

Calling all antenna engineers: Apple needs you

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(AP) -- Wanted: Three geniuses to improve iPhone antennas.

According to job postings spotted by a reader of technology blog Slashdot, Apple Inc. is hiring engineers to refine [iPhone](#) and iPad antennas.

This wouldn't be notable except that the redesigned iPhone has something of an [antenna](#) problem. [Holding the phone a certain way](#) can cause the signal to fade or cut out.

[Apple](#) isn't saying whether these are new openings or spots that were recently vacated.

But while its public answer to the problem felt flip - buy a protective case, or, in a widely reposted e-mail attributed to CEO Steve Jobs, "Just avoid holding it in that way" - the hunt for experts indicates a real fix could be underway.

More information: Job posting: <http://bit.ly/cCEriy>

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