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Time Clock App

Marketing Blog — clock in with the phone already in your pocket.

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The time clock moves into your pocket

Every store has a spot where the day starts: the staff door, the break room, the back office. Until now, clocking in there meant a shared tablet, a list of names and a PIN. It works, but it means buying and mounting a device, and it means trusting that the person who typed a PIN is the person it belongs to.

The Indition Time Clock app changes that. Put a small tag on the wall. Staff hold their own phone to it, confirm it is them with Face ID or their fingerprint, and tap **Clock In**. That's it.

Who, and where

A time clock only earns its keep if you can trust it. The app checks two things on every punch.

It is really them. The app keeps each person's sign-in behind their phone's Face ID, fingerprint or passcode, and asks for it every time. A co-worker cannot pick up someone's phone and clock them in.

They are really there. The tags are secure NFC chips. Each time a phone touches one, it produces a brand-new code that works exactly once. A photo of the tag won't clock anyone in from the car park, and neither will a copied link or a replayed tap.

Nothing new to learn

Staff sign in once with the username and password they already use for the register. Managers keep working in the same time clock they know: the same timesheets, break rules, overtime, payroll hours and exports. Punches from the app sit right next to punches from the station, and each one records which tag it came from.

Stations don't go away. Anyone without a suitable phone keeps using a PIN, and the two work side by side.

Set up in minutes

A Time Clock Admin opens the app, taps **Set Up a Tag**, names it ("Back door"), picks the location, and holds the phone to a blank tag for a few seconds. Your system writes the tag's own keys, which never leave your system. Stick the tag on the wall and you're done. Tags cost well under a dollar each, need no power and no Wi-Fi, and last for years.

In control

From the admin, **Tags & Phones** shows every tag and every phone signed in. Switch a tag off, move it, or retire it. If a phone is lost or someone leaves, sign that phone out with one click. Refused taps and failed sign-ins show up where you already look for them.

Or put a tablet on the wall

Not everyone wants to use their own phone, and some stores would rather have one time clock at the door. The same app turns an iPad or Android tablet into a station: staff tap their name, enter their PIN, and they're done. A manager sets it up once from the tablet, and it runs on its own from then on, screen awake and ready for the next shift change. No computer, no browser to babysit.

Get started

Switch on **Clock In With a Phone at an NFC Tag** in your time clock settings, order a few blank NXP NTAG 424 DNA tags, and download **Indition Time Clock** for iPhone or Android. Or install it on a tablet by the staff door. Your team will be clocking in the same day.