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1997 - 2004
DODGE DAKOTA
HOOD COWL

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

NOTE: Fit all parts before painting (See special instructions for paint Prep.) Parts that have been installed, prepped, or painted are not returnable.

VERY IMPORTANT ! Read and understand all directions and check the following parts list before starting installation.

NOTE: NO DRILLING OR CUTTING NECESSARY

PARTS LIST					
1	Hood Cowl	1	Instruction Sheet	1	5/16" Long Round Spacer
3	# 12 Screws	4	Plastic Retainers	4	Adhesive Backed Hose Retaining Clips

TOOL LIST
15 MM Socket, 3/8" Ratchet, Phillips Screwdriver, Door Panel removal Tool Or Equivalent, Safety Glasses

1. Before beginning installation be sure to wear proper eye protection.
2. Open the hood. Remove wiper arm assemblies by lifting plastic cover at base of arm up and back toward arm.
3. Remove the 15 MM nut and remove arms.
4. Remove the rubber seal at the front edge of the stock hood cowl by gently pulling it off.
5. Remove the eight black plastic retainers securing hood cowl to body, (four are located at the edge of the windshield and two each are at right and left sides, under the hood) by inserting the door panel clip removal tool under the head and pry up. Discard retainers, new ones are supplied in installation hardware kit.
6. Lift hood cowl up and disconnect black hoses attached at passenger side of truck. One hose is attached to the vacuum reservoir and one to the squirters.
7. Remove OEM washer squirters by depressing tangs at the front and rear and push out.
8. Remove the three phillips head screws securing reservoir and set aside.
9. Snap washer squirters into place.
10. Insert the three # 12 screws thru the top edge of the hood cowl and screw into the vacuum reservoir. Install the round spacer on the end with the single hole. Tighten snugly. (**CAUTION:** over tightening will strip holes.)
11. Connect hoses to squirters.
12. Attach hose retainers to underside of hood cowl at same locations as factory retainers, making sure to clean area first before attaching. Slide hose in retainers and snap close.
13. Place new hood cowl on truck and connect the two hoses removed in step 6. Attach the hood cowl to truck with the four new plastic retainers. (**NOTE:** No fasteners are used at top side.)
14. Attach the rubber seal to the front edge of new hood cowl by gently pushing it onto edge.
15. Install windshield wipers making sure to tighten nuts securely.
16. Snap covers back into place.