

- Add a stud at the end of the first level of foundation and add a second stud at the beginning of the next level of foundation. Nail the two studs together as shown with 12d commons 3" o.c. staggered
- Cut two pieces of plywood so the combined length equals the length of the required panel and butt the pieces together as shown so each edge is nailed into one of the newly added studs. Nail plywood as normal.

INSTALLING SHEAR PANEL AT STEPPED FOUNDATION