

# Guide to eKeys

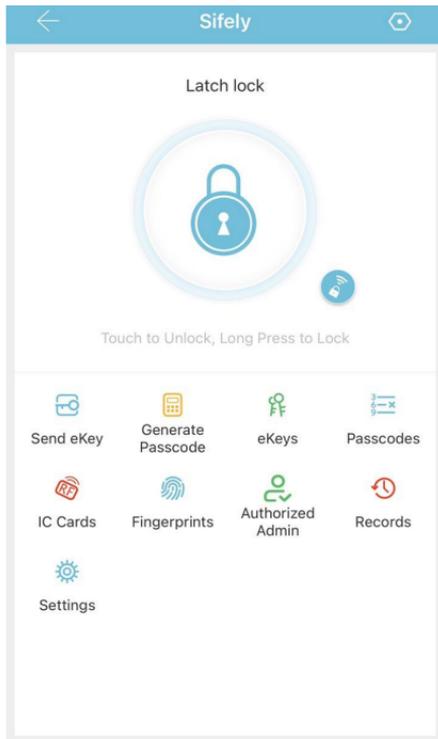
eKeys are a great way to share access of your Sifely Smart lock with other people!

## How do eKeys work?

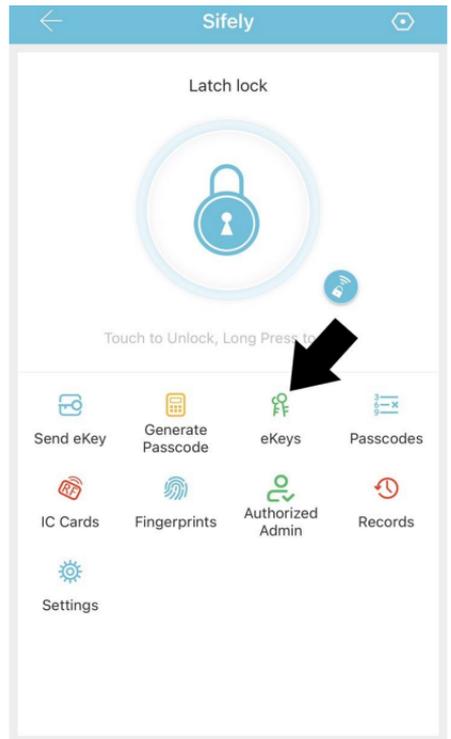
eKeys work by sharing app access of your lock with another Sifely Smart Lock account.

## How to send an eKey

Step 1: Go into your lock page

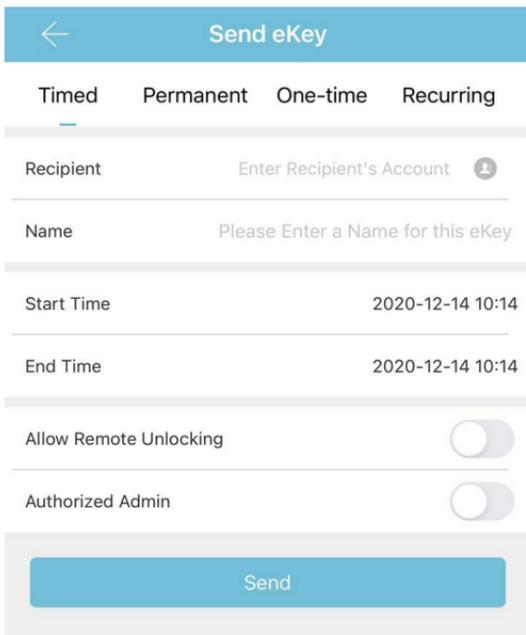
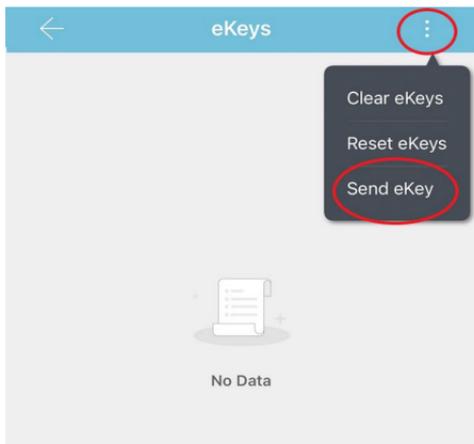


Step 2: Tap on "eKey"



Step 2a: Tap on the 3 dots in the top right corner and tap on "Send eKey"

Step 3: Choose eKey Type



## eKey Types

Timed	eKey lasts only between Start Time and End Time.
Permanent	eKey will last until it is deleted.
One-Time	eKey lasts for 1 hour and allows for one unlock or lock.
Recurring	eKey is only available during a schedule for set period of days.

## Step 3a: Choose eKey Permissions

### What are eKey Permissions?

eKey permissions are different levels of access for your lock.

**Basic eKeys** allow the recipient to only unlock and lock the lock with the button in the app

With **Authorized Admin** turned on, the recipient can do the following:

- Unlock/ lock via the app.
- Generate, Edit, Delete passcodes, IC cards, & fingerprints.
- Adjust settings like passage mode, auto-lock timer, & turn on/off the lock sound.

With **Allow Remotely Unlocking** turned on, the recipient can do the following:

- If a gateway is set up and connected to the lock, they will be able to remote unlock/lock.

The screenshot shows the 'Send eKey' interface. At the top is a blue header with a back arrow and the text 'Send eKey'. Below the header are four tabs: 'Timed', 'Permanent', 'One-time', and 'Recurring'. The 'Timed' tab is selected. The form contains the following fields:

- Recipient: Enter Recipient's Account (with a user icon)
- Name: Please Enter a Name for this eKey
- Start Time: 2020-12-14 10:14
- End Time: 2020-12-14 10:14
- Allow Remote Unlocking:
- Authorized Admin:

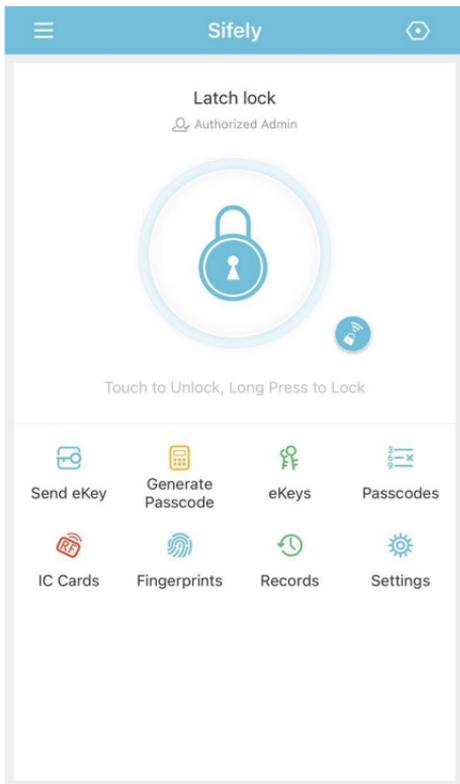
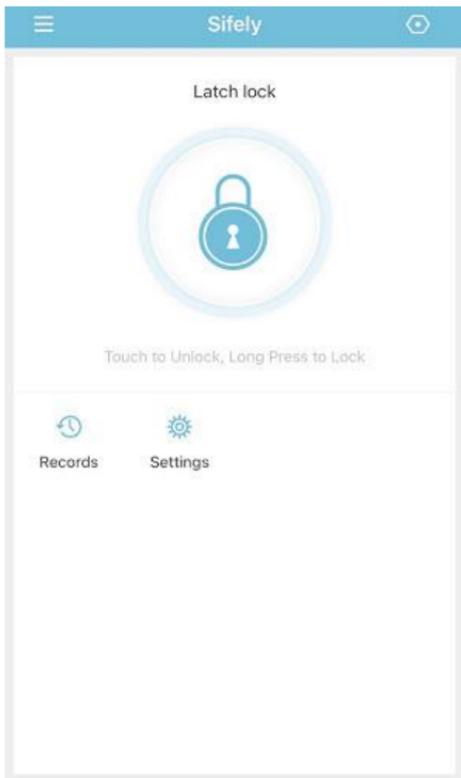
A blue 'Send' button is at the bottom. A black box highlights the 'Allow Remote Unlocking' and 'Authorized Admin' toggle switches.

# Step 3a: Choose eKey Permissions (Cont'd)

Here are examples of what a recipient may see

### Basic eKey

### Authorized Admin eKey



(Step 4 on next page)

## Step 4: Enter recipient's username

It is highly recommended that the recipient register for a Sifely App account first.

For “Name”, choose what you want the eKey to be called to be able to identify it easier.

Once, the recipient has registered an account, you will enter their username which is found on the Recipient's Setting Page into the field space in the “Send eKey” menu.

Example: If recipient used the phone number (555)555-5555 to register their account, you would enter +15555555555 as recipient.

Send eKey

Timed Permanent One-time Recurring

Recipient +1 [Redacted]

Name Bill

Allow Remote Unlocking

Authorized Admin

Send

### Recipient's Setting Page

Account: [Redacted]

+ Add Lock

Gateway

Messages

Customer Service

Settings

## Step 5: Send eKey

Once entered all the information for your eKey, Tap on “Send”.

If the recipient’s username was entered correctly, you will see this pop up.

Send eKey

Timed Permanent One-time Recurring

Recipient Enter Recipient's Account

Name Please Enter a Name for this eKey

Allow Remote Unlocking

Authorized Admin

Send

eKey sent successfully

Going to the eKey menu, the eKeys that you have sent will be displayed here.

eKeys

Bill

2020.12.14 10:19 Permanent

Pending...

**Pending...** means that the recipient has not opened up their app yet.

eKey Info

Name Bill

Validity Period Permanent

Recipient +1 [REDACTED]

Issued by [REDACTED]

Time Issued 2021-01-04 11:17:31

Records

Delete

You can Deauthorize or Freeze eKey.

You can check the eKey activity.

# Potential Scenarios and Suggested eKey uses

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**Scenario 1:** You own rental properties and want to outfit them with Sifely Smart Locks. Your tenants are medium to long term.

Suggested Set up: Send Timed or Permanent eKey to tenants with Authorized Admin enabled.

**Scenario 2:** You are a homeowner who has other family members that need more robust access options.

Suggested Set up: Send Permanent eKey to family members with Authorized Admin enabled. If the lock has a Sifely Gateway associated with it, turn on Allow Remote Unlock.

**Scenario 3:** Your property needs servicing every so often. A maintenance person needs to be able to access your property.

Suggested Set up: Send Timed, Recurring, or Permanent eKey to maintenance with Basic eKey permissions.

Got anymore questions? Feel free to reach out to us as [cs@sifely.com](mailto:cs@sifely.com)