

Dealer Communication



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From: Audi After Sales Mark Allen				Action Required: NO		Deadline: N/A		

Audi Collision Repair Position Statement of Repair: Unibody Alignment and Repair

The following is applicable to all Audi models:

To promote and maintain its rigorous standards of quality and safety, Audi provides collision repair centers with critical information pertaining to collision repair and parts replacement on Audi vehicles. All Audi vehicles are manufactured using body jigs in the production process to ensure exact structural body alignment, and body panel fit. Collision repairs for correction of body alignment, or structural body panel replacement should only be conducted on Audi of America approved equipment. Audi of America and Audi AG work directly with approved equipment manufacturers to ensure that Audi vehicles are mounted to the body alignment machines by the strongest areas of the vehicle body structure to prevent collateral damage caused by the alignment process, and to validate the body dimensional values.

Note: Audi vehicles should never be affixed to a body alignment machine for structural body alignment by pinch weld clamps or chains as a primary means of mounting/holding the body to alignment machine.

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Dealer personnel will receive this material via email by 9:30 a.m. on **Wednesday, February 29th**.