



SET-UP GUIDE FOR TIVO

- Interactive On-screen Channel Guide
- DVR—to record your favorite shows
- Internet TV—YouTube, Netflix, Vudu and more

It is recommended to have someone at the facility or a family member assist with this.

Step 1: Purchase a TiVo device from www.tivo.com or Best Buy, Amazon, etc... There are various models available. TiVo **Roamio**, **Roamio OTA**, **BOLT VOX**, and **Edge for Cable** will work. This works only with an all-digital system, and will not work with analog channels. Cost is approximately \$99.00 up with a DVR service fee: \$ 14.99/mo. Optional 1x lifetime subscriptions are available.

Step 2: Have your property Administrator contact their satellite/cable TV provider to have your channel line-up listed with TiVo in advance. Please allow 48 hours for this to occur.

Step 3: Connect your TiVo unit. A coax cable from the wall outlet attaches to the TiVo “cable in.” A HDMI cable then connects the TiVo to your digital TV at HDMI1 input. An Internet connection is required — either hardwired or wireless. If you are using Wi-Fi, you will need to know your password.

Step 4: Install the TiVo per “Guided Set-up” instructions. Follow directions on the screen.

Step 5: Select the programming source as “Cable TV Only”

Step 6: There is a menu choice that says:

- X_ I will get an M-card later. (Choose this option)**
- Yes, I have an M-card now.
- I do not plan to use an M-card.

Important: If you call the TiVo help line, the helpline may incorrectly tell you that a cable card is needed. This is not true. The SeniorTV cable system does not require use of a cable card.

Step 7: Name this DVR— put in your name: such as “Bob Smith”

Step 8: Choose your cable provider: Select the name of your building, not the local cable company.

Step 9: Scan your channels to store them into memory of TiVo.

- a) Press the **TiVo** button on your remote to bring up the **TiVo Central** screen
- b) Scroll to **Messages and Settings** and press **Select** on your remote
- c) Select **Settings**
- d) Select **Channels**
- e) Select **Channel Scan**
- f) Select **Scan for Channels**

Step 10: Configuring other services. TiVo is an easy way to access other internet TV services. You may set up the other services you may have accounts with such as Netflix etc. These services are not included with TiVo and a separate subscription is needed. With Netflix for example, you can have ready access to a nearly unlimited number of movies and older series TV shows for about \$10.00 per month.

Step 11: After setting up your TiVo, and you wish to access the on-screen guide press “**Watch Live TV**” and press the “**Guide**” button on the remote control.

Compatible models of TiVo: TiVo “Bolt”, “Bolt OTA”, and “Edge for antenna” are not compatible. “BOLT VOX” is compatible. “Bolt” will not work with this in-the-clear cable system regardless of what the sales person at a store may say. You must use “Roamio”, “Roamio OTA”, “BOLT VOX”, or “Edge for Cable”.

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