

# Sentinel Integration Guide

## AI Safety & Factuality Middleware

Built by GREM.xv

### Overview

Sentinel acts as a middleware layer between your application and your LLM provider. It evaluates content for safety risks and factual reliability before output reaches end users.

### Step 1 – Install Dependencies

```
pip install -r requirements.txt
```

### Step 2 – Set Environment Variables

```
Linux / Mac:  
export OPENAI_API_KEY=your_openai_key  
export API_KEY=your_client_key  
  
Windows (PowerShell):  
setx OPENAI_API_KEY "your_openai_key"  
setx API_KEY "your_client_key"
```

### Step 3 – Run Sentinel

```
uvicorn main:app --host 0.0.0.0 --port 8000
```

### Step 4 – Test Endpoint

```
curl -X POST http://localhost:8000/check -H "Content-Type: application/json" -H "Authorization: Bearer your_bearer_token"
```

## **Step 5 – Integrate Into Your Application**

Send user input to /check endpoint. Read structured JSON response. Display safer\_response or corrected\_response to end user. Use safety\_score and factuality\_score for logging or moderation control.