

How to Send a Beam

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This article describes how to send a beam from one Newton to another.

DISCUSSION -----

You can send information from one Newton to another by using an infrared beam. You must point the beam window on the front of each Newton directly at the other from a range of less than three feet.

To beam information to another Newton, follow these steps:

- 1) Go to the information you wish to beam. This can be any item with an Action button (or envelope icon) - a note from the Notepad, a card from the Name File, an appointment from the Date Book, etc.
- 2) Tap the Action button, then tap Beam. A dialog box appears which tells you to make sure the other Newton is ready to receive information. When you have aligned the beam windows of both Newtons, tap Beam.
- 3) Your beam will now be sent. The Out Box will open automatically so you can watch the progress of your beam.

The Newton will try to beam your information for about two minutes. If it cannot send the information, you will see a "timed out" message in the Out Box. If your Newton fails to send a beam:

- Move the Newtons closer together and make sure they're pointed directly at each other.
- Make sure the other Newton is ready to receive a beam.

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