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SUBJECT: GM® Service Programming Discussion

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Access to the GM Service Programming web portal is needed when servicing GM vehicles and it is determined that an update, reflash, or module replacement is needed. The use of an MDI or Tech 2 as a pass through device is also required for the GM Service Programming portal to communicate with the vehicle that is being serviced. This function of performing an update, reflash, or module replacement is not a function of the normal scan tool and can only be done via the GM Service website: acdelcotds.com.

Alliant Power Offers the GM Service Programming Packages Three Ways:

AP0116 – GM Service Programming Only Package – One Year

Unlimited access to the GM service programming portal

AP0117 – GM Service Programming Only Package – Three Months

Unlimited access to the GM service programming portal for three months

AP0118 – GM Service Programming Only Package – Two Days

Unlimited access to the GM service programming portal for two days



These three options allow you to choose the correct programming coverage based on your business. For instance, if you generally do very little programming on GM vehicles then you may want to only purchase the two day package. This package can be purchased and immediately accessed, so when you know there's a vehicle in your shop that needs this function you will have it and it is a more cost effective option if it is uncertain when it would be used again. If your shop uses this function on a daily or weekly basis then the full year subscription would work best for you.

These service programming packages should not be confused with the GM Vehicle Communication Interface Annual Subscription which is needed for the normal scan tool functions and diagnostics to be performed. This general package is [AP0114](#) and is what is included with the [AP0100](#), [AP0101](#), and the [AP0105](#), [AP0106](#), and [AP0107](#) kits. Those packages DO NOT include access to the GM Service Programming web portal and only pertain to the actual GM scan tool registration. The [AP0115](#) kit includes both one year of the GM Service Programming and one year of the Tech2Win, this package does not include GDS access.



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