

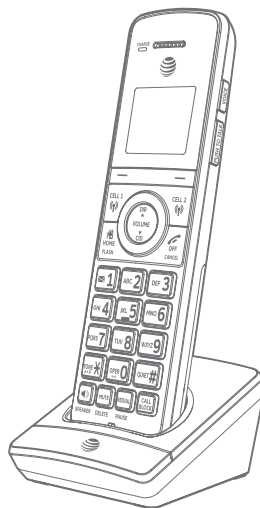


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TL96457/TL96547

DECT 6.0 cordless telephone/
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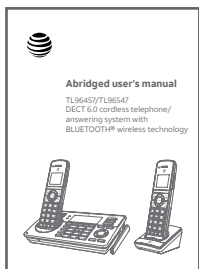
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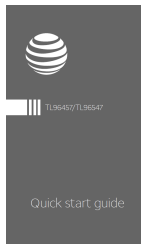
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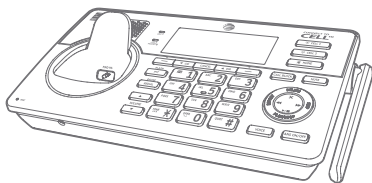
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Quick start guide



Telephone base



Cordless handset
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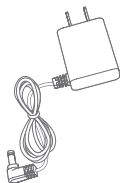
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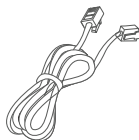
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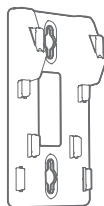
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Power adapter for telephone base



Telephone line cord



Wall-mount bracket

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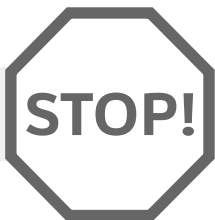
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You must install and charge the battery before using the cordless handset.



See pages 13-15 for easy instructions.

Install the telephone base close to a telephone jack and a power outlet not controlled by a wall switch. The telephone base can be placed on a flat surface or vertically mounted on the wall (page 17). For optimum range and better reception, place the telephone base in a central and open location.

You may hear interference if your cellular phone is too close to the telephone base during a **CELLULAR** call. Make sure that your Bluetooth enabled cellular phone is within 15 feet of the telephone base in order to maintain a clear and consistent connection between your Bluetooth cell phone, telephone base and cell tower.

If you subscribe to high-speed Internet service (DSL - digital subscriber line) through your telephone line, you must install a DSL filter between the telephone line cord and the telephone wall jack (page 11). The filter prevents noise and caller ID problems caused by DSL interference. Please contact your DSL service provider for more information about DSL filters.

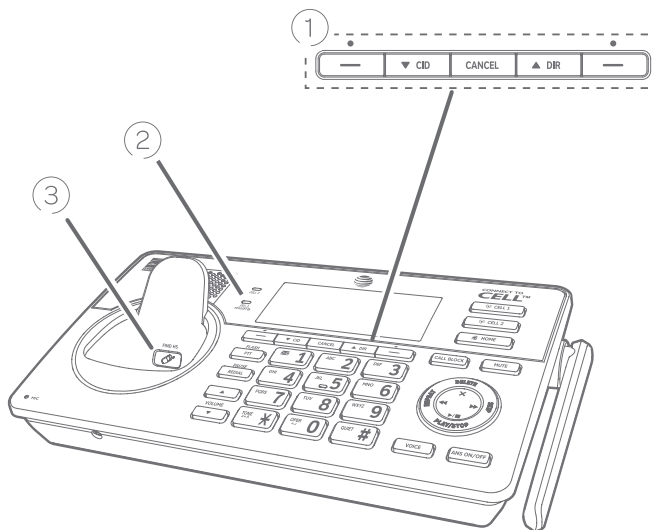
Your product may be shipped with a protective sticker covering the handset or telephone base display - remove it before use.

For customer service or product information, visit our website at **www.telephones.att.com** or call **1 (800) 222-3111**. In Canada, dial **1 (866) 288-4268**.

Avoid placing the telephone base and charger too close to:

- 、 Communication devices such as television sets, VCRs, or other cordless telephones.
- 、 Excessive heat sources.
- 、 Noise sources such as a window with traffic outside, motors, microwave ovens, refrigerators, or fluorescent lighting.
- 、 Excessive dust sources such as a workshop or garage.
- 、 Excessive moisture.
- 、 Extremely low temperature.
- 、 Mechanical vibration or shock, such as on top of washing machine or workbench.

Quick reference guide - telephone base



1 Softkeys (2)

- Press to select the menu item displayed above the key.
- While in a menu, press to select an item, save an entry or setting, cancel an operation, or back up to the previous menu.

▼CID

- Press to scroll down while in a menu.
- Press to review the caller ID log when the telephone is not in use (page 98).
- While entering names or numbers, press to move the cursor to the left.

CANCEL

- While in a menu, press to exit without making changes or press and hold to return to idle mode.
- Press and hold while the telephone is not in use to erase the displayed message (**XX missed calls**, page 97).

▲DIR

- Press to scroll up while in a menu.
- Press to show directory entries when the telephone is not in use (page 91).
- While entering names or numbers, press to move the cursor to the right.

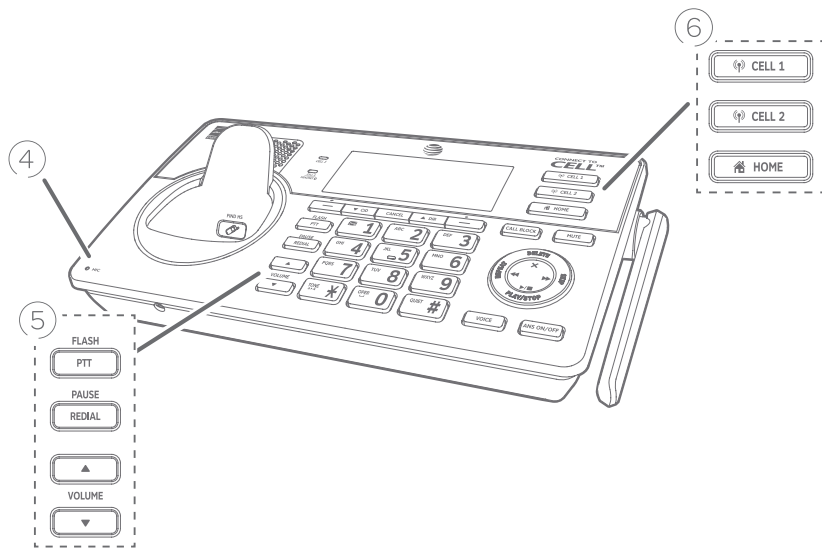
2 CELL 1/CELL 2/HEADSET light

- On when the telephone base is paired and connected with a Bluetooth device.
- Flash alternately while pairing a Bluetooth device.
- Flashes quickly when there is an incoming cell call.

3 /FIND HS

- Press the button to page all system handsets (page 69).

Quick reference guide - telephone base



④ MIC

- ▶ Microphone.

⑤ PTT/FLASH

- ▶ Press to display the PTT menu to begin a PTT call.
- ▶ Press and hold to begin a one-to-group broadcast when the telephone base is not in use (page 81).
- ▶ During a call, press to answer an incoming home call when you receive a call waiting alert (page 55).

REDIAL/PAUSE

- ▶ Press repeatedly to view the last ten numbers dialed (page 65).
- ▶ While entering numbers, press and hold to insert a dialing pause (page 99).

▼/VOLUME/▲

- ▶ Press to adjust the volume during message playback (page 155).

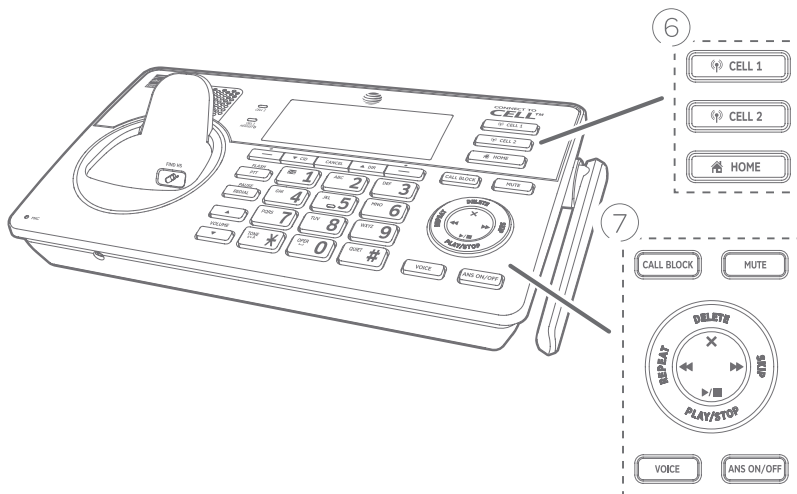
- ▶ Press to adjust the listening volume during a call (page 60).
- ▶ When the phone is not in use, press to adjust the telephone base ringer volume for all lines (page 38).

⑥ CELL 1

- ▶ Press to make, answer or end a cell call on CELL 1 line (page 54).
- ▶ During a call, press to answer an incoming call on CELL 1 line when you hear a call waiting alert (page 56).

CELL 2

- ▶ Press to make, answer or end a cell call on CELL 2 line (page 54).
- ▶ During a call, press to answer an incoming call on CELL 2 line when you hear a call waiting alert (page 56).



6 **HOME** (Speakerphone)

- ▶ Press to make or answer a home call using the speakerphone (page 52).
- ▶ Flashes quickly when there is an incoming home call.
- ▶ Flashes slowly when a home call is on hold.

7 **CALL BLOCK**

- ▶ Press to block the incoming call when the telephone is ringing (page 107) or during the call (page 140).
- ▶ When the handset is not in use, press to show the Smart call blocker menu (page 111).

MUTE

- ▶ During a call, press to mute the microphone (page 61).
- ▶ While the telephone base is ringing, press to silence the ringer temporarily (page 55).

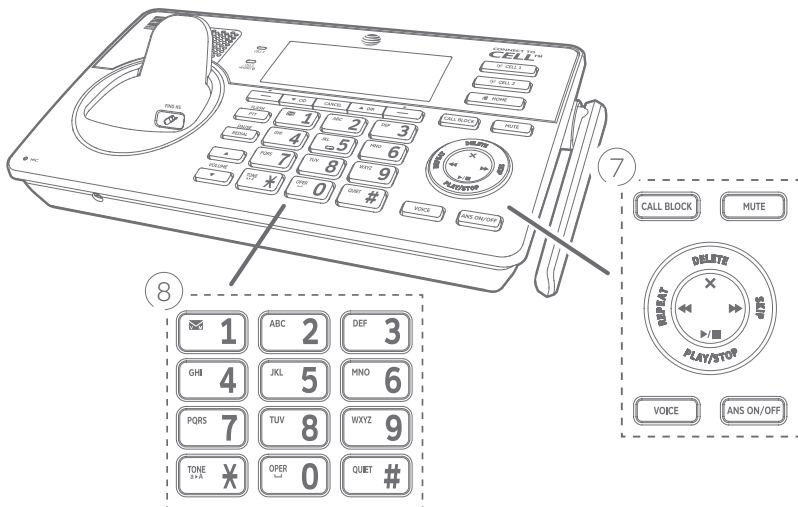
X/DELETE

- ▶ Press to delete the message currently playing (page 155).
- ▶ When the phone is not in use, press twice to delete all previously reviewed messages (page 155).
- ▶ While reviewing the redial list, directory, caller ID log, allow list, block list, or star name list, press to delete an individual entry (pages 68, 95, 105, 121, 117 and 124).
- ▶ While entering names or numbers, press to delete a digit or a character.
- ▶ While predialing, press to delete a digit.

◀/REPEAT

- ▶ During message playback, press to repeat a message or press twice to play the previous message (page 155).

Quick reference guide - telephone base



7 ►/SKIP

- ▶ During message playback, press to skip to the next message (page 155).

►/■/PLAY/STOP

- ▶ Press to play messages (page 155).
- ▶ Press to stop message playback (page 155).

VOICE

- ▶ Press to activate the voice-controlled application of connected cell phone (page 34).

ANS ON/OFF

- ▶ Press to turn the answering system on or off (page 143).

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- ▶ While reviewing a caller ID log entry, press repeatedly to add or remove 1 in front of the telephone number before dialing or saving it in the directory.
- ▶ Press and hold to set (page 43) or to dial your voicemail number.

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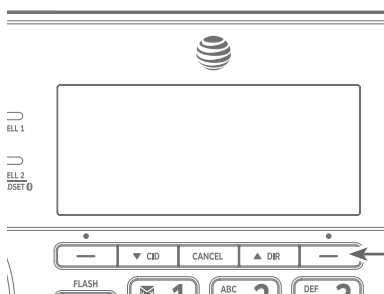
- ▶ Press to switch to tone dialing temporarily during a call if you have pulse service (page 196).
- ▶ While entering names, press to change the next letter to upper or lower case.

QUIET# (pound key)

- ▶ Press repeatedly to display other dialing options when reviewing a caller ID log entry (page 99).
- ▶ Press and hold to enter the **QUIET** mode setting screen, or to deactivate **QUIET** mode (page 50).

Main menu

The selected menu item is highlighted.



Feature menu

- › Answering sys (page 141)
- › Smart call blk (page 107)
- › Directory (page 86)
- › Caller ID log (page 96)
- › Intercom (page 71)
- › Bluetooth (page 19)
- › Ringers (page 38)
- › Set date/time (page 41)
- › Caller ID annc (page 42)
- › Settings (page 40)
- › Web address (page 49)

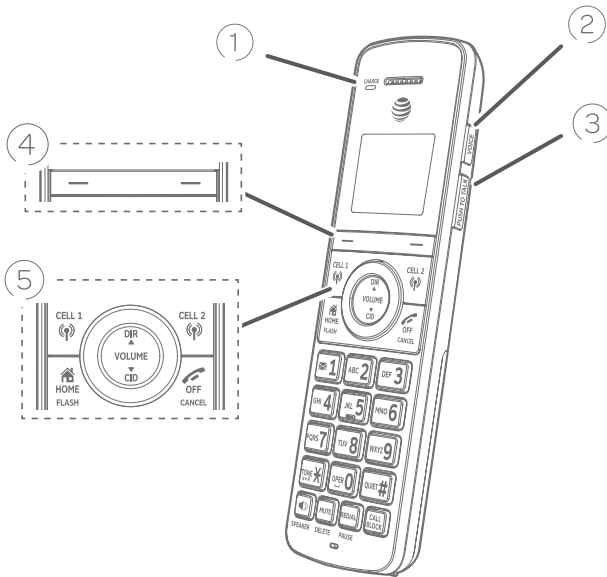
Using menus:

1. Press **MENU** in idle mode (when the telephone is not in use) to enter the main menu.
2. Press **▼CID** or **▲DIR** to scroll through menu items.
3. Press **SELECT** to select or save the highlighted item.

-OR-

Press **BACK** or **CANCEL** to cancel an operation, back up to the previous menu, or exit the menu display.

Quick reference guide - handset



1 CHARGE light

- ▶ On when the handset is charging in the telephone base or charger.

2 VOICE

- ▶ Press to activate the voice-controlled application of connected cell phone (page 34).

3 PUSH TO TALK

- ▶ Press to initiate a one-to-one (page 79) or one-to-group (page 81) broadcast.
- ▶ Press and hold to broadcast to a group of system devices (page 81).

4 Softkeys (2)

- ▶ Press to select the menu item displayed above the key (page 10).
- ▶ While in a menu, press to select an item, save an entry or setting, cancel an operation, or back up to the previous menu.

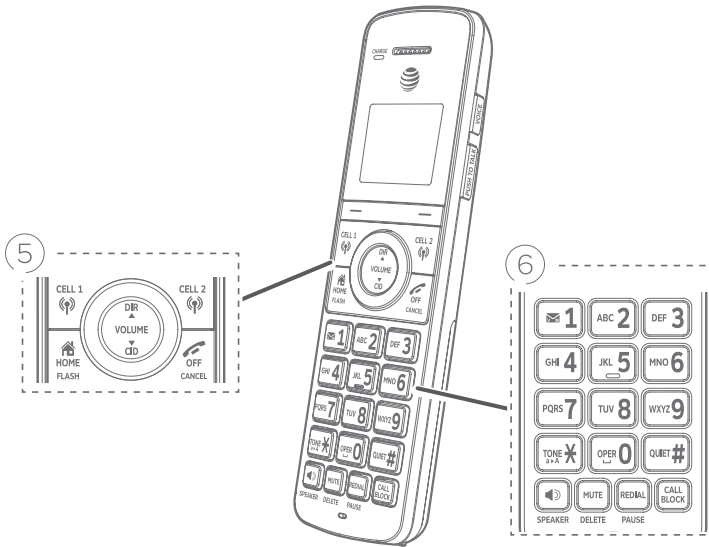
5 CELL 1/CELL 2

- ▶ Press to make or answer a cell call (page 54).
- ▶ During a call, press to answer an incoming CELL 1/2 call when you hear a call waiting alert (page 56).

▲DIR/VOLUME

- ▶ Press to show directory entries when the telephone is not in use (page 91).
- ▶ Press to scroll up while in a menu.
- ▶ Press to increase the listening volume when on a call (page 60), or increase the message playback volume (page 155).
- ▶ While entering names or numbers, press to move the cursor to the right.

Quick reference guide - handset



5 ▼CID/VOLUME

- ▶ Press to review the caller ID log when the telephone is not in use (page 98).
- ▶ Press to scroll down while in a menu.
- ▶ Press to decrease the listening volume when on a call (page 60), or decrease the message playback volume (page 155).
- ▶ While entering names or numbers, press to move the cursor to the left.

🏠HOME/FLASH

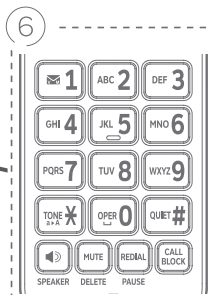
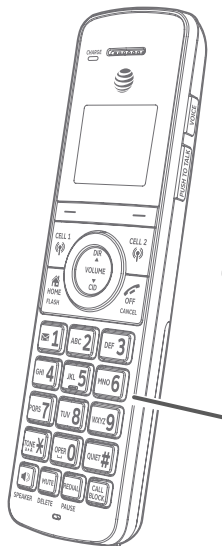
- ▶ Press to make or answer a home call (page 52).
- ▶ During a call, press to answer an incoming home call when you receive a call waiting alert (page 55).
- ▶ During message playback, press to call back the caller if the caller's number is available (page 155).

📞OFF/CANCEL

- ▶ During a call, press to hang up (page 52 or page 54).
- ▶ While in a menu, press to cancel an operation, back up to the previous menu, or exit the menu display; or press and hold this button to exit to idle mode.
- ▶ When the handset is ringing, press to mute the ringer temporarily (page 55).
- ▶ Press and hold while the telephone is not in use to erase the displayed message (**XX missed calls**, page 97).

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- ▶ While reviewing a caller ID log entry, press repeatedly to add or remove 1 in front of the telephone number before dialing or saving it in the directory (page 99).
- ▶ Press and hold to set (page 43) or to dial your voicemail number.



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- Press and hold to enter the **QUIET** mode setting screen, or to deactivate **QUIET** mode (page 50).

/SPEAKER

- Press to make or answer a home call using the speakerphone (page 52).
- Press to answer a cell call using the speakerphone (page 54).
- Press to switch between the speakerphone and the handset (page 60).

MUTE/DELETE

- During a call, press to mute the microphone (page 61).
- When the handset is ringing, press to mute the ringer temporarily (page 55).
- While reviewing the redial list, directory, caller ID log, allow list, block list, or the star name list, press to delete an individual entry (pages 68, 95, 105, 121, 117 and 124).
- While predialing, press to delete digits.
- During message or announcement playback, press to delete the playing message or the recorded announcement.

REDIAL/PAUSE

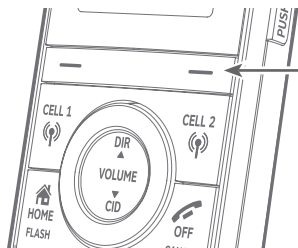
- Press repeatedly to view the last 10 numbers dialed (page 65).
- While entering numbers, press and hold to insert a dialing pause (page 87).

CALL BLOCK

- Press to block the incoming call when the telephone is ringing (page 107) or during the call (page 140).
- When the handset is not in use, press to show the Smart call blocker menu (page 111).

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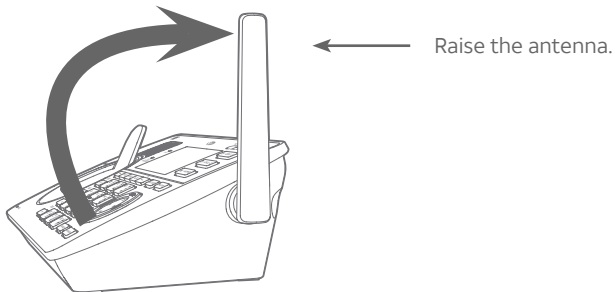
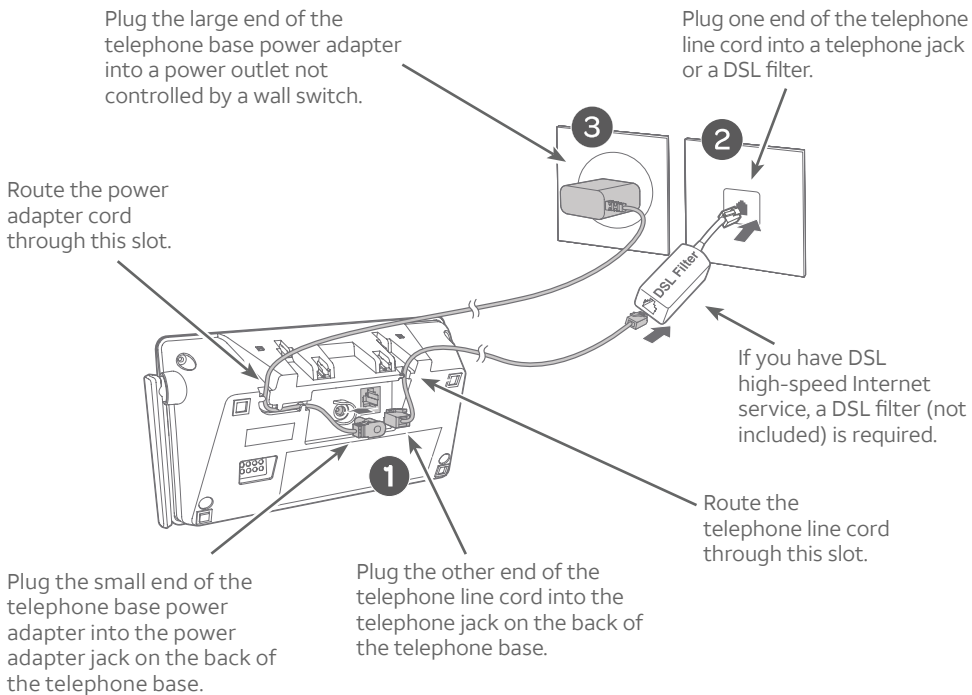
Press **BACK** or **OFF/CANCEL** to cancel an operation, back up to the previous menu, or exit the menu display.

Telephone base and charger installation

Install the telephone base and charger, as shown below.

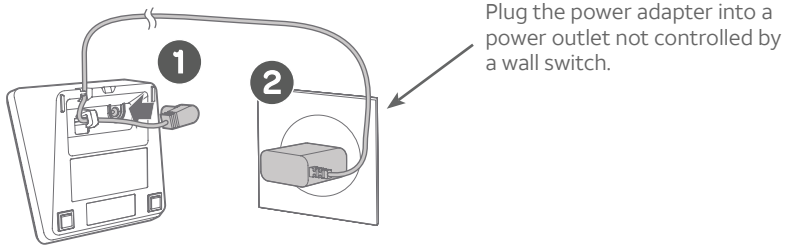
The telephone base is ready for tabletop use. If you want to change to wall-mounting, see **Installation options** on page 17 for details.

Telephone base installation



Telephone base and charger installation

Charger installation



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- ▶ Use only the power adapter(s) provided with this product. To obtain a replacement, visit our website at **www.telephones.att.com** or call **1 (800) 222-3111**. In Canada, dial **1 (866) 288-4268**.
- ▶ The power adapters are intended to be correctly oriented in a vertical or floor mount position. The prongs are not designed to hold the plug in place if it is plugged into a ceiling, under-the-table or cabinet outlet.