



Cell Phone Cradle and Cell Phone Cradle Plus Installation Guide



**Cell Phone Cradle
(Part # 859942)**

Wilson Electronics' Cell Phone Cradle is a lightweight, versatile product that enables you to place your cell phone in a convenient location in your vehicle and use it with a hands-free device such as an ear bud or Bluetooth® product. Doing so lets you keep both hands on the wheel, thereby maintaining your safety while allowing you to carry on a cell phone conversation.

With adjustable arms and feet, Wilson's Cell Phone Cradle holds virtually any cell phone on the market and does not obstruct access to phone controls or connections. The push-button release function enables you to quickly and easily remove the phone from the cradle when you leave the vehicle. The cradle comes with mounting brackets for installation on the console or dashboard. Some cradle kits include a gooseneck suction mount for application to the windshield.

Multiple Mounting Options

The Cell Phone Cradle and Cradle Plus are designed for maximum ease of use and flexibility. Multiple mounting options allow for a custom installation in virtually any vehicle. Before mounting, determine the desired location of the cradle in your vehicle. Hold the cradle in the intended position and be sure it does not obstruct your view or block access to any controls or gauges necessary for safe driving. With the Cradle Plus, take special care to ensure that the cable running to the amplifier does not block the movement of your arms or legs.

Your cradle comes with three mounting brackets:



1. Air Vent Bracket



2. Adhesive Bracket



3. Adhesive/Screw
Swivel Bracket



4. Additionally, some kits come with a Gooseneck Suction Cup Bracket for mounting the cradle to the windshield.



**Cell Phone Cradle Plus
(Part # 301146)**

Wilson Electronics' Cell Phone Cradle Plus offers all the convenience features of the standard cradle with the added benefit of a built-in cell phone signal antenna/coupler. Used in conjunction with one of Wilson's cellular amplifiers, the Cradle Plus can improve your cellular signal up to 10 times and help you stay connected in places you never could before!

Here's how the amplifier/Cradle Plus system works: A Wilson antenna mounted on the outside of your vehicle communicates with the cell site, and the built-in cradle antenna/coupler communicates with your cell phone. The outside antenna collects weak cellular signals and sends them to the amplifier. The amplifier boosts those signals and sends transmits them through the cradle antenna/coupler, significantly improving the performance of your cell phone or laptop data card. The Cradle Plus works with Wilson's mobile wireless and SignalBoost amplifiers.

Option 1 - Air Vent Bracket



1. Insert the two vent clips into the circular hole in the bracket and slide them to each end of the slot. The flat surface of the clips should face upward.
2. Slide the bracket clips into the chosen vent location until they snap into place. If necessary, use a thin-bladed screwdriver to gently pry the clips apart as they slide into the vent.
3. Position the moveable arm at the base of the bracket to achieve the desired angle and to provide additional stability for the bracket.
4. See "Attaching the Cradle".

Option 2 - Adhesive Bracket



1. Clean the area where the bracket is to be mounted with rubbing alcohol and a soft cloth. Allow to dry.
2. Peel the backing to expose the adhesive and press the bracket onto the desired location in the vehicle. Note: be sure the bracket is positioned **vertically**, not horizontally.
3. Allow the adhesive to cure for 24 hours before you attach the cradle.
4. See "Attaching the Cradle". (Note: once the cradle is attached, you can adjust the angle of the adhesive bracket by applying gentle pressure to the top or bottom of the cradle.)

Option 3 - Adhesive/Screw Swivel Bracket



For best mounting results and long-term performance, we suggest that you choose a flat, smooth surface like the console area of your vehicle between the two front seats. If this is not available in your vehicle, you may mount the cradle on the front of the dashboard.

If mounting the cradle on a sloped area of the dashboard in your vehicle, please note that gravity may affect the adhesive over time. Use the screw mount for a more permanent attachment.

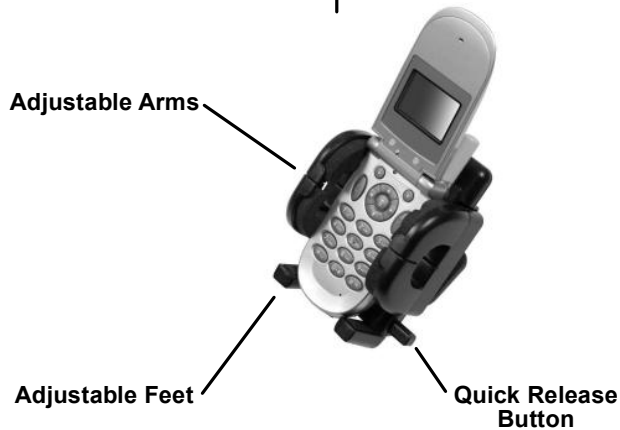
1. Clean the area where the bracket is to be mounted with rubbing alcohol and a soft cloth. Allow to dry.
2. **For an adhesive mount**, peel the backing to expose the adhesive and press the bracket onto the desired location in the vehicle. (Note: the swivel feature allows the bracket to be positioned vertically or horizontally.) Allow the adhesive to cure for 24 hours before you attach the cradle.
For a screw mount, use an ice pick or an awl to punch through the adhesive and expose the four screw holes in the bracket. You must provide the screws of an appropriate size for your particular application. Using the bracket as a template, mark the locations for the screws as shown, drill pilot holes, attach the bracket with adhesive, and tighten all screws
3. See "Attaching the Cradle". (Note: Once the cradle is attached, you can loosen the knurled wheel and swivel the hook to the desired angle, then re-tighten the wheel.)

Option 4 - Gooseneck Suction Bracket (available on some kits)



1. Clean the area of the windshield in the location you would like to attach the suction cup. Allow to dry.
2. Press the suction cup at the base of the mount onto the windshield with even pressure. Depress the lever above the suction cup to pump the remaining air out of the area and to achieve a strong suction mount.
3. Bend the gooseneck to the location where you would like to attach the cradle. For best performance, adjust the gooseneck so that the cradle is allowed to rest on the dashboard.
4. See "Attaching the Cradle".

NOTE: State law prohibits drivers in some states from using suction mounts on their windshields when operating motor vehicles. In such cases, other Wilson Electronics dashboard or console mounting options should be used. Wilson does not take any responsibility for any fines, penalties, or damages that may be incurred as a result of disregarding this notice.



Attaching The Cradle

Once you have installed your selected mount in the desired location, attach the cradle by aligning the rectangular hole on its back with the hook on the mount. Grasping the sides of the cradle, slide it downward approximately ¼ inch into place.

Placing Your Phone in the Cradle

1. Press the quick-release button on the lower right side to open the cradle arms wide enough to accommodate your phone.
2. With the phone resting against the back of the cradle, gently squeeze the cradle arms together to hold the phone in place. Note that the arms move up and down and have upper and lower sections.
3. Adjust the two feet at the bottom of the cradle to support the phone at its base.
4. Connect your hands-free device to the phone, adjusting the cradle arms or feet as necessary. For the Cradle Plus, connect the antenna cable to the Wilson amplifier in accordance with the instructions supplied with the amplifier.
5. To remove the phone, press the quick-release button to open the cradle arms and release the phone.

If you have any questions regarding the installation or operation of your Wilson Cell Phone Cradle or Cell Phone Cradle Plus, please contact our Technical Support Department at **866-294-1660**, or send an email to tech@wilsonelectronics.com.