# How can I deactivate the microphones on my DiscovR speaker?

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The microphones on DiscovR can be disabled in one of two ways:

(i) Press the Mic mute icon on the control panel of your DiscovR speaker. Once the icon illuminates red, this indicates the microphones have been disabled.

(ii) Press down on the top panel of the speaker until it closes to activate Mic Drop mode. This will disconnect and turn off the microphones for enhanced privacy.