

# SERVICE CAMPAIGN



INFINITI®

## CAMPAIGN BULLETIN

### Wireless Apple CarPlay® Update Voluntary Service Campaign

Reference: PC882

Date: April 1, 2022

Attention: Retailer Principal, Sales, Parts and Service Managers

Affected Models/Years:	Affected Population:	Retailer Inventory:	SERVICE COMM Activation date:	SERVICE COMM Expiration date:	Stop Sale In Effect:
MY2020-21 QX80	17,105	17	4/1/2022	6/30/2022	<b>NO</b>

#### \*\*\*\*\* Campaign Summary \*\*\*\*\*

INFINITI is continuing to conduct a Client Service Initiative (CSI) on certain specific model year 2020-2021 QX80 vehicles that were previously included and subsequently removed and suspended from the initiative under PC839. The previous software update did not fully address the intended concerns. INFINITI is launching a new CSI that will provide clients with a free Infotainment software update, which includes **Wireless Apple CarPlay®**. The CSI will be available until **June 30, 2022**. The update will bring the vehicle's software to current production level, improve system overall performance, and enable client's use of Apple CarPlay® wirelessly. For more information on Apple CarPlay®, please refer to: [INFINITI Apple CarPlay® Features & FAQs](#)

INFINITI's InTouch system is designed to improve the driving experience. Certain Model Year 2020 and 2021 INFINITI vehicles are already equipped with Apple CarPlay® to enhance iPhone users' experience with iOS13 and later, but they currently require a USB cord connection to an iPhone to use. The update eliminates the need to remove the iPhone from one's pocket or bag.

#### \*\*\*\*\* What Retailers Should Do \*\*\*\*\*

1. Verify if vehicles are affected by this Voluntary Service Campaign using Service Comm or DBS National Service History – Open Campaign I.D. **PC882**
  - New vehicles in retailer inventory can also be identified by using DBS (Sales-> Vehicle Inventory, and filter by Open Campaign).
    - Refer to IPSB 15-286 for additional information
2. Retailers should ensure any applicable vehicle has the latest AV control unit software installed, and use **ITB22-013** to update the following software:
  - Enablement of Wireless Apple CarPlay®
  - Stability improvements and "bug" fixes

**Retailers use the most recent version of the CONSULT operating system**

- Technicians must follow all steps in the Technical Service Bulletin (TSB); especially configuration steps that begin with step 27
- Retailers should assist every customer with (1) removing **ALL** paired phones, (2) pairing their phone with the vehicle again before they leave the dealership, and (3) verifying Wireless CarPlay is working for iPhone users
  - This is necessary for Wireless CarPlay operation because the user must allow Apple Wireless CarPlay® prompts to be accepted during the pairing process.
- Ensure that YES is selected on the vehicle when prompted to deactivate Wi-Fi to use Wireless CarPlay (provide owners a copy of the instructions on page 6 of this announcement)

Please print a copy of the phone pairing instructions for the owner to use with pairing other phones back to their vehicle.

3. Retailers should submit the applicable warranty claim for the action performed so it can be closed on Service Comm and release the vehicle.

**\*\*\*\*\* Release Schedule \*\*\*\*\***

<b>Parts</b>	Update software is now available on ASIST
<b>Special Tools</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• J-52727-1 (USB-drive) – each retailer received this USB for the R1912 campaign in October 2019 Additional USB drives may be purchased from TechMate @ <a href="http://www.infinititechmate.com">www.infinititechmate.com</a> or 1-800-662-2001</li><li>• CONSULT III</li></ul>
<b>Repair</b>	ITB22-013
<b>Owner Notification</b>	INFINITI is targeting <b>April 2022</b> for sending notifications to owners of all applicable vehicles.

**\*\*\*\*\* Retailer's Responsibility \*\*\*\*\***

It is the retailer's responsibility to check Service Comm or DBS National Service History - Open Campaigns using the appropriate Campaign I.D. for the campaign status on each vehicle falling within the range of this client service initiative, which for any reason, enters the service department. This includes vehicles purchased from private parties or presented by transient (tourist) owners and vehicles in retailer inventory. If a VIN subject to this client service initiative was part of a retailer trade, the letter associated with that VIN should be forwarded to the appropriate retailer for service completion.

**Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ):**

**Q.** Is this a Stop Sale?

**A.** No.

**Q.** Is this a safety recall?

**A.** No.

**Q. What is the reason for this Client Satisfaction Initiative?**

A. This complimentary software update will bring the vehicle's infotainment software up to current production level, improve system overall performance, and allow Apple CarPlay® to be used wirelessly.

**Q. How long is this complimentary software update available?**

A. The complimentary software update expires **June 30, 2022**. Beginning **July 1, 2022** the software update will be available as a client payable software service upgrade should a client request the wireless Apple CarPlay® update.

**Q. What happens if I don't have this update performed?**

A. The Apple CarPlay® features will not be able to be used wirelessly and the software installed will not match current production levels.

**Q. What does this Client Service Initiative involve?**

A. Retailers will update the vehicle's infotainment software up to current production level.

**Q. Where can I find out more about Wireless CarPlay® features?**

A. Please visit: [INFINITI Apple CarPlay® Features & FAQs](https://www.infiniti.com/intouch/features-apps/apple-carplay.html#:~:text=Infiniti%20InTouch%E2%84%A2%20Apple%20CarPlay,completely%20focused%20on%20the%20road.)  
(<https://www.infiniti.com/intouch/features-apps/apple-carplay.html#:~:text=Infiniti%20InTouch%E2%84%A2%20Apple%20CarPlay,completely%20focused%20on%20the%20road.>)

**Q. How long will this software update take?**

A. This free update, should take up to one (1) hour to complete. However, your INFINITI retailer may require your vehicle for a longer period of time based upon their work schedule.

**Q. When will vehicle owners be notified?**

A. INFINITI is targeting **April 2022** for sending notifications to owners of all applicable vehicles.

**Q. Are parts readily available?**

A. Yes, the software is available for download from ASIST.

**Q. Is there any charge for this software update?**

A. No, this is a free software update until **June 30, 2022**.

Q. Will I have to take my vehicle back to the selling retailer to have this service performed?

A. No, any authorized INFINITI retailer is able to perform this free software update.

**For Consumer Affairs:** Please inform us of the retailer where you would like to have this update completed.

Q. Do I need to do anything or activate a subscription to use the Wireless Apple CarPlay®?

A. A subscription is not necessary to use this feature. However, in order to ensure proper operation of CarPlay® features, all iPhone(s) being used will need to be removed, rebooted and re-paired to the vehicle again. This is necessary to allow Apple's Wireless CarPlay® prompts to be accepted for proper Wireless CarPlay® operation. Please ask your retailer for assistance if needed or refer to <https://support.apple.com/en-us/HT203412> for instructions.

Q. When using Wireless CarPlay®, it is not working as I expected after the update. Where can I find answers?

A. Depending on the model of iPhone and iOS version your phone is running. Troubleshooting tips are available online at apple support at: <https://support.apple.com/en-us/HT210892>.

Q. I have a 2020-21 model year INFINITI QX80 vehicle, how can I tell if my vehicle is eligible for this free software update?

A. Please give me your vehicle identification (VIN) so that I can check if your vehicle is eligible for this client service initiative.

Q. What model year vehicles are involved in this Client Service Initiative?

A. Certain Model Year 2020-21 INFINITI QX80 vehicles manufactured between November 5, 2018 to August 18, 2021.

Revision History:

Date	Announcement	Purpose
April 1, 2022	Original Document	New Campaign Announcement

\*\*\*\*\*Phone pairing and location accuracy trouble shooting instructions available on the next page\*\*\*\*\*

Dear INFINITI Owner,

Your vehicle has been updated to allow you to use Apple CarPlay® wirelessly. To begin using this feature, a few simple steps must be taken first.

1. Delete all paired Apple iPhone devices from the vehicle.
  - a. In the vehicle, press the MENU button (below the lower display).
  - b. Touch the "Connections" key (on the lower display).
  - c. Touch the info icon next the name of the connected device
  - d. Touch "Delete".
  - e. Touch "Yes.
  - f. Repeat steps c - e to delete all devices from the vehicle.
  
2. Un-pair the vehicle from your iPhone(s).
  - a. On your phone, touch Settings
  - b. Touch Bluetooth
  - c. Touch the info icon next to the device you want to un-pair
  - d. Touch "Forget this Device"
  
3. Re-pair your iPhone(s) to the vehicle.
  - a. In the vehicle, press the MENU button (below the lower display).
  - b. Touch the "Connections" key (on the lower display).
  - c. Touch "Add New (X/5 Free)"
  - d. Follow the instructions on the "Connect Device" screen. When a PIN appears on the screen, operate the Bluetooth® device to enter/confirm the PIN. And, for any Bluetooth® connectivity issues, reboot the mobile phone or device.
  - e. After confirming the PIN matches, select whether the vehicle can access the phonebook for the phone being paired.
  - f. The vehicle will display the screen below. You must select YES for Wireless Apple CarPlay to function correctly.

