Configuring Standard Auto Attendant Menus and Schedules

You should now begin configuring your Standard Auto Attendant menu(s) and schedules.

Select either the Business Hours Menu tab or, if you are using a single menu, the Standard Auto Attendant Menu tab.

First, set up your Standard Auto Attendant by recording the initial greeting.

If you are using the Dial By Extension option, you should ensure that this initial greeting includes the option for a caller to dial an extension immediately if they know the extension number of the person or department they want to reach.

Select the record option on the lower right of the screen. This launches the announcement recorder, where you can either record an announcement, or upload a pre-recorded announcement.

Once you have recorded or uploaded your initial greeting, you can return to the Menu tab.

Now you are ready to define the specific menu items as defined in your plan to one of the following options.

- Play Announcement
- Transfer to Phone
- Transfer to Voicemail
- Dial by Extension
- Dial by Name

If you are using a different menu for non-business hours, you should now set up the initial recording and configure the menu options on the Non-Business Hours Menu tab.

Next you will need to establish your working hours by selecting the Schedule Once in the Schedule screen, click on the Business Hours key and then click in the calendar and while holding down the left mouse button drag the mouse across the calendar to indicate the business hours. In the example below, the business hours are Monday – Friday from 9:00 am until 5:00 pm. Any other time are considered non-working hours.

Line Status

| Main | Schedule | Business Hours Menu | Non-Business Hours Menu | Extensions |

Apply Cancel

Configure your business hours by clicking on the appropriate cells in the grid. Click and drag to select multiple cells.

| | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat | Sun | Special Days |

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Special Days

Configure days when your normal weekly schedule does not apply, for example holidays. On these days, your non-business hours menu will be played all day.

Zoom In

Key: Business Hours   Non-Business Hours

Next you will need to select any non-working days such as holidays by clicking on the calendar icon in the Special Days section of the Schedule page. You can choose individual non-working days by clicking on the date in the calendar, or you can use the Choose Public Holidays option to automatically add public holidays for your region.

Configure days that will be your special days.

During special days, your Non-Business Hours menu will be active.

Click a date on the calendar to make it a special day, or click an existing special day to make it normal again. You can also click and drag to change several days at once.

March 2020

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April 2020

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May 2020

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Go To Today   Clear All   Add Public Holidays   OK   Cancel