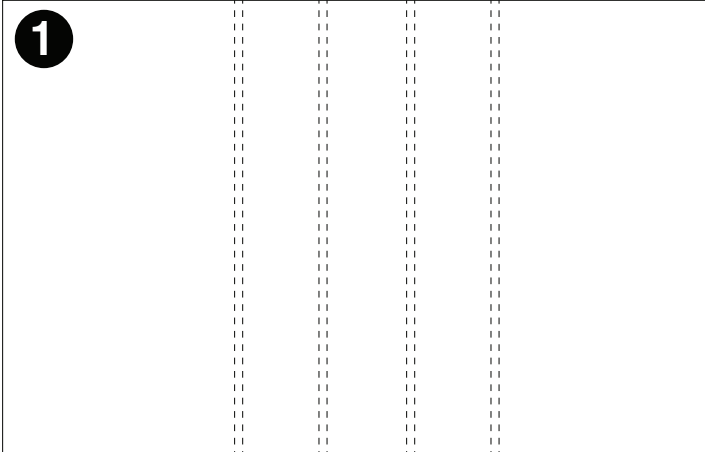


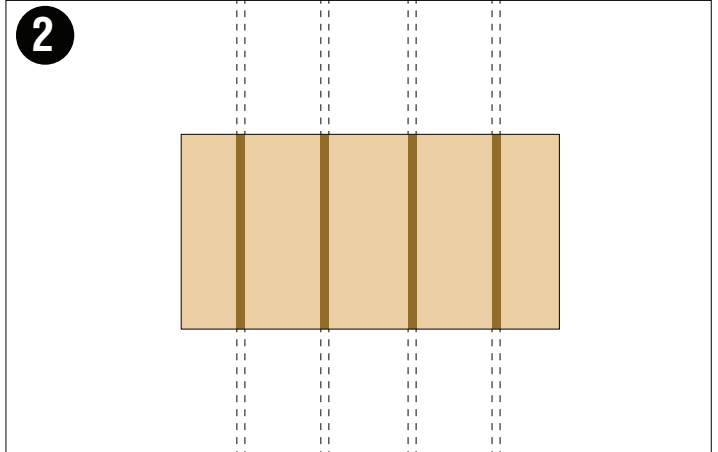
# QX SOUNDBAR WALL REFRAMING FOR RETROFIT INSTALLS

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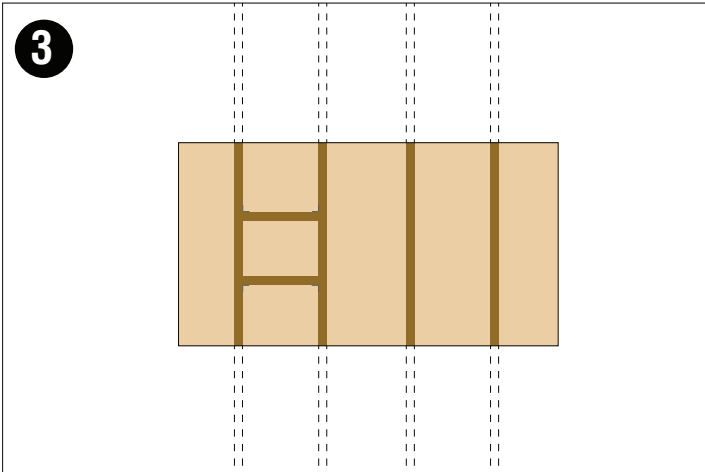
If the installation area is a retrofit, then more than likely reframing of the wall studs may be required to be able to install the QX In-Wall SoundBar properly.

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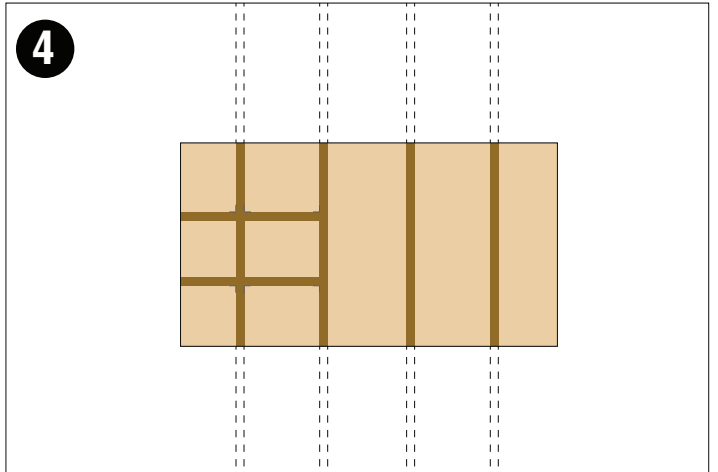
Once the installation location and studs have been identified, enough drywall must be cut away to expose the underlying studs with enough space for reframing to take place.

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Once the drywall section has been removed, the the studs are now free to be braced and cut.

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We recommend bracing each stud on both sides, with your method of choice, before performing cuts on the vertical wall studs.

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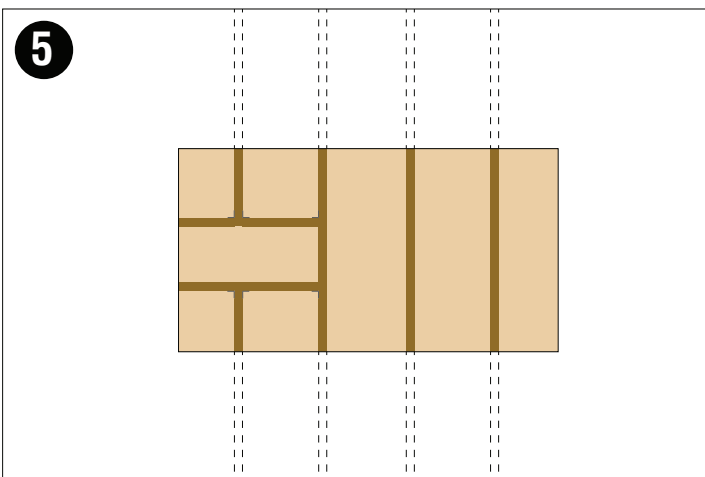
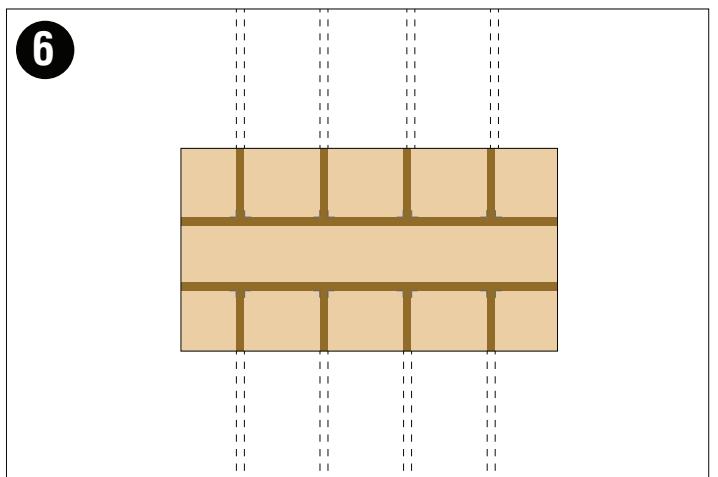


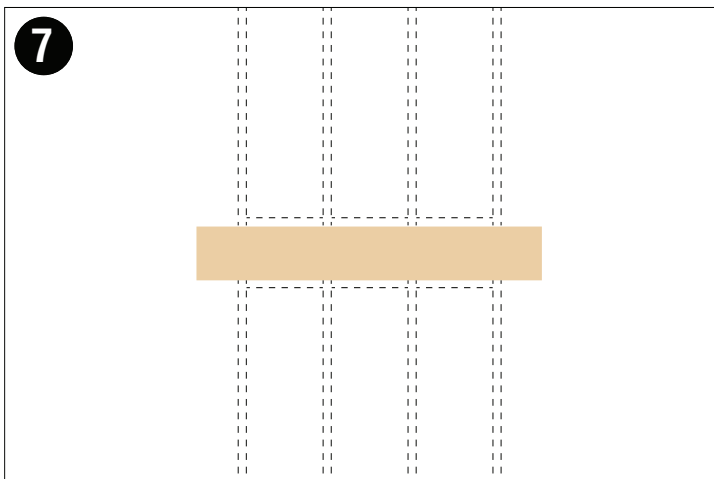
Image of cut vertical stud with braces on either side sides.

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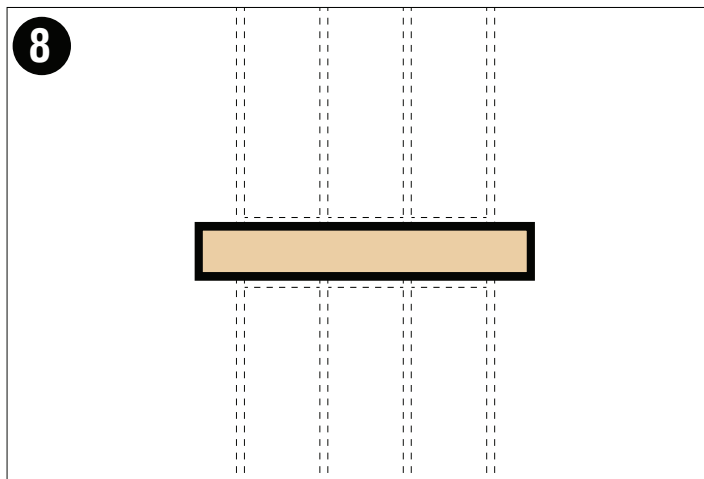


Continue the reframing process until the required length to accommodate the QX SoundBar has been reached.

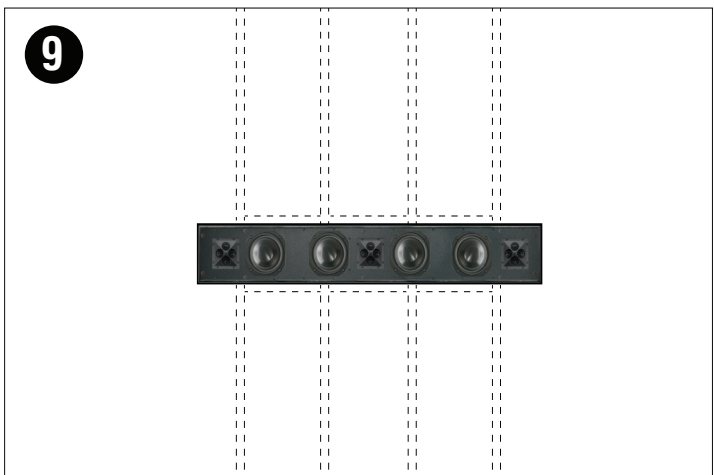
**NOTE:** If you've ordered a preconstruction board, then now would be the time to install it. See the preconstruction installation guide for more information on PCB/PCBF installation.



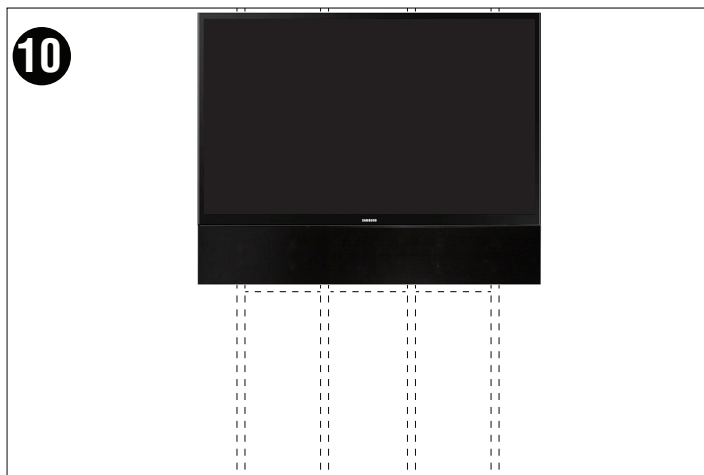
After the wall has been braced, sheetrock must be cut to size to cover the reframed area. The sheetrock must also have a section cut to accommodate the QX frame and SoundBar. After the drywall has been secured to the wall, mudding can be performed to cover any installation seams and retexturing can be done to blend it to the installation area.



After the mudding process is complete and dry, the QX SoundBar's frame can be installed and clamped onto the dry wall.



Once the frame is securely mounted to the dry wall, the SoundBar can be wired, inserted and secured to the frame.



Now the grille can be installed and the display can be mounted to the wall to complete the installation.

*James*