

Get Started for the **KYOCERA Hydro**

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Get Started

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This section introduces you to the basics of getting started with your KYOCERA Hydro. Visit <http://www.mycricket.com/> for the complete User Guide and additional information.

Your KYOCERA Hydro

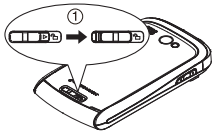


Get Your Device Ready

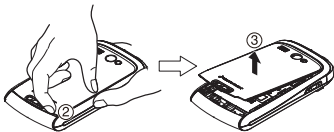
Find out what you need to do before you use your device the first time.

Install the Battery

1. Slide the battery cover release latch to the unlocked position (1).



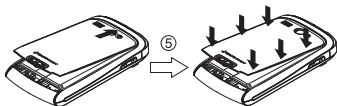
2. Insert your thumb- or fingernail into the slit (2) and lift the battery cover (3).



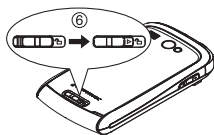
3. Insert the battery, contacts end first, and gently press into place (4).



4. Replace the cover, applying equal pressure from the top down on both sides and making sure all the locking tabs of the cover are seated with no gaps (5).



5. Slide the battery cover release latch to the locked position (6).



Charge the Battery

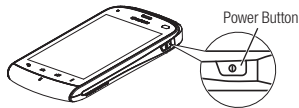
1. Open the cover of the charger/accessory jack.
2. Plug the smaller end of the micro-USB cable into the device's charger/accessory jack.



3. Plug the other end of the USB cable into the charger, and then plug the charger into an electrical outlet.

Turn the Device On


- ▶ Press and hold the **Power** button to turn your device on.



Turn the Screen On and Off

- ▶ To quickly turn the display screen off, press the **Power** button.
- ▶ To turn the screen on and display the lock screen, press the **Power** button.

Unlock the Screen

- ▶ Touch  and flick it in any direction to unlock the screen.

Turn the Device Off

- ▶ Press and hold the **Power** button and then touch **Power off > OK** to turn the device off.

Android™ Basics

Learn some basics about how to move around on your device, use the Home screen, and enter text. If you're familiar with Android devices, you can probably skip these pages (although a refresher course never hurts anyone).

Move Around Your Device's Menus and Screens Using Gestures

Your device's touchscreen lets you control everything through various types of touches, or gestures.

Touch: When you want to press onscreen buttons, select items such as application and settings icons, or type, simply touch the screen with your finger. A light touch works best.



Touch and hold: To open the available options for an item (for example, options for a contact), simply touch and hold the item.

Drag: Touch and hold your finger before you start to move it. Do not release your finger until you have reached the target position.


Slide or Flick: To slide, quickly move your finger vertically or horizontally across the screen. To flick, move your finger in lighter, quicker strokes than sliding. When you're flicking through a long list, touch the screen to stop scrolling.

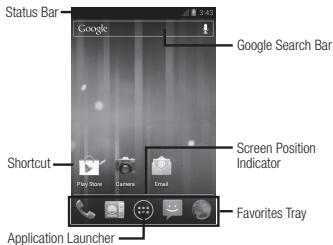
Pinch and Spread: Pinch the screen using your thumb and forefinger to zoom out or spread the screen to zoom in when viewing a picture or a Web page. (Move fingers inward to zoom out and outward to zoom in.)

Rotate: For most screens, you can automatically change the screen orientation from portrait to landscape by turning the device sideways. When entering text, you can turn the device sideways to bring up a bigger keyboard.

Note: The **Auto-rotate screen** check box in **Home**  **> Menu**  **> System settings > Display** needs to be selected for the screen orientation to automatically change.

Home Screen

▶ Press **Home**  to display your Home screen.




Notifications Panel

When you see a notification icon on the left side of the status bar, drag the status bar down to display the Notifications panel. Touch a notification to open the related application, such as messaging, call list, or event.


To close the panel, drag the bottom bar up.

Viewing Extended Screens

Your device's Home screen extends horizontally to four additional screens. This gives you room to customize your device and put the things you need front and center, just a swipe away.

- ▶ To display the Home screen, press **Home**  from any screen.
- ▶ To view extended screens, flick the screen left or right. There are two additional screens on each side of the Home screen.





Add Items to Your Screen

1. Touch  on the Favorites Tray.
2. Slide the **APPS** and **WIDGETS** screens to find the item you want to add.
3. Touch and hold an application or widget icon. The initial Home screen appears with the icon.
4. Pressing the application or widget icon, move your finger to the place you want to add the icon.
5. Release your finger.

Keys

Function Keys

Just below the touchscreen, you will find a row of four keys that let you perform specific functions.

- **Back Key** () Press to return to the previous screen or close the dialog box.
- **Home Key** () Press to return to the Home screen.
- **Recent Apps Key** () Press to show the Recent Apps screen.
- **Menu Key** () Press to open the menus of the current screen or application.

Typing




Touchscreen Keyboards

Your device lets you choose between two onscreen keyboards.

- **Android keyboard** – Use to enter text one letter at a time.
- **Swype**® – Use to enter a word dragging your finger over the letters. For more information about the Swype application, visit www.nuancemobilelife.com/apps/swype.

Language and Input Settings

You can change your text entry options through the Language & input settings menu.

- ▶ Press **Home** () > **Menu** () , and touch **System settings > Language & input**.
 - To change the language, touch **Language**.
 - To edit your word suggestion dictionary for the Android keyboard, touch **Personal dictionaries**.
 - To select a keyboard type, touch **Default**.
 - To change the keyboard settings, touch  next to **Android keyboard** or **Swype** under **Default**.




Tip: When a touchscreen keyboard is displayed, you can select a keyboard type by sliding the status bar down and touching **Select input method**.

Use Your Device

Take advantage of your device's features from the basics (Making Calls) to the more advanced (Using Email, YouTube, and more).




Set Up Your Voicemail

All unanswered calls are automatically transferred to your voicemail, even if your device is in use or turned off. You should set up your voicemail and personal greeting as soon as your device is activated:

1. Press **Home** , and touch  to display the phone screen.
2. Touch and hold  to dial your voicemail number.
3. Follow the voice prompts to create your password and record your name and greeting.

It is strongly recommended that you set a voicemail password. Without a password, anyone who has access to your device can access your messages.





Retrieve Your Voicemail

1. Press **Home** , and touch  to display the phone screen.
2. Touch and hold .


From any other phone:

1. Dial your wireless phone number.
2. When your voicemail answers, press the asterisk key (*).
3. Enter your password.

Make a Phone Call

1. Press **Home** , and touch  to display the phone screen.
2. Touch the number keys on the dialpad to enter the phone number. Touch  to delete one or more digits.
3. Touch  at the bottom of the screen to place the call.

Answer an Incoming Call


- ▶ On the Incoming call screen, flick the Answer icon .

Note: While on a call and holding the device near your face to speak, the touchscreen automatically deactivates to avoid accidental screen presses. When you move the device away from your face, the touchscreen automatically reactivates.

Reject an Incoming Call

- ▶ Flick the Ignore icon  to send the call to your voicemail inbox.




Reject an Incoming Call and Send a Text Message

- ▶ Flick the Ignore & Text icon  to ignore the call and send a message to the caller.




People

The People application lets you store and manage contacts from a variety of sources, including contacts you enter and save directly in your device as well as contacts synchronized with your Google™ account or compatible email programs.

Access People




1. Press **Home** , and touch  > **People**.
2. Scroll through the list to view your contacts.
3. Touch a contact to view the contact information.
4. Press **Menu**  to edit, delete, and more.


Add a New Contact

1. Press **Home** , and touch  > **People**.
2. Touch .
3. Add as much or as little information as you want.
 - To add information in a field, touch the field to display the touchscreen keyboard.
 - To assign a number or address type (such as MOBILE, HOME, WORK, etc.), touch the label next to the number or address field.
 - To assign a picture, touch the icon next to the name, and select to take a picture or choose a picture from Gallery.
4. Touch **DONE** when you're finished.

Note: If you have contacts associated with your Gmail account, they are automatically synced with your device.








Edit Contacts

1. Press **Home** , and touch  > **People**.
2. Touch a contact to open it, and then press **Menu** , and touch **Edit**.
 - Touch a field to add or edit information.
3. Touch **DONE** when you're finished.



Note: To delete a contact, press **Menu** , and touch **Delete** > **OK**.

Messaging

Send a Message

1. Press **Home** , and touch  > **Messaging**.
2. On the Messaging screen, touch . The compose screen opens.
3. Enter a phone number or email address in the **To** field.
4. Touch **Type message** and type your message.
 - To attach pictures or files, touch , and then select a file.
 - To add a subject or insert a smiley, press **Menu** , and touch **Add subject** or **Insert smiley**, and then type a subject or select a smiley.
5. When you are finished, touch  (to send a text message), or touch  (to send an MMS message).

Access Messages



- ▶ Press **Home** , and touch  > **Messaging**. Touch a message to open and read it.
- ▶ If you have a new message notification, drag the status bar down to open the Notifications panel. Touch a message to open and read it.

Email Setup

You can link multiple email accounts to your KYOCERA Hydro, including Exchange server accounts. You can set up email accounts through the setup application or directly through the settings menu or email application.

Set Up a Gmail™ Account



You likely signed into your Gmail account when you first turned your device on. If not, you can add it or another account at any time.

1. Press **Home**  > **Menu** , and touch **System settings** > **Accounts & sync**.
2. Touch **ADD ACCOUNT** > **Google**.
3. Follow the instructions to set up or sign in to a Gmail account.

Note: Although you need a Gmail account to use certain features such as Google Play™, you do not have to use Gmail as the default account for your device.

Note: When setting up a new Google Account, you will be prompted to add a secondary email address. Enter a second Gmail address or any other email address from which you currently send and receive email. This address is used to authenticate your account should you ever encounter problems or forget your password. It is strongly encouraged for Android users so you can regain access to Google Mobile™ services and purchases on your device.

Set Up an Email Account

1. Press **Home** , and touch  > **Email**.
2. Follow the instructions to sign in to your email account.
 - If you're adding an account from a common email provider, such as Windows Live Hotmail or Yahoo Mail, enter your email address and password and touch **Next**. Your email should be set up automatically.
 - If you're adding an account from a less common email provider, or if you have additional settings to configure, enter your email address and password and touch **Manual setup**. Follow the instructions to provide the required information.

Note: If you're not sure about your account, touch **Next** after entering your email address and password. If your device can't autoconfigure your account, you'll then be asked to configure it manually.



Set Up a Microsoft® Exchange® Account

Use the **Corporate** option to set up Exchange Server work email accounts. Contact your IT administrator for account sign-in requirements.






1. Press **Home** , > **Menu** , and touch **System settings** > **Accounts & sync**.
2. Touch **ADD ACCOUNT** > **Corporate**.

3. Enter the Exchange Server account details and then touch **Next**.
 - Contact your Exchange Server administrator for required sign-in information.
4. Select the type of information you want to synchronize and touch **Done**.

Access Email Messages

1. Press **Home** , and touch  > **Email** or **Gmail**.
 - If necessary, touch the email account you want to use.
2. From the inbox, touch the message you want to view.




Send an Email Message

1. Press **Home** , and touch  > **Email** or **Gmail**.
 - If necessary, touch the email account you want to use.
2. On the email account inbox, touch .
3. Enter an email address or contact name in the **To** field.
4. Enter a subject and a message.
 - To add an attachment, press **Menu** , and touch **Attach file**, and then select an attachment.
5. When you are finished, touch .

Wi-Fi




Connect to a Wi-Fi Network

When you're in range of an available Wi-Fi network, you can use your device's Wi-Fi feature to access the Internet and other data services.

1. Press **Home**  > **Menu** , and touch **System settings**.
2. If **OFF** is displayed at the right of **Wi-Fi**, touch it to turn Wi-Fi on. **ON** is displayed and the device will scan for available wireless networks.
3. Touch **Wi-Fi** to display a list of available networks.
4. Touch a Wi-Fi network to connect. If necessary, enter the security key and touch **Connect**.
 - When you're connected to a Wi-Fi network, you'll see the Wi-Fi icon () in the status bar.










Web

Go Online

- Press **Home** , and touch  > **Browser**. (Your data connection starts and you see the home page.)
- To go to a specific website, touch the address bar and enter the Web address.
 - To open the browser menu such as **Bookmarks**, press **Menu** .

Camera & Camcorder

Take a Picture or Record a Video

1. Press **Home** , and touch  > **Camera**. (To record a video, touch  > , and then select a recording mode [**MMS** or **Long video**].)
 2. Frame your subject on the screen. To zoom in or out, touch  and drag it on the slider or press the volume button up and down.
 3. Touch and release  (the center is blue) to take the picture.
- or -
Touch  (the center is red) to start capturing video, and touch  (the center is red and white) to stop capturing.
- Tip:** You can open the camera from the lock screen. Flick .


Review Screen




After capturing a picture or video, touch the thumbnail to display the review screen. You can instantly share your picture or video.











1. **Gallery:** Opens the Gallery application to edit your picture or replay your video.
2. **Share:** Displays the available applications to share your picture or video.





Camera and Camcorder Settings

From the camera or camcorder screen, touch  to open the capture settings menu. The following settings icons appear. Touch the one you want to adjust.





Icon	Name	Description
	Flash mode	Turn flash off or on, or set to auto.
		
		

Icon	Name	Description
	White balance	Adjust the type of ambient light. To let the camera adjust the light automatically, touch Auto.
	Scene mode	Adjust the lighting effects. To let the camera adjust the mode automatically, touch Auto. (For camera only.)
   	Video quality	Adjust the video quality. (For camcorder only.)
	Camera settings	Determine whether your location is stored with each picture or video, and adjust other camera settings. You can also restore the default settings from here.
	Close	Touch to close the above icons.

View Pictures and Videos

1. Press **Home** , and touch  > **Gallery**.
2. Select a folder to display pictures or videos.
 - Touch a picture or video to display it full size.
 - For video playback, touch the play  and pause  icons.



Share Your Stored Pictures and Videos

1. Press **Home** , and touch  > **Gallery**.
2. Touch an album to display the thumbnails.
3. Touch and hold a thumbnail and then touch .
 - or -
 - Touch a thumbnail to open it and then touch .
4. Choose a share method such as **Bluetooth**, **Email**, and **Gmail**.
 - If **See all...** is shown, touch it to see all the available methods.
5. Complete the procedures according to your chosen method.

Google Play™ on Your Phone




Google Play™ is your digital content destination to discover Android apps, books, movies, music and much more on your device and on the web.

Download Applications and Games

1. Press **Home** , and touch  > **Play Store**.
2. The first time you visit the Google Play Store app, the Terms of Service window will appear. Touch **Accept** to continue if you agree to the Terms of Service.
3. Find an application you want and touch it to open its details screen.
4. Touch an application to read a description about the application and user reviews.
5. Touch **Download** (for free applications) or the price button (for paid applications).







Note: You must have a Google (Gmail™) Account set up on your device to purchase and download content from Google Play.

Open installed Applications and Games

- ▶ Press **Home** , and touch . Locate the downloaded item and touch it to launch. You can also launch from the **Play Store** > **Menu**  > **My Apps** screen.




Google Mobile™ Services

Your KYOCERA Hydro provides easy access to a variety of Google Mobile services including Gmail™, Google Talk™, Google Maps™, Google Maps™ with Navigation (Beta), and YouTube™.

- **Gmail** – The Google mail service. Your Gmail account lets you access many Google Mobile services.
- **Google Talk** – Google's instant messaging service. Press **Home** , and touch  > **Talk** to begin using the service. (If you're signed in to Gmail, you are already signed in to Google Talk.)
- **Google Maps and Google Maps Navigation** – Google Location Services let you track your current location, view real-time traffic situations, and receive detailed directions to your destination. They also provide search tools where you can locate places of interest or an address on a vector or aerial map, or view locations in street level. Press **Home** , and touch  > **Maps** or **Navigation** to begin using the services.
- **YouTube** – View and share videos on one of the Web's most popular video sites. Press **Home** , and touch  > **YouTube** to browse through and view available videos. Sign in with your Gmail account to upload your own videos.

Music

Open Your Music Player

- ▶ Press **Home** , and touch  > **Play Music**. The Play Music library screen appears.
 - Music is stored by artists, albums, songs, playlists, and genres. Touch a category, and then touch the song or playlist you want to play. Press **Menu**  > **Shuffle all** to randomly play all songs.

Getting Music

Before you can listen to your music, you need to load songs into your device's microSD card. Here's one way to do it:

1. Use the supplied USB cable to connect your device to an available USB port on your computer.
2. Drag down the notification bar, touch the USB connection, and then touch **Mass Storage** > **Done** > **OK**.
3. On your computer, locate the new removable disk, open it, and open or create a music folder.
4. Copy music files from your computer to the music folder, follow the procedures to safely remove the device, and then disconnect the device from the USB cable.

Battery-Saving Tips

Manage the Display Brightness and Timeout Settings

- Press **Home**  > **Menu** , and touch **System settings > Display > Brightness, Sleep, or Key backlight** to modify your settings.

Manage Your Device's Wireless Functions



Disable the Wi-Fi, *Bluetooth*[®], Location services, and Sync functions of the device when you're not using them. You can utilize a Power control widget usually positioned on the left side of the extended Home screen.

Customer Support

Our customer support is available from the following resources:

- Use our Support page at <http://www.mycricket.com/support> for answers to a range of questions.
- Send us a text message from <http://www.mycricket.com/send-text-message-online>.
- Call Customer Service at 1-800-CRICKET, or *611 from your Cricket phone.

Notes

- The services described in this guide may require a subscription to a service plan and/or may incur additional charges. Not all services will work on all devices. Please visit <http://www.mycricket.com/> for more details.
- The Android robot is reproduced or modified from work created and shared by Google and used according to terms described in the Creative Commons 3.0 Attribution License.
- Instructions to perform tasks in this guide may change depending on the software version on your device.
- All screens and icon images in this guide are simulated. Actual displays may vary.
- **Important Privacy Message.** This device is capable of determining its/your geographical location. To set controls for access and use of your location information by others, press **Home**  > **Menu** , and touch **System settings > Location services**, and then select location sources. Follow any applicable prompts. These settings for the use of location information can be turned on and off. For some applications and services you select, a device must be turned on and set to allow collection of location information in order to function.

Important Safety Information

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This section contains important operational and safety information that will help you safely use your phone. Failure to read and follow the information provided in this section may result in serious bodily injury, death, or property damage.

General Precautions

There are several simple guidelines to operating your phone properly and maintaining safe, satisfactory service.

- To maximize performance, do not touch the portions of your phone where the internal antennas are located while using the phone.
- Speak directly into the mouthpiece.
- Your phone is water-resistant but not waterproof.
- Do not expose your phone to direct sunlight for extended periods of time (such as on the dashboard of a car).
- Although your phone is quite sturdy, it is a complex piece of equipment and can be broken. Avoid dropping, hitting, bending, or sitting on it.
- Any changes or modifications to your phone not expressly approved in this document could void your warranty for this equipment and void your authority to operate this equipment.

Note: For the best care of your phone, only Kyocera-authorized personnel should service your phone and accessories. Failure to do so may be dangerous and void your warranty.

Maintaining Safe Use of and Access to Your Phone

Do Not Rely on Your Phone for Emergency Calls

Mobile phones operate using radio signals, which cannot guarantee connection in all conditions. Therefore you should never rely solely upon any mobile phone for essential communication (e.g., medical emergencies). Emergency calls may not be possible on all cellular networks or when certain network services or mobile phone features are in use. Check with your local service provider for details.

Using Your Phone While Driving

Talking on your phone while driving (or operating the phone without a hands-free device) is prohibited in some jurisdictions. Laws vary as to specific restrictions. Remember that safety always comes first.

Following Safety Guidelines

To operate your phone safely and efficiently, always follow any special regulations in a given area. Turn your phone off in areas where use is forbidden or when it may cause interference or danger.

Using Your Phone Near Other Electronic Devices

Most modern electronic equipment is shielded from radio frequency (RF) signals. However, RF signals from wireless phones may affect inadequately shielded electronic equipment.

RF signals may affect improperly installed or inadequately shielded electronic operating systems or entertainment systems in motor vehicles. Check with the manufacturer or their representative to determine if these systems are adequately shielded from external RF signals. Also check with the manufacturer regarding any equipment that has been added to your vehicle.

Consult the manufacturer of any personal medical devices, such as pacemakers and hearing aids, to determine if they are adequately shielded from external RF signals.

Note: Always turn off the phone in healthcare facilities, and request permission before using the phone near medical equipment.

Turning Off Your Phone Before Flying

Turn off your phone before boarding any aircraft. To prevent possible interference with aircraft systems, the U.S. Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) regulations require you to have permission from a crew member to use your phone while the plane is on the ground. To prevent any risk of interference, FCC regulations prohibit using your phone while the plane is in the air.

Turning Off Your Phone in Dangerous Areas

To avoid interfering with blasting operations, turn your phone off when in a blasting area or in other areas with signs indicating two-way radios should be turned off. Construction crews often use remote-control RF devices to set off explosives.

Turn your phone off when you're in any area that has a potentially explosive atmosphere. Although it's rare, your phone and accessories could generate sparks. Sparks can cause an explosion or fire, resulting in bodily injury or even death. These areas are often, but not always, clearly marked. They include:

- Fueling areas such as gas stations.
- Below deck on boats.
- Fuel or chemical transfer or storage facilities.
- Areas where the air contains chemicals or particles such as grain, dust, or metal powders.
- Any other area where you would normally be advised to turn off your vehicle's engine.

Note: Never transport or store flammable gas, flammable liquids, or explosives in the compartment of your vehicle that contains your phone or accessories.

Restricting Children's Access to Your Phone

Your phone is not a toy. Do not allow children to play with it as they could hurt themselves and others, damage the phone or make calls that increase your Cricket invoice.

Water Resistance

Your Hydro is water-resistant. To ensure that your device maintains water resistance, the following precautions must be observed.

- Make sure the battery cover is properly attached and locked.
- Make sure the charger/accessory jack is properly sealed, with no foreign objects obstructing the seal. A headphone jack has no cover but it is water-proof.
- Do not expose your phone to water heated in excess of 104°F (40°C), or to liquids other than water, such as detergent, beverages, or chlorinated or treated water.
- Dry your phone as quickly as possible when wet.

Charging

- Dry your phone with a clean cloth before charging.
- Do not touch the charger, charging cable, or charger/accessory jack with wet hands. Doing so may cause electric shock, injury, or product failure.
- Do not charge your phone in a wet or damp place, such as in a bathroom or near a kitchen sink.

Warning: Your phone is designed to withstand exposure to water for up to 30 minutes at a depth not exceeding one meter (about 3.25 feet). Exposing your phone to water outside these limits or not following the above precautions can result in water damage.

Using Your Phone With a Hearing Aid Device

When some wireless phones are used with certain hearing devices (including hearing aids and cochlear implants), users may detect a noise which can interfere with the effectiveness of the hearing device.

Some hearing devices are more immune than others to this interference noise, and phones also vary in the amount of interference noise they may generate. ANSI standard C63.19 was developed to provide a standardized means of measuring both wireless phone and hearing devices to determine usability rating categories for both.

Ratings have been developed for mobile phones to assist hearing device users find phones that may be compatible with their hearing device. Not all phones have been rated for compatibility with hearing devices. Phones that have been rated have a label located on the box. **Your Hydro has an M4 and a T4 rating.**

These ratings are not guarantees. Results will vary depending on the user's hearing device and individual type and degree of hearing loss. If a hearing device is particularly vulnerable to interference noise; even a phone with a higher rating may still cause unacceptable noise levels in the hearing device. Trying out the phone with your hearing device is the best way to evaluate it for your personal needs.

M-Ratings: Phones rated M3 or M4 meet FCC requirements for hearing aid compatibility and are likely to generate less interference to hearing devices than unrated phones. (M4 is the better/higher of the two ratings.)

T-Ratings: Phones rated T3 or T4 meet FCC requirements and are likely to be more usable with a hearing device's telecoil ("T Switch" or "Telephone Switch") than unrated phones. (T4 is the better/higher of the two ratings. Note that not all hearing devices have telecoils in them.)

Note: New Technologies, Including Wi-Fi

This phone has been tested and rated for use with hearing aids for some of the wireless technologies that it uses. However, there may be newer wireless technologies (including Wi-Fi) used in this phone that have not been tested for use with hearing aids. It is important to try the different features of this phone thoroughly and in different locations, using your hearing aid or cochlear implant, to determine if you hear any interfering noise. Consult your service provider or the manufacturer of this phone for information on hearing aid compatibility. If you have questions about return or exchange policies, consult your service provider or phone retailer.

Hearing aid devices may also be measured for immunity to interference noise from wireless phones and should have ratings similar to phones. Ask your hearing healthcare professional for the rating of your hearing aid. Add the rating of your hearing aid and your phone to determine probable usability:

- Any combined rating equal to or greater than six offers excellent use.
- Any combined rating equal to five is considered normal use.
- Any combined rating equal to four is considered usable.

Thus, if you pair an M3 hearing aid with an M3 phone, you will have a combined rating of six for "excellent use." This is synonymous for T ratings. More information about hearing aid compatibility may be found at: www.fcc.gov, www.fda.gov, and www.accesswireless.org.

Getting the Best Hearing Device Experience With Your Phone

To further minimize interference:

- Set the phone's display and key backlight settings to ensure the minimum time interval:

1. Press Home > Menu, and touch System settings > Display > Sleep or Key backlight.

2. Touch the minimum time interval setting.

- Position the phone so the internal antennas are farthest from your hearing aid.

- Move the phone around to find the point with least interference.

Caring for the Battery

Protecting Your Battery

The guidelines listed below help you get the most out of your battery's performance.

- Recently there have been some public reports of wireless phone batteries overheating, catching fire, or exploding. It appears that many, if not all, of these reports involve counterfeit or inexpensive, aftermarket-brand batteries with unknown or questionable manufacturing standards. Use only manufacturer-approved batteries and accessories. Buying the right batteries and accessories is the best way to ensure they're genuine and safe.
- Do not disassemble or open, crush, bend or deform, or puncture or shred the battery.
- Do not modify or remanufacture, attempt to insert foreign objects into the battery, immerse or expose to water or other liquids, expose to fire, explosion, or other hazard.
- Avoid dropping the phone or battery. If the phone or battery is dropped, especially on a hard surface, and the user suspects damage, take it to a service center for inspection.
- Improper battery use may result in a fire, explosion or other hazard.
- Do not short-circuit a battery or allow metallic conductive objects to contact battery terminals.

- Keep the metal contacts on top of the battery clean.
- Battery usage by children should be supervised.

Charging

- In order to avoid damage, charge the battery only in temperatures that range from 32° F to 113° F (0° C to 45° C).
- Don't use the battery charger in direct sunlight or in high humidity areas, such as the bathroom.
- The battery may need recharging if it has not been used for a long period of time.
- It's best to replace the battery when it no longer provides acceptable performance. It can be recharged hundreds of times before it needs replacing.

Storing

- Don't store the battery in high temperature areas for long periods of time. It's best to follow these storage rules:
 - Less than one month:
-4° F to 140° F (-20° C to 60° C)
 - More than one month:
-4° F to 113° F (-20° C to 45° C)

Disposal of Lithium Ion (Li-Ion) Batteries

- Promptly dispose of used batteries in accordance with local regulations.
- Never dispose of the battery by incineration.
- Do not handle a damaged or leaking Li-Ion battery as you can be burned.
- For safe disposal options of your Li-Ion batteries, contact your nearest authorized service center.

Special Note: Be sure to dispose of your battery properly. In some areas, the disposal of batteries in household or business trash may be prohibited.

Radio Frequency (RF) Energy

Understanding How Your Phone Operates

Your phone is basically a radio transmitter and receiver. When it's turned on, it receives and transmits radio frequency (RF) signals. When you use your phone, the system handling your call controls the power level. This power can range from 0.006 watt to 0.2 watt in digital mode.

Knowing Radio Frequency Safety

The design of your phone complies with updated NCRP standards described below.

In 1991–92, the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) and the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) joined in updating ANSI's 1982 standard for safety levels with respect to human exposure to RF signals. More than 120 scientists, engineers and physicians from universities, government health agencies and industries developed this updated standard after reviewing the available body of research. In 1993, the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) adopted this updated standard in a regulation. In August 1996, the FCC adopted hybrid standard consisting of the existing ANSI/IEEE standard and the guidelines published by the National Council of Radiation Protection and Measurements (NCRP).

Body-Worn Operation

To maintain compliance with FCC RF exposure guidelines, if you wear a handset on your body, use a Cricket-supplied or Cricket-approved carrying case, holster or other body-worn accessory. If you do not use a body-worn accessory, ensure the antennas are at least **0.591 inches (1.5 centimeters)** from your body when transmitting. Use of non-Cricket-approved accessories may violate FCC RF exposure guidelines. Other accessories used with this phone for body-worn operations must not contain any metallic components and must provide at least **0.591 inches (1.5 centimeters)** separation distance between the antennas and the user's body.

For more information about RF exposure, visit the FCC website at www.fcc.gov.

Specific Absorption Rates (SAR) for Wireless Phones

The SAR value corresponds to the relative amount of RF energy absorbed into the head of a user of a wireless handset.

The SAR value of a phone is the result of an extensive testing, measuring and calculation process. It does not represent how much RF the phone emits. All phone models are tested at their highest value in strict laboratory settings. But when in operation, the SAR of a phone can be substantially less than the level reported to the FCC. This is because of a variety of factors including its proximity

to a base station antenna, phone design and other factors. What is important to remember is that each phone meets strict federal guidelines. Variations in SARs do not represent a variation in safety.

All phones must meet the federal standard, which incorporates a substantial margin of safety. As stated above, variations in SAR values between different model phones do not mean variations in safety. SAR values at or below the federal standard of 1.6 W/kg are considered safe for use by the public.

The highest reported SAR values of the Hydro are:

Cellular CDMA mode (Part 22):

Head: 0.71 W/kg; Body-worn: 0.59 W/kg

PCS mode (Part 24):

Head: 1.17 W/kg; Body-worn: 0.58 W/kg

AWS mode (Part 27):

Head: 1.33 W/kg; Body-worn: 0.47 W/kg

FCC Radio Frequency Emission

This phone meets the FCC Radio Frequency Emission Guidelines.

FCC ID number: V65C5171.

More information on the phone's SAR can be found from the following FCC website:
<http://www.fcc.gov/oet/ea/>.

FCC Notice

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

Note: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules.

These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications.

However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation.

If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient the direction of the internal antennas.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

Owner's Record

The model number, regulatory number, and serial number are located on a nameplate inside the battery compartment. Record the serial number in the space provided below. This will be helpful if you need to contact us about your phone in the future.

Model: Hydro (C5171)

Serial No.:

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