

Parental Controls



Digital Television has an optional set of Parental Controls that allow filtering of undesirable content from household viewing. Each show, movie or event has ratings that appear in the GUIDE. At your discretion, you may allow or block certain rating types from being viewed in your home. All Parental controls can temporarily be suspended by going to MENU < Parental Lock and enter password to unlock parental controls

1. Under the MENU go to SETTINGS
(Password defaults to "0" until reset by user)

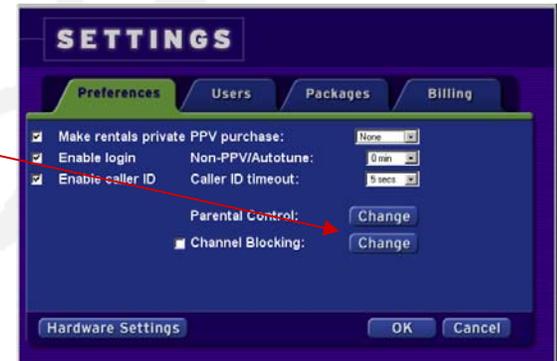
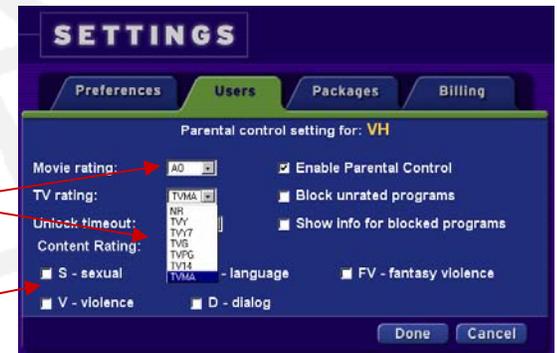
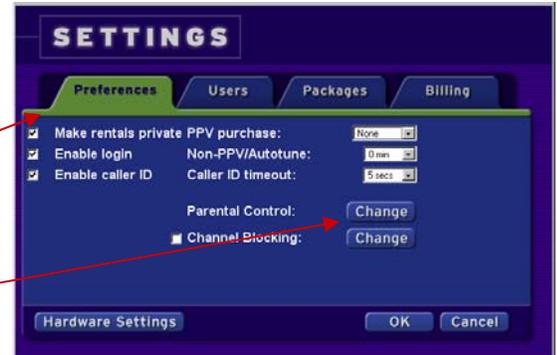
2. The SETTINGS menu will default to the PREFERENCES tab. This will allow changes to the Primary User. (To adjust sub-users, go to the USERS tab of the SETTINGS menu)

3. Go to the PARENTAL CONTROL button at the bottom of the screen.

4. The PARENTAL CONTROL button will bring you to the screen where you can select your desired settings.

5. Content may be restricted by movie rating (G-AO) or television rating (TV-Y to TV-MA).

6. Content can be further restricted by selecting content ratings (S,V,L,D,FV) at the bottom of the screen. This will prevent any programs with a selected sub-rating from being able to be viewed, unless PARENTAL CONTROLS are unlocked.



Note – Under the Preferences Tab in the Settings menu an entire channel's programming can be blocked by going to Change Channel Blocking. Also multiple users can each have different Parental Control Settings.

To Change Accounts While Watching DTV

Depress the blue 'Menu' button, and Arrow right until you see 'Sign Out.' Press OK, and sign in under preferred account by entering the password and pressing the 'Enter' button.

TV Rating	Description
TV-Y	All Children
TV-Y7	Directed to older children
TV-G	General Audience
TV-PG	Parental Guidance Suggested
TV-14	Parents Strongly Cautioned
TV-MA	Mature Audiences Only

Television program ratings are regulated by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC). See their website for additional information on ratings:
http://www.fcc.gov/parents/parent_guide.html

Movie Rating	Description
G	General Audiences
PG	Parental Guidance Suggested
PG-13	Parents Strongly Cautioned
R	Restricted
NC-17	No One 17 and Under Admitted
AO	Adult Oriented

Movie Ratings are managed by the Motion Picture Association of America. More information can be found at: http://www.mpa.org/FilmRat_Ratings.asp