

How to lock apps on iPhone without jailbreak

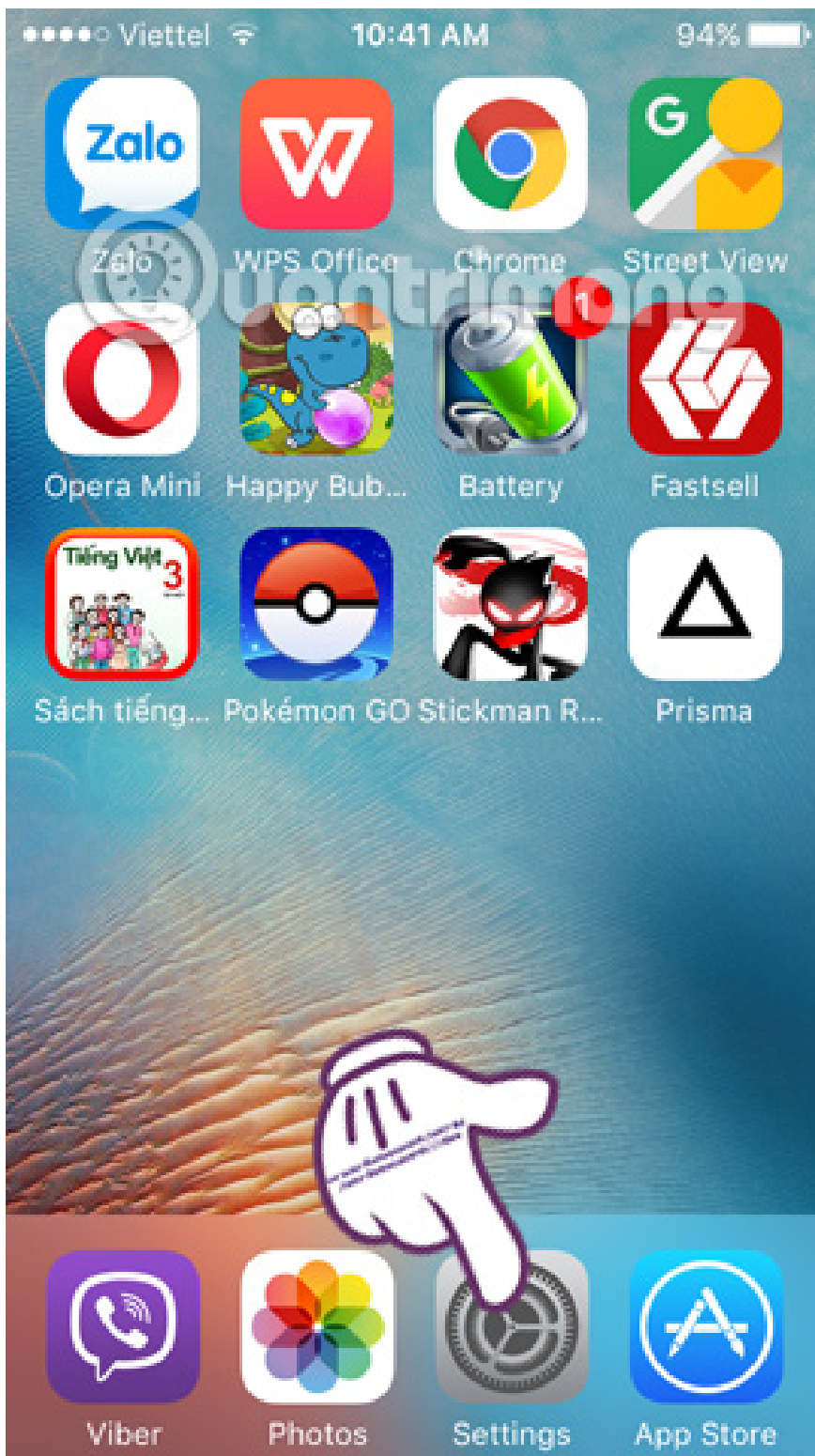
Securing personal information on iPhone is something everyone cares about. There are many cases where other people borrow your phone and work on Facebook, messages, pictures, etc. So how to limit other people to open your application on the phone.

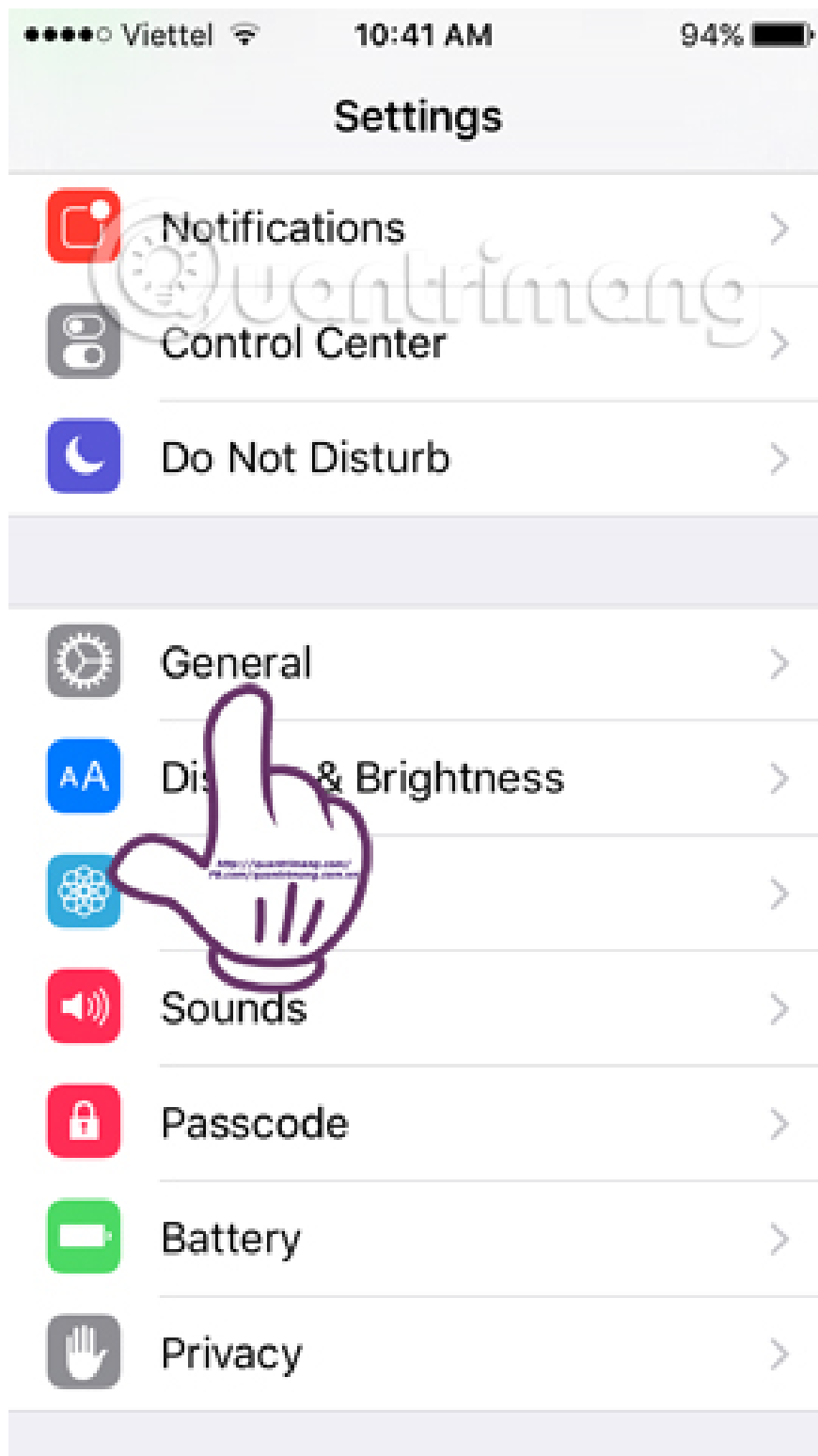
Apple AppStore are famous for high security issues. However, the application on your device can completely be mischievous like Facebook, read Mail, messages, etc. This will not be wanted when all of your personal information is stolen like so. To be able to solve this problem the only way is to lock the application on the iPhone to prevent others from using it.

In the article below, Network Administrator will introduce you to how to lock an application on iPhone without jailbreaking, or installing some support application. We can do this by changing the settings right on the device, setting a secure password for any application you want.

Step 1:

In the iPhone interface, click the **Settings** item and then select **General** .





Step 2:

In the General interface, scroll down and select **Accessibility** . At **Leaning** (Learn), we click on **Guided Access** (Access is instructed).

< Settings

General

Siri >

Spotlight Search >

Handoff & Suggested Apps >

Accessibility >

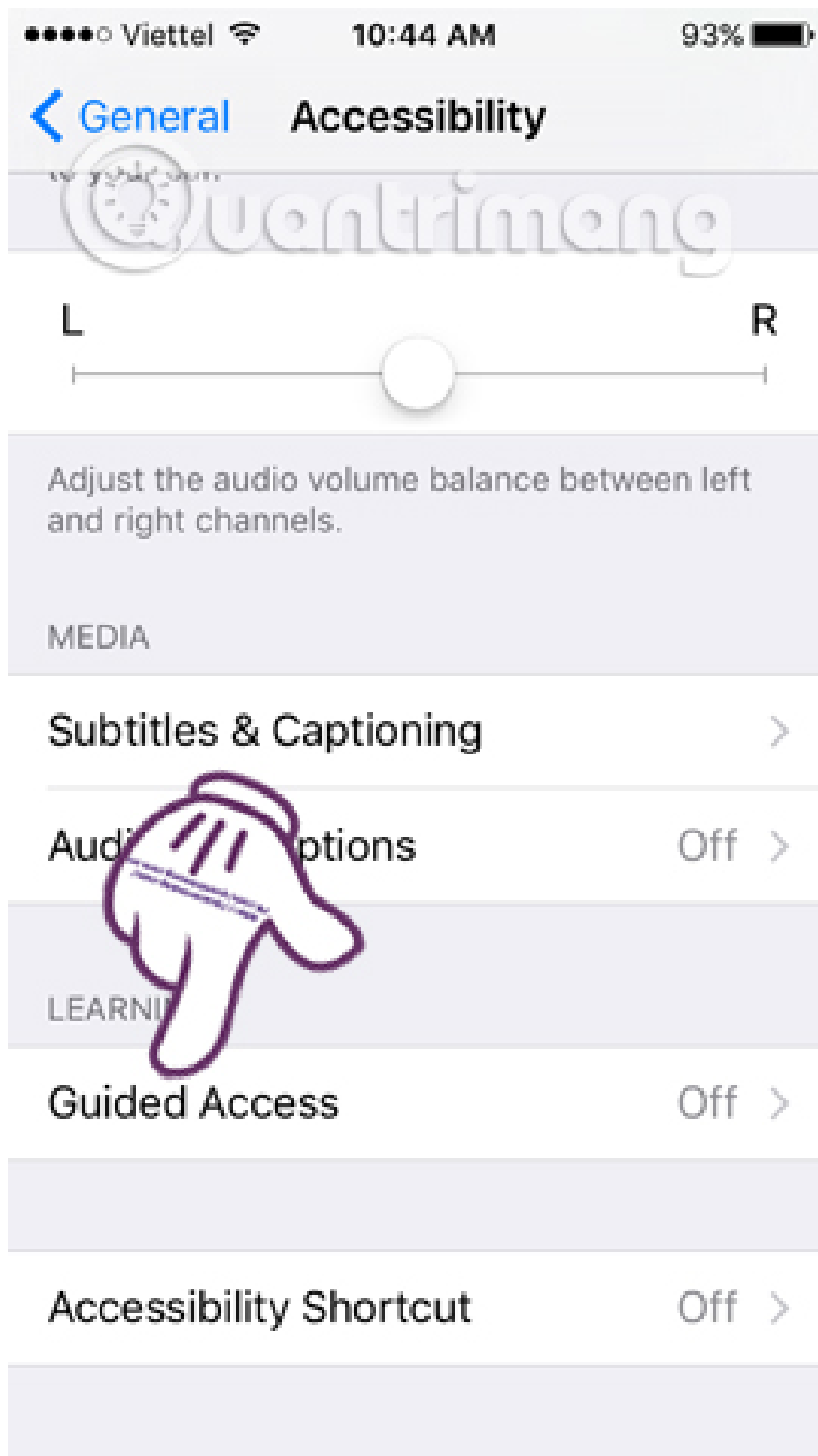
Screen Time & Cloud Usage >

Background App Refresh >

Auto-Lock 1 Minute >

Restrictions Off >





Step 3:

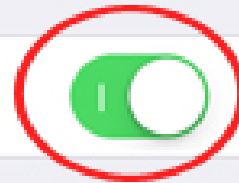
Here, we will enable this mode when we **push the horizontal bar to the right** . Also in the Guided Access interface, click the **Passcode Settings** item.

Click **Set Guided Access Passcode** and **enter the password** for the application that wants to lock.

< Accessibility Guided Access

Guided Access

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Guided Access keeps the iPhone in a single app, so you can control which features are available. To start Guided Access, Triple-Click the Home button in the app you want to use.



Passcode Settings

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Time Limits



Accessibility Shortcut



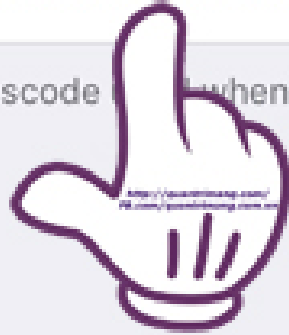
When you Triple-Click the Home button while Guided Access is enabled, your Accessibility Shortcut settings will be displayed.

< Guided Access Passcode Settings



Set Guided Access Passcode

Set the passcode when Guided Access is enabled.

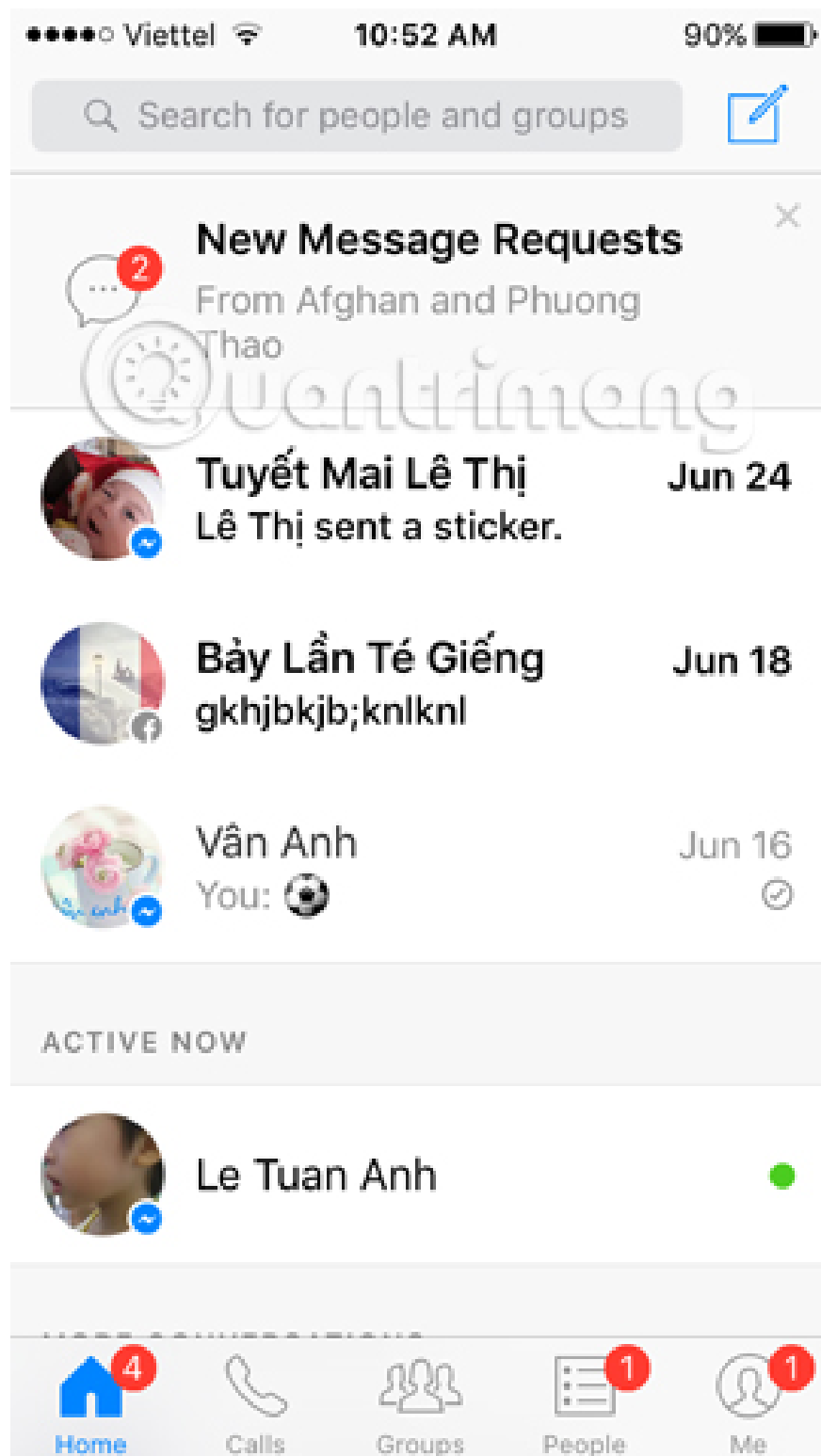




Note , the device will ask you to enter the password twice to make sure the user has entered the correct password.

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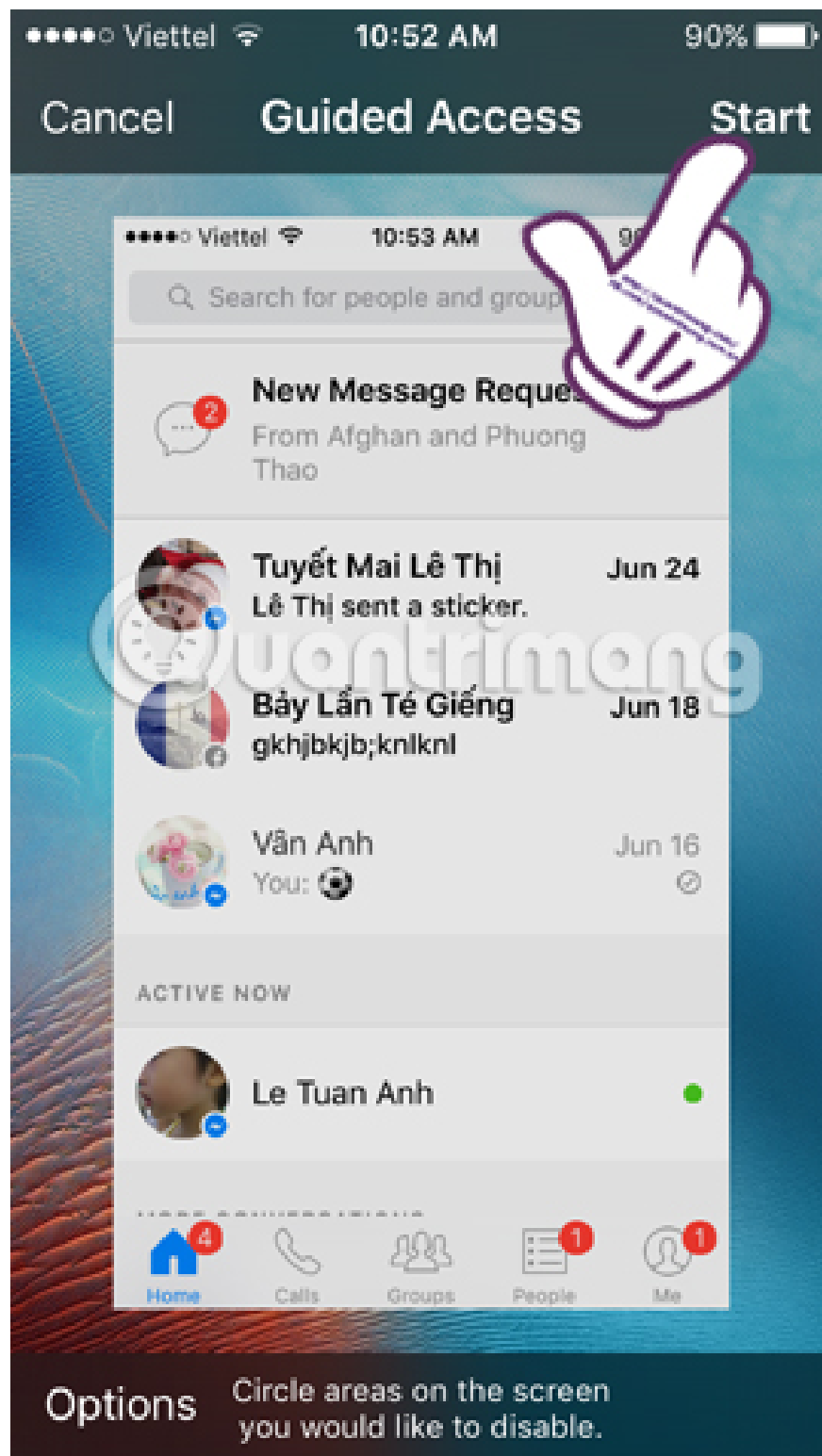
You exit the main interface of the iPhone. Then select any application on the device that needs to be secured, be it mail, Facebook, messages, pictures, etc. For example, I choose Facebook Messenger application.



Step 5:

Next, **press the Home button 3 times in a row** and appear Guided Access interface. We click **Start** to proceed. Now you have to identify areas where you don't want others to touch. Or will **cut off all applications** to lock the whole.

Use **the 4-corner circle button to drag** the zoning size . When the area is complete, click Continue.





Step 6:

We enter the set password . Verify the password again to confirm the zoning lock on the application.

Set Passcode

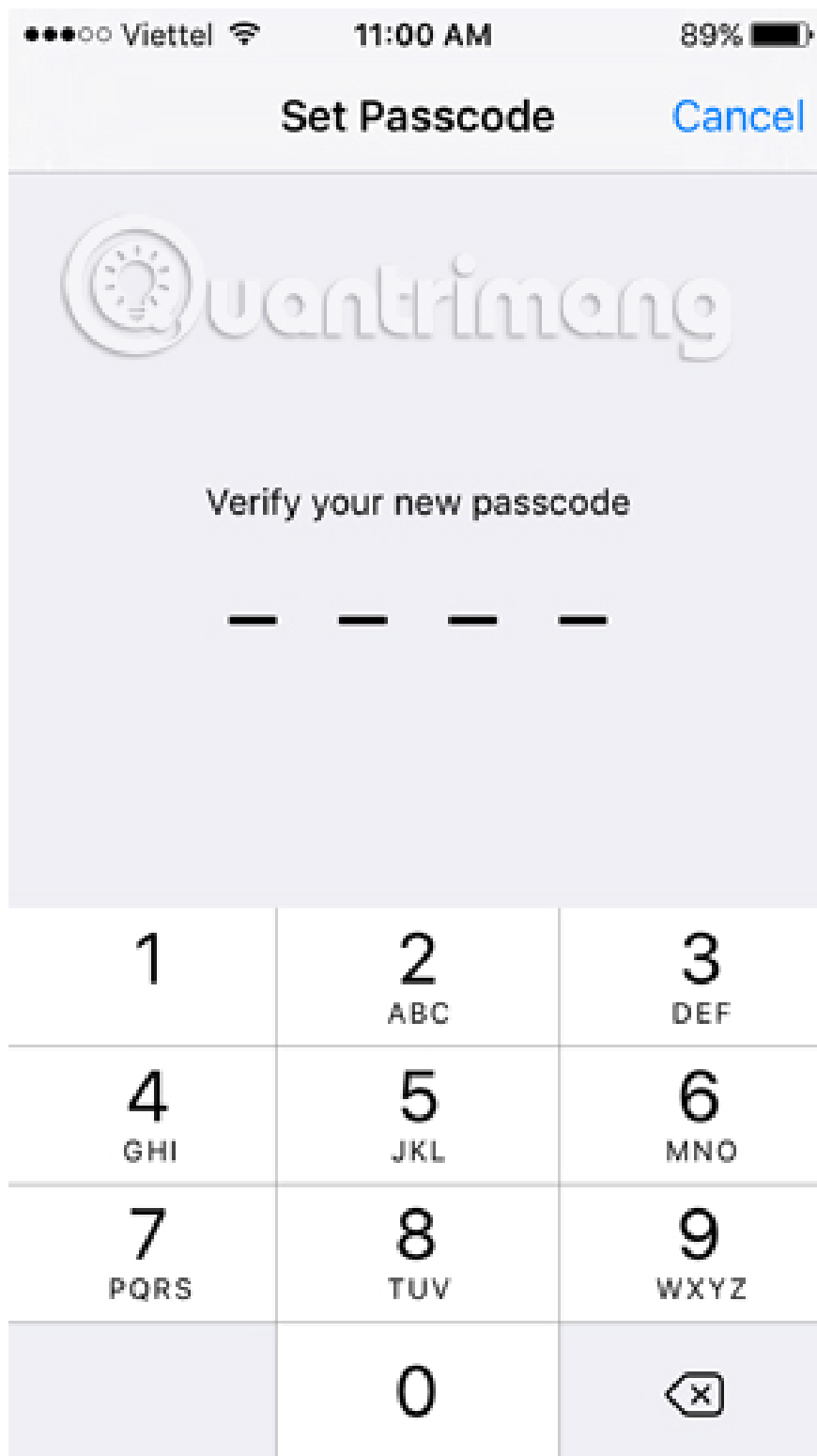
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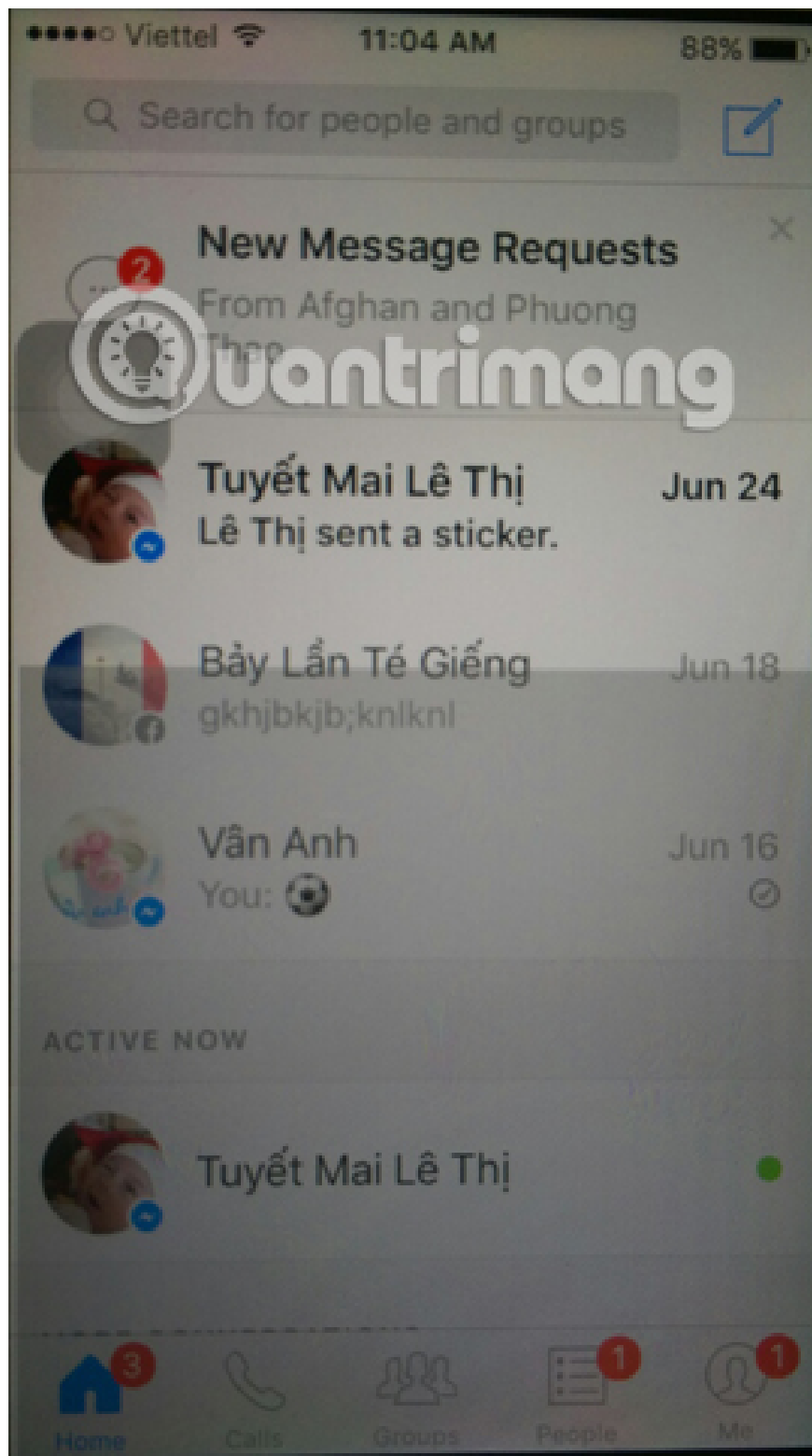
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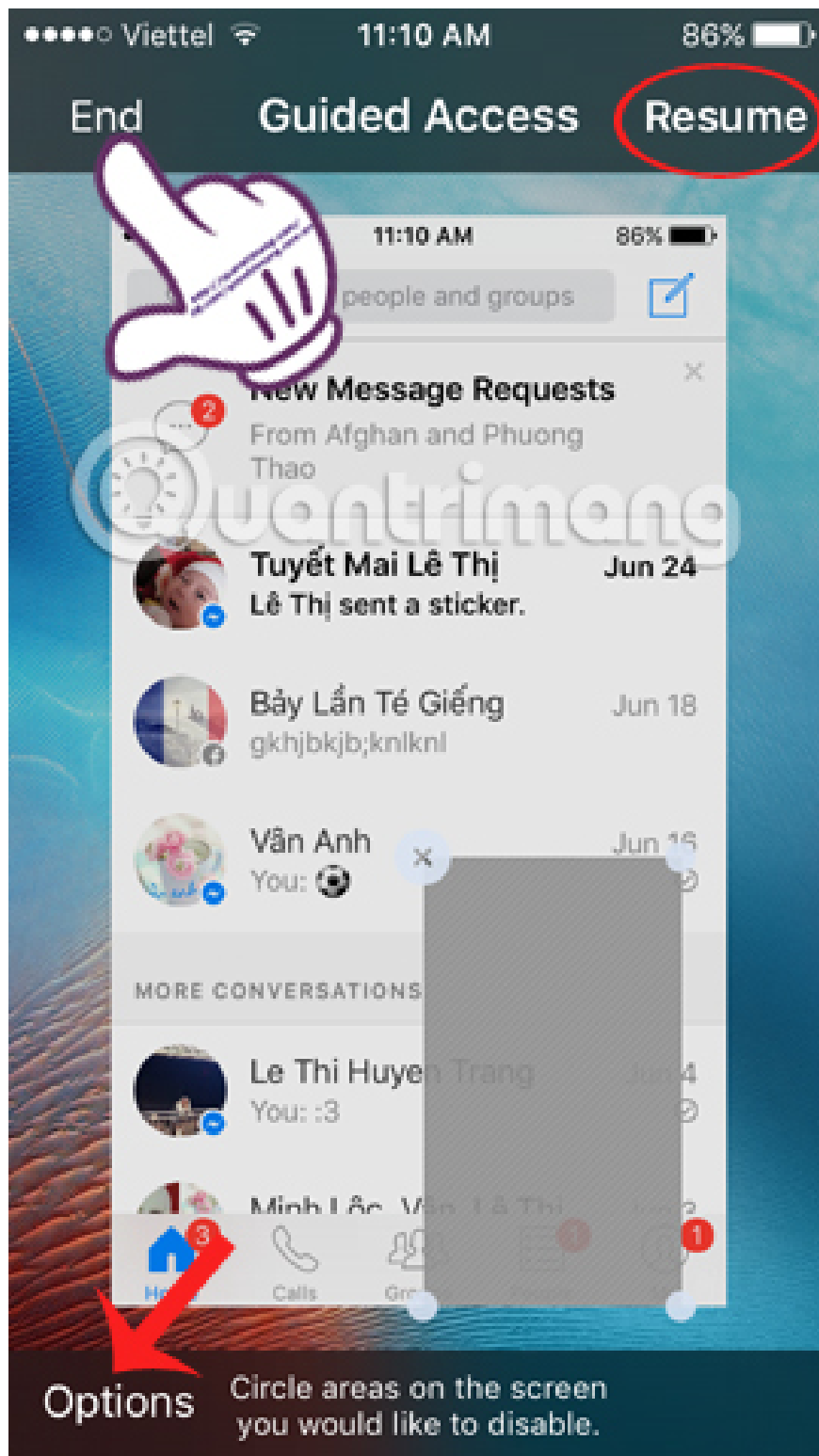
You will see **the blurred area** . No one will be able to access or perform any operations on the area you have circled.

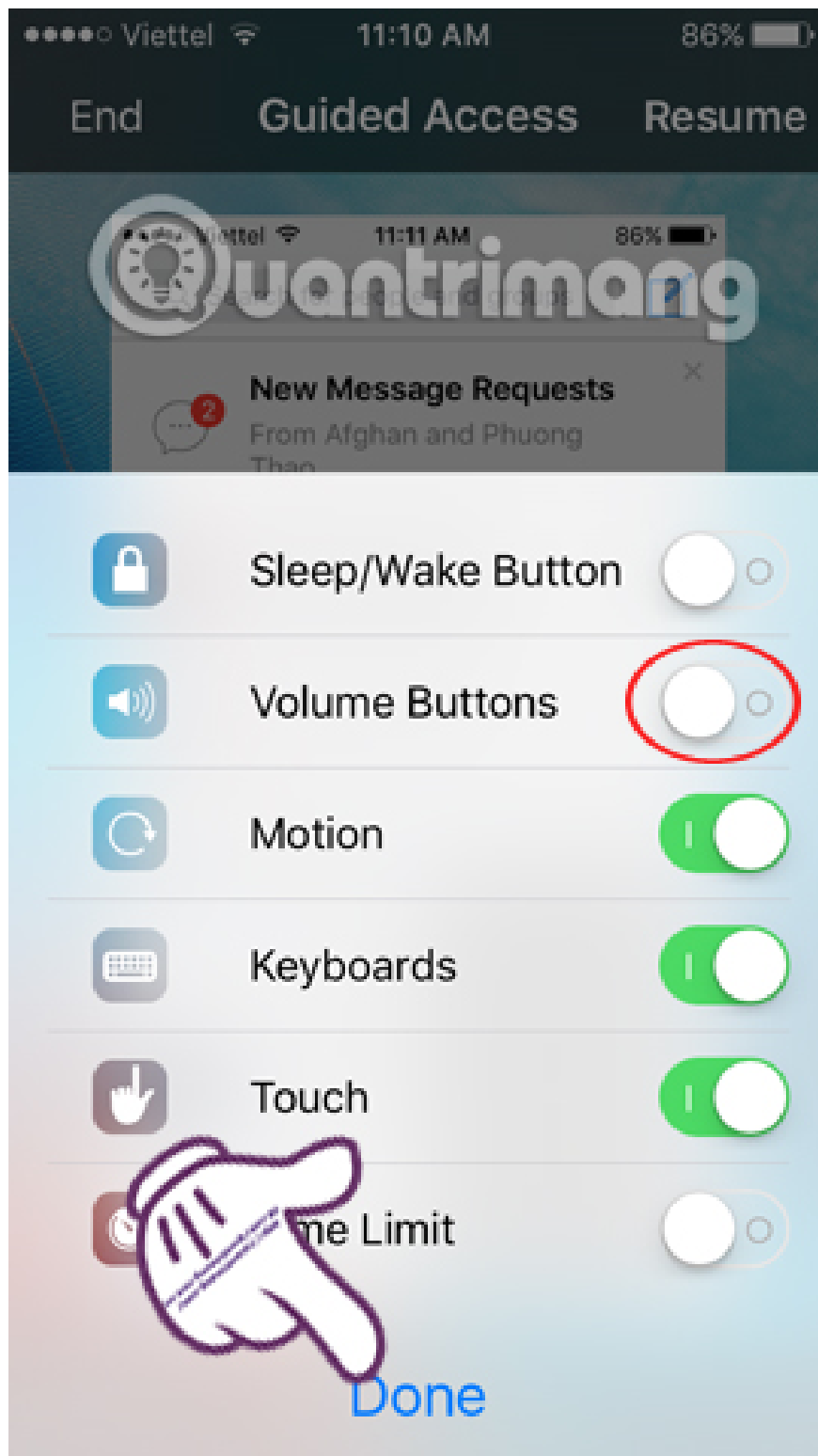


Step 7:

To unlock the app , press the Home key 3 times in a row . Soon, you just need to enter the password . To cancel the application lock press Ends . If you want to carry out and select another zone , click Resume .

In addition, when clicking the **Options button** , we can **lock the function keys** such as Volume Button, Keyboards, . press **Done** to save.





To **not use this area lock feature** , you go back to **Guided Access** interface and turn **the horizontal bar to the left** to turn off this feature.

Thus, we have instructed you how to lock an application on iPhone or lock the optional area by setting it right on the device. Hopefully with this operation, your confidential information will be more secure as well as avoid curiosity.

Refer to the following articles:

1. How many tricks have you missed using this iPhone?
1. Instructions for checking the phone's origin
1. Tips to fix iPhone and iPad error 'charging without power'

I wish you all success!

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