

## VeraSecure

Advanced Smart Home Security Controller

# Congratulations!

Welcome to Vera Smarter Home Control. The VeraSecure
Advanced Smart Home Security Controller provides security you can
count on, plus safety and convenience.



## What's In The Box



VeraSecure Controller



### Controller Features

### 2-Way Audio Button

Press to activate 2-way audio intercom to speak with emergency dispatch (requires optional monitoring service.)

### Siren

Automatically emits a piercing alarm if there's a security breach.

### Microphone

Enables hearing what's going on in your home from anywhere, via the Vera app.

### Battery Backup

If AC power goes out, this built-in Backup Battery will continue to power VeraSecure for up to 8 hours to keep your home protected.

### 3G Cellular

If Internet goes out, the cellular data backup connection enables VeraSecure to continue sending emergency alerts, notifications, and also change home modes.

### Antenna

External antenna extends the range of 345 (US) or 433 (EU) MHz protocol.

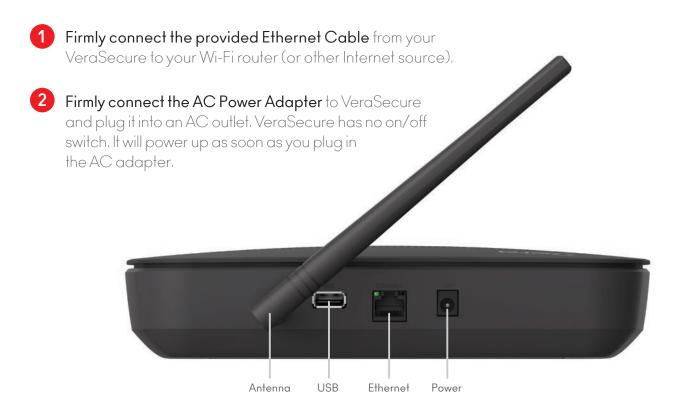
For more information on these controller features go to: www.getvera.com/controllers/verasecure

### LED Names

- 1 Power
- 2 Internet
- 3 Wi-Fi
- 4 Z-Wave
- 5 Service
- 6 ZigBee
- 7 Bluetooth
- 8 VeraLink\*
- 9 Cellular



## Installation

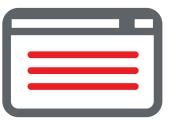


3 To setup your controller, go to http://home.getvera.com



If you are a new user, click the "I have a new controller" button on the screen. Agree to the terms and conditions. Then select your Controller.

If you already have an account, please login.
Click the "Add another controller" button.
Then select your Controller.



Follow the Setup Instructions.



## Overview

There are over two thousand devices that can work with VeraSecure.

VeraSecure Home Controller is the central hub for creating security or smart home scenes. Scenes give you the power to simply and easily customize your Vera controller to work with devices exactly the way you want.

Combine devices such as cameras, lighting and sensors to personalize your system's scenes.



### Device Types

### **SECURITY DEVICES**

They are always on and monitoring your home. However, your VeraSecure system will only report a breach if the sensor is in the "Armed" status. Normally, these sensors are "Armed" in Night, Away and Vacation modes as default settings. (You may change these defaults in the Settings section of the Vera dashboard app.)

Wi-Fi Cameras (Indoor & Outdoor)

Door / Window Sensors

Motion Detectors

Glass Break Sensors

Outdoor Alarm

## Help Scare Away Intruders



Go to www.getvera.com/scenes for more ideas



### SAFETY DEVICES

Use these for home protection and peace of mind even when away from home. Safety devices are always active and "Armed" regardless of which mode your VeraSecure system is in. If a problem arises, you need to know about it, regardless of whether you're home, away, asleep or on vacation.

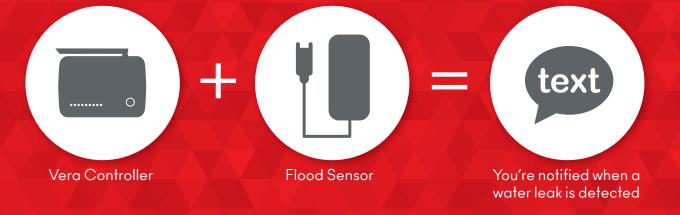
Smoke Detectors

Carbon Monoxide Detectors

Flood Sensor

Temperature & Humidity Sensors

# Find Out Instantly When Problems Occur



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### CONVENIENCE & LIFESTYLE DEVICES

Use these devices to save energy and money. Eliminate the repetitive tasks in your life like turning lights off, adjusting the thermostat, double checking to make sure the garage door is closed or the daily adjustments of window coverings.

Thermostats

Door Locks

Light Dimmers & Switches

Garage Door Openers

Temperature & Humidity Sensors

Light Sensors

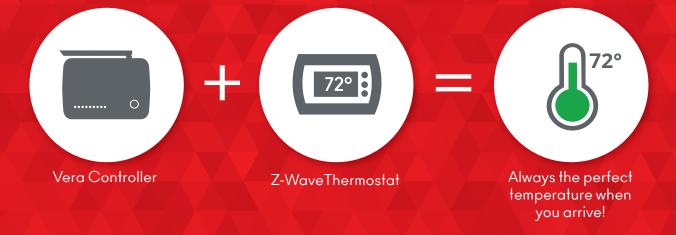
Lawn Sprinklers

Window Curtains

**HVAC Vents** 

Room Air Conditioners

## Warm Or Cool Your House While You're Driving Home

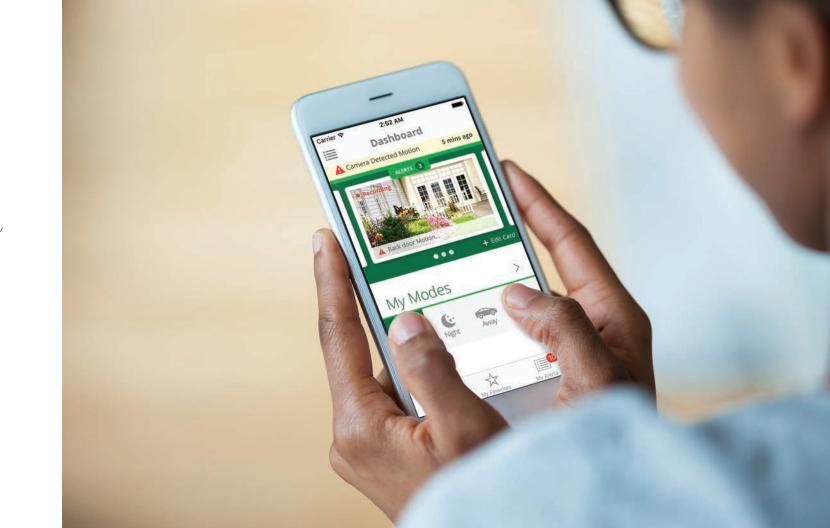


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# Vera App

The Vera App controls your entire Vera Secure system, including all the devices working individually or together. Even if a device has its own app, you won't need it—use the Vera app instead.

The free Vera app runs on smartphones (iOS and Android), tablets, or in a browser on any Windows, Mac, Chromebook or Linux computer. You don't have to choose between them—use your computer when home and your smartphone when away. VeraSecure will continue running 24/7 to monitor your home, regardless of whether you have the app open.



### **KEY FEATURES OF VERA APP**

### Modes

Modes are a powerful feature that lets you control all your devices at once. There are 4 Modes—Home, Away, Night and Vacation. You can customize how each Mode works.

### Cards

The Current Status Card displays at the top of the Dashboard and offers a quick check of overall Vera system status. You don't have to check each window sensor to know that all windows are closed and the alarm system is "Armed", for example.



### Users

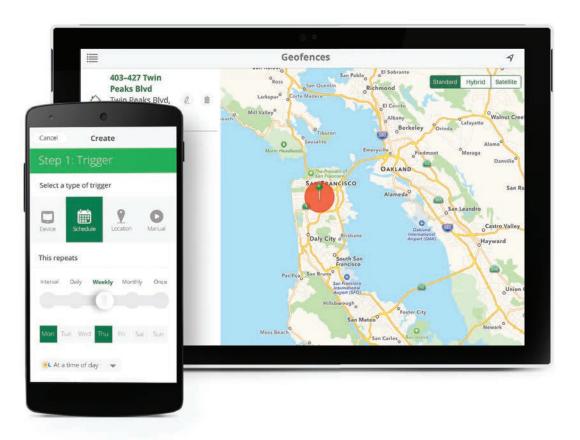
Your Vera system can have as many users as you like. Everyone in your family, or everyone who works in your small business can have a different username and password. The Vera app lets you set permissions and notifications for each user.

### **Notifications**

Your Vera system can send you a text or email alert to notify you (and other users) of just about anything that happens in the system, such as when a door or window opens, a motion detector trips, someone unlocks the door, a smoke detector trips, and much more!

For more information on setting up notifications, go to: <a href="http://support.getvera.com">http://support.getvera.com</a>





### **Scenes**

Control any device based on another device. Turn on an outdoor light when a sensor detects motion. Or set an alert, to get a text whenever a door is opened. Timer scenes use the Controller's built-in clock to turn devices such as lights and lawn sprinklers on or off. Or use your phone's location to Geofence.

### Geofencing

Use your cell phone location to automatically control your system. As you arrive home your garage door will automatically open. Or leave the house and lights will turn off, doors will lock, and your thermostat will set to reduce energy use. Just be sure to carry your phone!

For more information on Geofencing go to: www.getvera.com/geofencing

# Range Extenders

If a device doesn't seem to work in its proper location, but you find that your device works when you bring it closer to your VeraSecure controller, you will need to add a repeater or range extender. Repeaters or extenders are used to expand the coverage area of your network. They work by receiving your existing signal, amplifying it and then transmitting the boosted signal.

For most devices, you don't need to pay any attention to which protocol (Z-Wave, ZigBee, Wi-Fi, Bluetooth & VeraLink) a device uses, as your VeraSecure controller automatically connects wirelessly to any of these. However, repeaters & range extenders are protocol specific. Be sure it matches your device's protocol.



For more information on repeaters go to: https://shop.getvera.com

# Help Options

We strive to make VeraSecure and the Vera App easy. If you experience any difficulty, Vera is here to help. We provide free customer support with real experts who quickly identify and resolve any issues.





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### Vera Knowledge Base: http://support.getvera.com

Articles with instructions, downloadable manufacturer sheets and extensive FAQs.

*Videos* demonstrating system setup and features.

Forums where knowledgeable users and experts respond to posts.

### **Warranty—We Stand Behind Our Products!**

Vera strives to build the very best products possible. Should your Vera Smart Home Controller fail within the first 12 months from purchase, we will repair or replace your unit, free of charge.

