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ProPocket™

User Guide

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Dear customer,

Your hearing instruments are equipped with wireless technology and can therefore be controlled by your ProPocket™.

These instruction describes how to operate your ProPocket rapidly and easily.

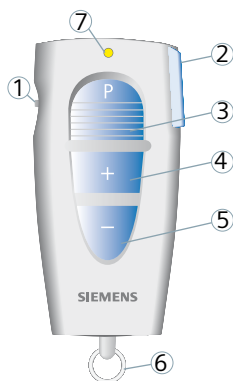
It also provides you with important information on how to handle your instruments.

Your Hearing Care Professional can answer any further questions about instructions and proper use.

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Your ProPocket



The remote control uses two AAAA batteries.

- ① Key lock
- ② On/Off of hearing instruments
- ③ Program change
- ④ Volume up
- ⑤ Volume down
- ⑥ Accessory ring
- ⑦ LED



Clip

The clip allows you to attach the remote control to your belt.



Cover

The cover protects the remote control from damage that can be caused by scratches or water splashes.

It does not make the remote control water-proof!

This remote control is intended to operate hearing instruments.

Hearing instruments are intended to improve the hearing of hearing impaired persons. Diagnosis and prescription of a hearing instrument must be performed by hearing health specialists, e.g. ENT doctors, audiologists or acousticians.

Read and follow the instructions of this user guide to avoid injuries or damage to remote control.

Symbols:

Be aware of information marked with the warning symbol
WARNING, CAUTION or **NOTICE!**



WARNING points out a situation that could lead to serious injuries,
CAUTION indicates a situation that could lead to minor and moderate injuries.

NOTICE

NOTICE indicates possible property damage.



Advice and tips on how to handle your hearing instrument better.



Instruction. Indicates that something has to be done.

NOTICE


The remote control is sensitive to extreme heat, high humidity, strong magnetic fields ($>0.1\text{T}$), X-rays and mechanical stress.

- ▶ Do not expose the remote control to extreme temperature or high humidity.
- ▶ Do not leave it in direct sunlight.
- ▶ Do not immerse it in water.


 **WARNING**

Wireless systems may interfere with measuring devices and electronic equipment.

- ▶ Do not use remote control in hospitals or airplanes.
- ▶ Have the key lock activated in hospitals or airplanes.
- ▶ Prior to use in conjunction with an electronic implant or life supporting system, have the electromagnetic compatibility verified.

 In some countries restrictions for the usage of wireless equipment exist.

- ▶ Refer to local authorities for further information.

 ▶ In case the hearing instrument is controlled by another person's remote control unit (RCU), please return RCU and hearing instrument to your Hearing Care Professional.



WARNING

Risk of interference with cardiac pacemakers.

- ▶ Do not use the remote control if you are fitted with a cardiac pacemaker.



WARNING

Risk in explosive environments, e.g. mining areas!

- ▶ Don't use your hearing instruments and remote control in areas where there is a danger of explosions.


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Safety notes for batteries

NOTICE

Leaking batteries damage the instrument.

- ▶ Remove batteries when the instrument is not in use for a prolonged period of time.

-  ▶ Do not throw used batteries into household trash. Return them to your Hearing Care Professional for environmentally correct disposal.

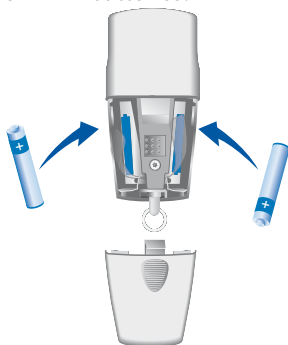
WARNING

Choking hazard posed by small parts.

- ▶ Keep batteries and remote control out of children's reach.
- ▶ If swallowed consult a physician or hospital immediately.

The remote control is powered by two AAAA batteries.

- ▶ Press the rippled part on the cover of the remote control battery compartment to slide it open.
- ▶ Insert two batteries as shown in the picture.
Make sure the polarity symbols on the battery and compartment are aligned.
- ▶ Close the battery compartment.
A click is audible when the battery compartment is fully closed.



The key lock deactivates the buttons on the remote control so that accidentally pressing the buttons will not have any effect.



Lock

- ▶ Slide the control over so the green section is covered.
The key lock is activated.
When pressing a button the LED blinks 3 times to indicate that the key lock is activated.



Unlock

- ▶ Slide the control to the other direction, so the green section shows.
The key lock is deactivated.
The remote control works and the LED blinks only once when pressing a button.

i ▶ Make sure the distance between your remote control and hearing instrument does not exceed 40 inches (1 meter).

▶ If you are wearing two hearing instruments, both instruments will be turned on/ off at the same time.


▶ Press the On/Off button to turn your hearing instruments on.

▶ Press the On/Off button to turn your hearing instruments off.



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Adjusting the volume

-  ▶ Make sure the distance between your remote control and hearing instrument does not exceed 40 inches (1 meter).
- ▶ If you are wearing two hearing instruments, the volume will be changed on both instruments at the same time.



- ▶ Press the "Volume up" (+) button to increase the volume of your hearing instruments.



- ▶ Press the "Volume down" (-) button to decrease the volume of your hearing instruments.

Your Hearing Care Professional can activate acoustic signals to indicate when the volume has been changed and when the volume limit has been reached.

- i** ▶ Make sure the distance between your remote control and hearing instrument does not exceed 40 inches (1 meter).
- ▶ If you are wearing two hearing instruments, the program will be changed on both instruments at the same time.

Each time you press the program button, your hearing instruments switch to the next program, confirming each change with an acoustic signal.



Example

The hearing instruments are in program 1. You want to change to program 2.

- ▶ Press the program button once.

You hear an acoustic signal. You are now in program 2.


Your Hearing Care Professional can deactivate the acoustic signals to indicate when the program has been changed.

Protection

- ▶ Use the "cover" (see "Accessories" section) to protect against accidental drips or splashes when you go near water such as a sink.

Cleaning

NOTICE

- ▶ Do NOT put your remote control in water! The cover does NOT make your remote control waterproof.
 - ▶ Do NOT clean your remote control with alcohol or benzine.
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- ▶ Clean the remote control as necessary with a soft tissue.
 - ▶ Avoid abrasive cleaning liquids with additives such as citronid aids, ammonia, etc.

Problem	Possible solution
The remote control does not work	Deactivate the key lock. Replace empty batteries. Move away from electro-magnetic noise sources.
Another remote control affects your hearing instruments	Return remote control and hearing instruments to your Hearing Care Professional.
Feedback or loud noise occurs	The function of the wireless link might be affected by a nearby electromagnetic source, such as computer monitors. Keep an appropriate distance from these sources.

If you still encounter problems after trying these suggestions, consult your Hearing Care Professional.

Operating frequency: $F_c=3.28$ MHz

Maximum field strength @ 10m: -7 dB μ A/m

Maximum field strength @ 30m: 28.5 dB μ V/m

CE, FCC and IC compliance information can be found inside the battery compartment.

This Class B digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003.

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules and with RSS-210 of Industry Canada.

Operation is subject to the following conditions:

- (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and
- (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the users authority to operate the equipment.

FCC ID: SGI-WL101


IC: 267AB-WL101

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

Within the European Union, the marked equipment is covered by "Directive 2002/96/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 January 2003 on waste electrical and electronic equipment. Amended by Directive 2003/108/EC" (WEEE).



 ► Recycle your hearing instruments and remote control according to national regulations.

For disposal within the EU please send device to the following address:

United Kingdom	Malta	Ireland
Siemens	Charles de Giorgio LTD	Howth Junction
Hearing Instruments	39-40 South Street	Business Center
Newton Road	Valetta CMR 01	Kilbarrack
Crawley RH109TT	P.O.Box 374	5 Dublin

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