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AbiBird®

# How to

## Adjust Sensor Alert Sensitivity

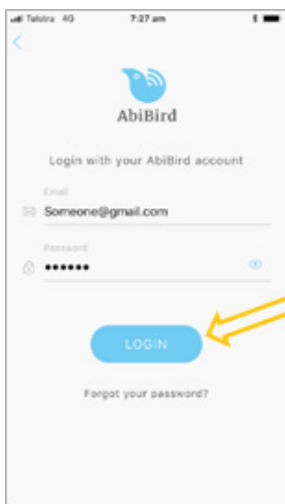
By default a sensor's alert sensitivity is set to 2 hours. That means AbiBird will wait 2 hours before marking activity as unusual (not matching the daily routines you have set).

If you are getting too many false alerts, you can increase this wait time to 3-6 hours. However, if you adjust a sensor's alert sensitivity, you must also modify the sensor's daily routines accordingly (see *Step 3*).

To set a sensor's alert sensitivity, you need to:

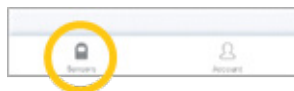
1. Access *Alert Sensitivity* page
2. Adjust number of hours AbiBird should wait
3. Modify daily routines correspondingly

### Step 1: Access Alert Sensitivity page



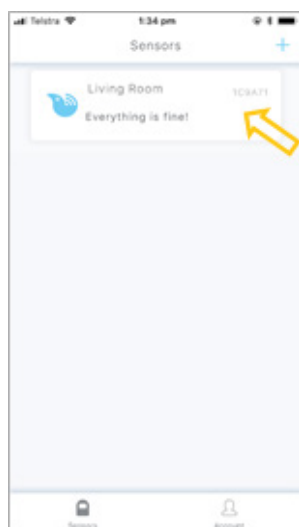
Login to AbiBird with your username (email) and password.  
The *Sensors* menu will open.

**NOTE:** If you are already in the AbiBird app you can access the *Sensors* menu by selecting the **Sensors** icon (bottom left).

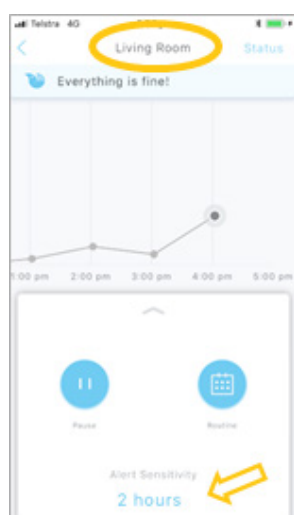




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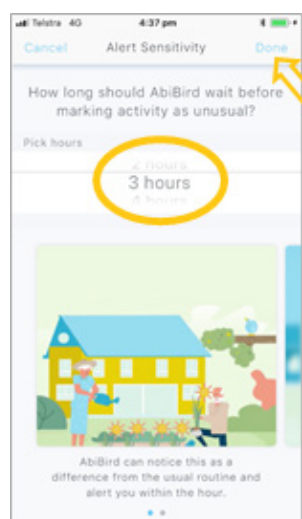
From the *Sensors* menu, select the sensor for which you want to set alert sensitivity.  
The *Sensor* graph page will open.



The *Sensor* graph page has the name of the sensor at the top of the page.

From the panel at the bottom of the *Sensor* graph page, select **Alert Sensitivity**.  
The *Alert Sensitivity* page will open.

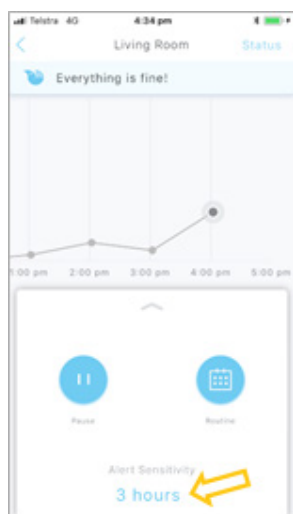
## Step 2: Adjust number of hours AbiBird should wait



On the *Alert Sensitivity* page, scroll to pick 1 to 6 hours as the time AbiBird should wait before marking activity as unusual.  
Select **Done**.  
The *Sensor* graph page will open.



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The *Sensor* graph page shows the alert sensitivity you have set.

### Step 3: Modify daily routines correspondingly

#### IMPORTANT

Whenever you change Alert Sensitivity, you need to modify daily routines.

For every hour you add to Alert Sensitivity, add the corresponding hour to the start and end of the daily routine.

*For example: if the daily routine starts at 6:00am and ends at 9:00pm and you increase the Alert Sensitivity from 2 hours to 3 hours, then you need to increase the routine start by 1 hour, (to 5:00am) and the routine end by 1 hour, (to 10:00pm).*

Conversely, for every hour you remove from Alert Sensitivity, remove the corresponding hour from the start and end of the daily routine.

For how to adjust daily routines, see the guide: *How to Set or Modify Daily Routines*.

### That's it



Alert sensitivity has been adjusted for the sensor.

Working in the app, you have:

- ☒ Adjusted the time AbiBird will wait before marking activity as unusual.
- ☒ Modified the sensor's daily routines to allow for change of alert sensitivity.



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#### **NOTE**

Adjusting alert sensitivity only affects the sensor you select. If you want to adjust alert sensitivity for any of your other sensors, you will need to do each individually.

## **Related Guides**

*[How to Set Up or Modify Daily Routines](#)*

*[How to Add Additional Sensors](#)*

*[How to Set or Change Notification Preferences](#)*

*[How to Pause Sensor Notifications](#)*