Android Permissions Required by Omnitracs XRS Mobile

The following is a list of the permissions that Omnitracs XRS Mobile requires when installed on an Android device:

Android Functionality	Permissions	Reason
Phone	Directly call phone numbers Read phone status and identity	Allows Omnitracs XRS Mobile to detect when there are changes to network conditions. For example, many phones lose their internet connection when a phone call is in progress and will resume the internet connection when the phone call is complete.
Camera	Take pictures and videos	Read barcodes, take pictures of receipts and forms, and take pictures of inventory for accident or damaged goods report forms.
Location	Approximate location (network-based) Precise location (GPS and network-based)	Approximate and precise location needed for GPS and reporting purposes.
USB Storage	Modify or delete the contents of your USB storage Read the contents of your USB storage	Allows Omnitracs XRS Mobile to access, read, and write data on your device.
Screen Lock	Disable your screen lock	Prevents screen from locking when the device is either performing operations or updating.
Security	Read Google service configuration	Required in order to use many of the new features in Google Play Services, such as better location, routing, and maps.
Network	Change network connectivity	
	Connect and disconnect from Wi-Fi	
	Full network access View network connections	Access both network and Wi-Fi connections to send data that Omnitracs XRS Mobile gathers.
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Bluetooth	Access Bluetooth settings Pair with Bluetooth devices	Turn Bluetooth on both manually and automatically to pair and communicate with Omnitracs XRS Relay, and to turn Bluetooth on if a driver turns Bluetooth off.

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Apps	Close other apps Retrieve running apps Draw over other apps	Allows Omnitracs XRS Mobile to display a window that is used by the system to show an alert to the user.
Battery	Control flashlight Control vibration Prevent tablet from sleeping	To turn on the flashlight (when necessary) when the device is used to read a barcode (for example, when a driver fills out a form, there may be a barcode field on the form). Needed for battery preservation and for keeping Omnitracs XRS Mobile active until device runs out of battery power.
System	Measure app storage space Modify system settings	Allows Omnitracs XRS Mobile to delete data, read current settings, turn on Wi-Fi, and change the screen brightness or volume.