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Subject: Positioning TLB widgets???

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I would like to pop-up a top-level base widget that is automatically positioned on the screen just like DIALOG widgets like `widget_message()`.

Normally, widgets I make appear as outlines waiting to be positioned by the user. I have tried setting the `XOFFSET` and `YOFFSET` properties of the top-level base. There is mention of setting some `Xdefaults` resources, but the DIALOG widgets behave fine in the current environment, therefore so should mine (?). How do the DIALOG widgets tell the window manager to automatically place them at a particular position?

Thanks for any help.

P.S. This is for Unix under Xwindows.

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