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# MiFis in the Library

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# Agenda



- Air University overview
- The need for unrestricted access
- MiFis
  - Cradlepoint
  - Jetpack
- Patrons & Staff usage
- Questions



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# Internet Access



- .mil
- DREN
- Outreach
  
- Personal accounts & daily passwords
- DREN & Outreach canceled November 2013





# MiFi



- MiFi stands for "My Wi-Fi". MiFis are wireless routers that act as mobile Wi-Fi hotspots.
- MiFis provide internet access for up to ten devices. They work at a distance up to 30 ft.



# MiFi



VERIZON JETPACK® 4G LTE  
MOBILE HOTSPOT MiFi® 5510L



# MiFi







# MiFis



- \$60 a month
  - 20 simultaneous users
- \$38 a month
  - 10 simultaneous users
  - 15 hours of battery life



# MiFi



- Patrons
  - BYOD (laptop, tablet, phone)
  - Access Internet without an account or CAC
    - Students
    - Dependents & retirees
    - Visitors



# MiFi



- Staff
  - ILS patches
  - ILL software
  - Binder software
  - Unfiltered Internet
  - OPAC terminals



# MiFi



- Pros
  - No accounts & passwords
  - Anybody can use them
  - No filters
- Cons
  - We have to pay the monthly bill
  - Reception & speed



# Questions?

