have on your account. From here, you can update their thumbnails, access them using Live View, and more.
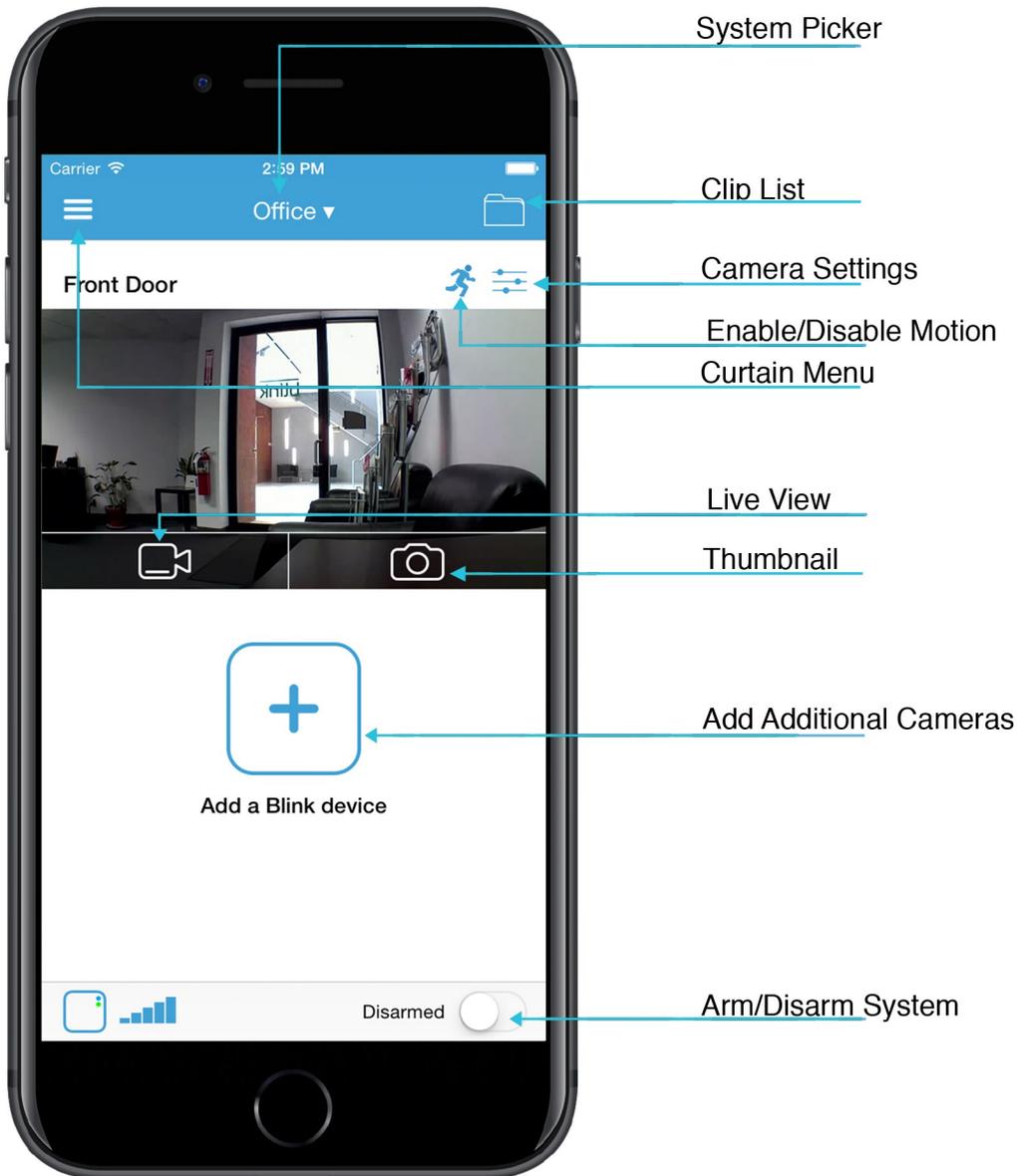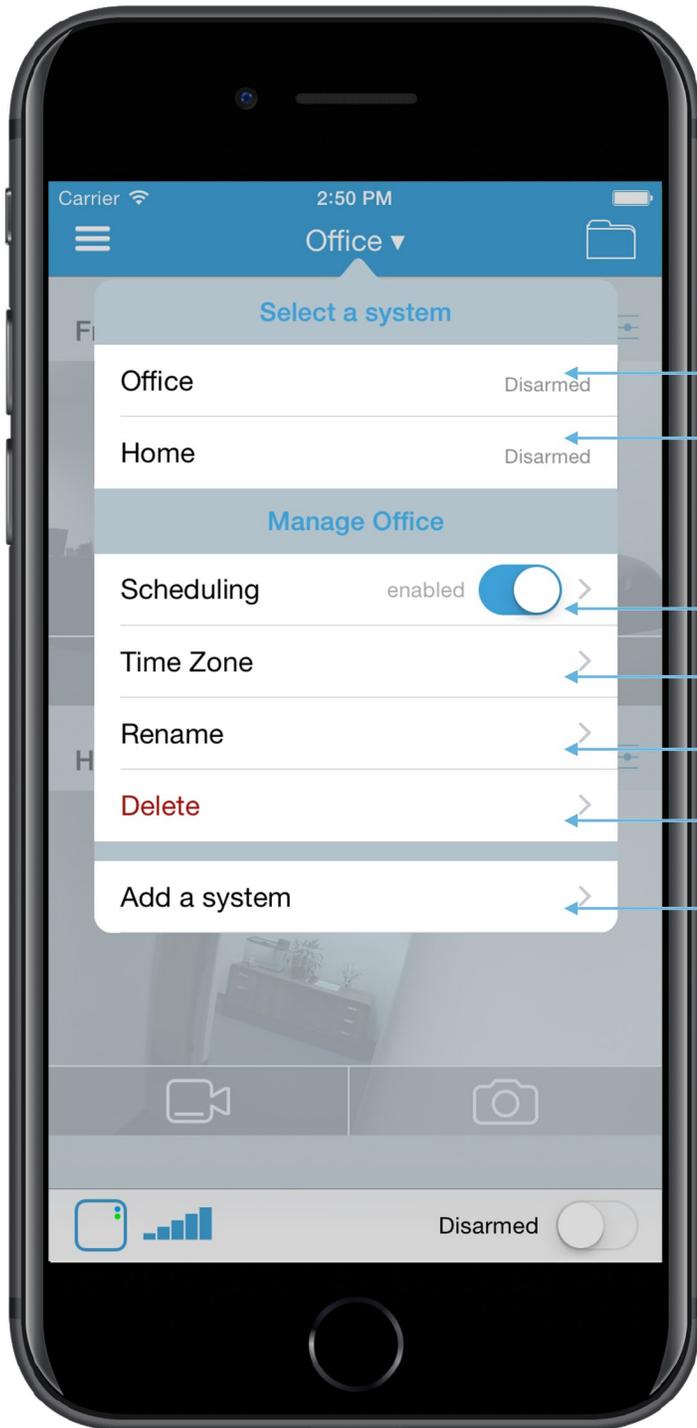
System Picker

Clip List

Camera Settings

Enable/Disable Motion

Curtain Menu

Live View

Thumbnail

Add Additional Cameras

Arm/Disarm System

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Front Door

Add a Blink device

Disarmed

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# Camera Settings

## GENERAL

Name | Outside Front Door | **①** ⊗

## MONITORING

Battery | **②** OK

Temperature **BETA** | **③** 73°F ›

Tap Temperature to set alerts

## MOTION DETECTION

Enable | **④** ⬤

Retrigger time | 10 ——**30**——**⑤** 60s

Sensitivity | L ——**5**——**⑥** H

Clip Length | 5 —**5**———**⑦** 60s

End clip early if motion stops | **⑧** ⬤

## IR ILLUMINATOR

Control | Off | On | **⑨** Auto

Intensity | Low | Med | **⑩** High

## AUDIO

Enable | **⑪** ⬤

## VIDEO

Quality | Saver | **⑫** Standard | Best

## STATUS

Last Updated | 10/23/17, 3:54 PM | **⑬** Update

Camera to WiFi | **⑭** ▪▪▮▮

Camera to Sync Module | **⑮** ▪▮▮

**Delete Camera** | **⑯**

## Camera Settings

**1. Name:** Camera's individual name

**2. Battery:** Battery indicator

**3. Temperature:** Current temperature

**4. Motion Detection:** Enable/disable for individual camera

**5. Retrigger Time:** Time between motion clips

**6. Sensitivity:** Sensitivity of motion detection

**7. Clip Length:** Duration that camear is set to record

**8. End Early:** Ends clip if motion stops

**9. Control:** Controls activation of IR Illuminator

**10. Intensity:** Brightness of IR Illuminator

**11. Audio:** Enable or disable camera's microphone

**12. Quality:** Adjusts the quality of video

**13. Update:** Refreshes camera's readings

**14. Camera to WiFi:** Signal strength to WiFi

**15. Camera to Sync Module:** Signal strength to Sync Module

**16. Delete Camera:** Removes camera from your account

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# System Picker

**Carrier** 2:50 PM

Office ▾

### Select a system

| Office | Disarmed |
|---|---|
| Home | Disarmed |

### Manage Office

| Scheduling | enabled ⬤ > |
|---|---|
| Time Zone | > |
| Rename | > |
| Delete | > |
| Add a system | > |

Switch between multiple systems

Set up a motion detection schedule

Set your Time Zone

Rename your system

Delete your Blink system

Add another Blink system

Disarmed

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# Help

At Blink, our dedicated support team is ready to assist you using your preferred method if you run into any issues.

Web: support.blinkforhome.com
Phone: (781) 332-5465
10am-11pm Eastern 7 days/week


Thank you for choosing Blink!

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