

ClearSounds® A50E Amplified Cordless Expandable Handset

QUICK OPERATING GUIDE

This quick Operating Guide will help you get started with your new **ClearSounds A50E**. For additional installation options and complete instructions which allow you to use all features of this phone, refer to your Installation Guide and User Manual.

Need help? Call (800) 965-9043

INSTALLATION

Setting Up the Base Unit

1. Install the AC adapter. USE ONLY with the ClearSounds AC Adapter provided.
2. Place the handset in the base after following the Battery Installation directions that follow.

Battery Installation

Before using the telephone, charge the batteries for 24 hours.

1. Slide the battery compartment open.
2. Insert three new AAA Ni-MH rechargeable batteries (provided) following the polarity marking in the battery compartment.
3. Replace the battery cover.
4. Place handset on the base. The unit beeps once and the battery charge indicator lights up.

IMPORTANT! Only use AAA NiMH rechargeable batteries. DO NOT USE REGULAR ALKALINE OR CARBON BATTERIES.

HANDSET REGISTRATION

The following steps are for registration of 1 or 2 additional A50E handsets.

1. Begin with handsets fully charged for 24 hours. It is recommended to have all handsets next to the A55 main base.

2. Your **A55 handset** should show **HS-1** on the LCD. (Make sure the A55 is connected into the AC outlet and phone jack.)
3. Remove all handsets from charging bases.
4. Press and hold the “● / **PAGE**” button on the main base during the whole registration process without letting go.
5. At the same time, with your other hand, press and hold the “**CH**” button on the **A55 handset** until you hear 3 quick confirmation beeps. The display should show **HS-1** on the LCD.
6. Immediately move to the next handset, remembering not to let go of the “**PAGE**” button. Press and hold the “**CH**” button on the 2nd handset until you hear 3 quick confirmation beeps. The display should show **HS-2** on the LCD.
7. Repeat for the 3rd handset if applicable. The display should show **HS-3** on the LCD.
8. Release the “● / **PAGE**” button.
9. You should now have a dial tone on all the handset.

NOTE: You may need to repeat this process should you purchase an additional handset at another time.

RINGER

Your cordless handset is preset with the ringer turned **ON**. If you prefer to turn OFF the handset ringer:

1. Press the “**SEL**” button once then the LCD display will show **PROGRAM**.
2. Press the “**3**” key, then the LCD display will show **RINGER ON**.
3. Press the arrow **UP** or **DOWN** to select OFF.
4. Press the “**SEL**” button once to confirm and exit.

NOTE: If the handset ringer is set to OFF, the visual ringer will flash to indicate there is an incoming call.

USING THE VIBRATION SETTING ON THE HANDSET

The vibration call alert feature notifies you of incoming calls by making the handset vibrate.

1. To turn **ON** the handset vibrate mode, select the TOP position on the **SHAKING** switch located below the **"AMPLIFY"** button.

PROGRAMMING PHONE BOOK

For frequently dialed numbers:

1. Begin by entering a phone number as you would dial it.
2. Press the **"MEMO"** button once and then the LCD will show NAME.
3. Enter the name using the corresponding letters on the keypad. i.e.: Press the 2 key once for A, twice for B and 3 times for C. Use the 1 key to insert a space between the name.
4. Press the **"MEMO"** button to confirm and a confirmation beep will sound.

TELEPHONE OPERATION

Make A Call

1. Press the **"TALK"** button.
2. Dial the number or select one of the phonebook entries.
3. To end the call, press the **"TALK"** button to hang up.

Answer A Call

1. By picking up the A50E Expandable handset from its base, it will automatically answer the call. (Note: If you press **"TALK"** it will disconnect the call.)

-or-

2. Press the **"TALK"** button to answer when the handset is off the base.
3. To end the call, press the **"TALK"** button to hang up.

AMPLIFICATION

1. While connected, press the **AMPLIFY** button.
2. If necessary, slide the **VOLUME & TONE** to best suit your hearing.
3. The amplifier will turn off when you hang up.
4. For the auto-amplify / volume reset override feature, see pages 8-9 in the A55 manual.

CALLER ID

In order to utilize the Caller ID feature, you must subscribe to Caller ID service through your local phone company.

To Review Call History

1. Press the arrow **UP** or **DOWN** button once to display the total number of Caller ID numbers.
2. Use the arrow **UP** or **DOWN** button to scroll through the caller list.
3. After 30 seconds, it will go back to standby.

To Remove A Specific Call Record

1. Press the arrow **UP** or **DOWN** button once to display the total number of Caller ID numbers.
2. Use the arrow **UP** or **DOWN** button to scroll through the caller list to select the Caller ID number to be deleted.
3. Press the **"F"** button twice to delete the single Caller ID number.

To Remove All Call Records

1. Press the arrow **UP** or **DOWN** button once to display the total number of Caller ID numbers.
2. Press the **"F"** button twice to delete all of the Caller ID numbers.

06-25-08