
What are the differences between an entry delay event and a dialer delay event?

Entry delay and dialer delay are different and configured separately in the panel.

Entry delay

Entry delay is the time set to allow a user to walk from the entrance of their home to the location of the panel to enter the password and disarm the panel. Normally the length of this delay is set up by the installer in the panel.

Dialer delay

Dialer delay begins as soon as the system goes into full alarm, which occurs immediately after the entry delay timeout. During this time, the audible alarm is activated but no signal is sent to the monitoring station. This helps reduce false alarms when a user mistakenly activates a sensor or does not enter the password to disarm the panel during the time assigned for entry (entry delay).

For more information about dialer delay, see [What does "Pending alarm \(awaiting panel's programmed delay\)" mean?](#)