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Stay in Touch

With advanced digital Airfone Service, you have an airborne office that's equipped to manage business as easily as from ground level -- with services you can depend on. Staying in touch when you travel is easy! Available on many airlines, Airfone Service offers voice, data & fax calling to and from the aircraft. You'll learn all about our service, and we'll keep you up-to-date on our latest money-saving calling programs for frequent fliers.

Calls can be placed at the gate, during take-off, landing, while in-flight and even while the plane is on the ground at most major airports. (In some cases, airport communication transmissions prevent the availability of Airfone Service).

You can rest easy knowing your communications link to the outside world is there for you... from the time you stow your bag in the overhead compartment to when the flight attendant announces that it's time to deplane.

Whether you're travelling for business or pleasure, Airfone Service can help you travel smart. Read the latest [Airfone Success Stories](#) and find out how you can receive a complimentary call card worth thirty minutes.

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Verizon Airfone Aids in Saving Road Warrior's Life

Verizon Airfone recently reminded us all of the power of inflight communications and wireless technology at 35,000 feet.

During Erin (Mack) McKelvey's flight from Los Angeles to Washington, D.C. on United Airlines, she suffered what doctors later diagnosed as a life-threatening pulmonary embolism. There wasn't a doctor on-board but pilot Captain John Heroux connected good-samaritan passenger James Addington to a doctor on the ground via Verizon Airfone service.

Using Verizon Airfone, passenger Addington reported McKelvey's vitals to the doctor, who initially surmised a less threatening condition. At the same time, Pilot Heroux was evaluating emergency landing options. Then McKelvey's vitals worsened requiring an immediate landing in Kansas City. Emergency room doctors later said McKelvey wouldn't have survived without the Verizon Airfone communications available to the pilot, good-Samaritan and medical personnel.

Because the plane and medical expertise was connected with Verizon Airfone service, McKelvey is alive today. She says, "I feel so much comfort now knowing how United leverages Verizon Airfone for more than just to let a loved one know you'll be late/early. I now credit them for providing a lifeline to the ground, enabling a professional and an "angel" to save my life."

McKelvey has nominated Verizon Airfone, passenger Addington and pilot Heroux for a VITA award. Since 1993, The Wireless Foundation's VITA Wireless Samaritan Awards have recognized the outstanding public service of individuals who use wireless technology/devices to save lives, stop crimes and quickly request help in emergencies. A select panel of individuals from law enforcement and emergency response services judge nominees from across the country. Award winners will be announced early this summer.

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North American Service

Verizon's ground station network allows calls to be placed to anywhere in the world while flying over the contiguous U.S., southern regions of Canada, Mexico and within 200 miles of the U.S. coastline. And because the intelligent digital ground network tracks flights and passes calls from one station to the next without interruption, you can expect a clear connection - no matter how long you're on the phone.

Airfone® Service North American Terrestrial Network



Satellite Service

When flying out of range of the ground station network, calls can still be placed on airlines equipped with Satellite Service.

Complete City Listing

United States

- Alabama:** Birmingham
- Arizona:** Phoenix, Winslow
- Arkansas:** Pine Bluff
- California:** Blythe, Los Angeles, Red Bluff, Oakland, San Diego, San Jose (to be completed in 1999), South San Francisco, Visalia
- Colorado:** Colorado Springs, Denver, Hayden
- Florida:** Ft. Lauderdale, Miami, Orlando, Tallahassee, Tampa
- Georgia:** Atlanta, St. Simons Island
- Idaho:** Blackfoot, Caldwell
- Illinois:** Chicago, Kewanee
- Indiana:** Ft. Wayne
- Iowa:** Des Moines
- Kansas:** Garden City, Wichita
- Kentucky:** Louisville
- Louisiana:** New Orleans, Shreveport
- Maine:** Bangor
- Maryland:** Baltimore (to be completed in 1999)

Massachusetts: Boston
Michigan: Detroit
Minnesota: Minneapolis
Mississippi: Meridian
Missouri: Kansas City, Springfield, St. Louis
Montana: Lewistown, Miles City, Missoula
Nebraska: Grand Island, Ogallala
Nevada: Las Vegas, Reno, Tonopah, Winnemucca
New Mexico: Alamogordo, Albuquerque, Aztec, Clayton
New York: New York, Utica
North Carolina: Charlotte, Greensboro, Wilmington
North Dakota: Dickinson
Ohio: Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus
Oklahoma: Warner, Woodward
Oregon: Albany, Klamath Falls, Pendleton, Portland
Pennsylvania: New Cumberland, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh
South Carolina: Charleston
South Dakota: Arberdeen, Mitchell, Rapid City
Tennessee: Elizabethton, Memphis, Nashville
Texas: Dallas/Ft. Worth, Houston, Lubbock, Monahans, San Antonio
Utah: Abajo Peak, Delta, Escalante, Green River, Salt Lake City
Washington: Seattle, Spokane
Washington D.C
West Virginia: Charleston
Wisconsin: Milwaukee, Stevens Point
Wyoming: Riverton

Canada

Broadview, Calgary, Edmonton, Ft. Francis, Halifax, Herbert, Kelwona, Montreal, North Bay, Sault St. Marie, Sidney, St. Johns, Thunder Bay, Toronto, Vancouver, Winnipeg, Broadview, Calgary, Edmonton, Ft. Francis, Halifax, Herbert, Kelwona, Montreal, North Bay, Sault St. Marie, Sidney, St. Johns, Thunder Bay, Toronto, Vancouver, Winnipeg,

Mexico

Cancun, Chihuahua, Culican, Durango, Guadalajara, Hermosillo, Matamoros, Merida, Mexico City, Monterrey, Oaxaca, Obregon, Puerto Penasco, San Luis Potosi, Tampico, Versacruz, Villahermosa,



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