



Hey, Ontario! **HAVE HEARING LOSS?**

There may be financial assistance available to you.



PRIVATE HEALTH PLANS

Many adults have extended health benefits through their employer or through other insurance plans (such as Greenshield and Blue Cross). These plans will cover varying amounts toward the cost of hearing devices, usually at repeating intervals (for example, every 3 or 5 years are common intervals).

ASSISTIVE DEVICES PROGRAM (ADP)

Clients with an Ontario health card can benefit from the provincial government's Assistive Devices Program. This program will pay \$500 per hearing device (per ear) usually every 5 years (sometimes sooner under certain conditions).

WORKPLACE SAFETY AND INSURANCE BOARD (WSIB)

WSIB provides hearing devices, batteries, and repairs for those who suffered hearing loss from occupational noise exposure. Claims can be processed even in retirement. It is never too late to apply. Clients covered under WSIB receive new hearing devices every 5 years. We can also assist clients in completing their WSIB claim form.

VETERANS AFFAIRS CANADA (VAC)

Any veteran could qualify for coverage through VAC if hearing loss is determined to be due, in part, to military noise exposure. VAC will cover a new set of hearing devices every 4 calendar years, as well as repairs and batteries.

INDIGENOUS SUPPORT

Coverage for hearing devices may be available through Health Canada's NIHB (Non-Insured Health Benefits), FNIHB (First Nations and Inuit Health Branch), or Akwesasne Non-Insured Health Benefits; whichever applies to your region.

ONTARIO DISABILITY SUPPORT PROGRAM (ODSP)

ODSP recipients, their spouses and dependent children, may qualify for the Hearing Aid Benefit. The ODSP recipient must meet with their ODSP caseworker to determine eligibility for the Hearing Aid Benefit.

ONTARIO WORKS (OW)

Coverage for hearing devices is provided for low-income families and for those receiving Financial Assistance. The coverage is for hearing devices only; no services or supplies are covered.

FINANCING OPTIONS

For those who are unable to pay for hearing devices in full up-front, we offer in-house financing options with affordable payment plans and no credit checks.



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