

WORRIED ABOUT DISTRACTED DRIVING? THERE'S AN APP FOR THAT!

Phone apps let you control when, where and how drivers use their cell phone

Application, Price, and Compatibility	Application Features
Safe Drive (by Murri) - \$0.99. Compatible with iOS devices.	Prevents drivers from using their phone for texting or outgoing calls when going over 10 mph. Allows incoming calls and emergency calls. Has usage log to allow parents to check that app was running during a specific time when the teen was behind the wheel.
Otter - Ranges from \$1.99 - 3.99/ month. Compatible with Android (free), Blackberry, and Nokia.	App must be turned on prior to each driving session. Incoming texts held until 6 minutes after car has stopped. When vehicle moving, calls are set to silent. www.otterapp.com
Sprint Drive First - \$2/ month. Available for Android phones.	App activated when vehicle reaches 10mph. Calls sent to voicemail. Calls, texts and email prevented when vehicle in motion. Specified apps, phone numbers, and 911 can still be used. Parents alerted if app deactivated. https://drivefirst.sprint.com
T-Mobile DriveSmart - \$4.99/ month for full version. Compatible with LG Optimus T, T-Mobile Sidekick, some Samsung devices, and other devices via Google Play.	App automatically enabled when car in motion. Incoming calls sent to voicemail. Incoming texts sent automated reply. Driver able to dial emergency numbers. Parents notified if app is overridden. www.t-mobile.com/
txtblocker - \$6.99/ month. Compatible with Blackberry and droid.	Phone use restricted by location. Phone cannot be used in pre-established "no-call zones." Also has ability to track phone and monitor driving speeds. Pre-selected numbers and 911 are exempt. www.txtblocker.com
SafeTexting - Free. Available on Blackberry and Android.	App must be turned on prior to each driving session. Phone use disabled when driving over 10mph. Incoming texts receive automatic reply. Emergency calls can always be made. www.safetextingcampaign.com
Key2SafeDriving - One-time purchase of \$99.99. Available for Blackberry and Android phones.	App automatically activated when vehicle in motion. Incoming calls sent to voicemail. Incoming texts sent automated reply. Two selected numbers and 911 may be dialed anytime. Any number can be called if using hands-free device. If app overridden, parents are notified. http://www.key2safedriving.net/
AT&T DriveMode - App itself is free, but fee incurred for each automated reply. Available with AT&T service.	App automatically enabled when vehicle reaches 25mph. Incoming calls, texts and emails sent automatic reply. Incoming/ outgoing calls allowed from specified numbers and 911. System can be manually turned off. Function disables when vehicle stays under 25mph for at least 5 minutes. www.att.com/gen/press-room?pid=2964
Drive Safe Mode - \$1.99/ month. Compatible with iPhone.	App alerts parent via email if teen driver uses text, call, or email function while vehicle is in motion. Parent must enter their OWN email address to get alerts. Parents also alerted if app is overridden. https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/drive-safe-mode/id491938115?mt=8

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