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Symptom/Vehicle Issue: Washer Inoperative, Weak Or No Spray. Low Washer Indicator May Be Illuminated.

Discussion: The following information is a diagnostic aid for possible washer fluid hose restriction due to blockage and or kinks after recent service repair.

If the washer system is not operating or has a weak spray perform the following steps.

1. Activate the washer pump (front and rear) and listen for motor. Look to see if any amount of fluid is exiting the nozzles.

<<**Note>>>** If the pump(s) do not operate (audible) begin electrical diagnosis. Test fuses, Inspect connectors. Use wiTECH to check and monitor switch operation.

- 2. If pump motor is audible and/or the fluid spray is weak, check fluid level. Fill as needed.
- 3. If pump motor is audible and/or the fluid spray is weak, inspect washer hoses for pinches, kinks, or damage and inspect nozzles for blockage. See figures below for examples and possible locations.
- 4. To inspect nozzles, open hood, remove hood pad, disconnect nozzle assemblies at quick connect.

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Kink example- under A pillar trim



Sharp bend above headliner restricting washer fluid flow

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Under hood washer hose jumper between hood and fender crushed.

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