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Check the DIP switches on the underside to make sure they are set as follows:

If your PC has a PS/2 style keyboard port (about the diameter of a pencil):

SW2 and SW8 should be set to "OFF"

All the other switches should be set to "ON"

(These are the factory default settings.)

If your PC has a PC/AT style keyboard port (about the diameter of a dime):

SW2, SW4 and SW8 should be set to "OFF"

All the other switches should be set to "ON"

At this writing, the instructions given for Switch 4 on page 6 of the WMR-1200 User's Guide are incorrect. Follow the instructions above, instead.