Hearing Aid Information



Unfortunately, DHHS does not assist with hearing aids.

Here is a list of who to contact about Hearing Aid assistance.

1. **Vocational Rehabilitation:** For those with a disability that are wanting to work or are working and are needing assistance. Please contact the local office to apply: https://www.in.gov/fssa/ddrs/rehabilitation-employment/vocational-rehabilitation-employment/

2. **Medicaid:** if you have Medicaid insurance they will pay for at least 1 hearing aid, maybe two. You will need to contact an audiologist in your area that works with Medicaid.

3. **Medicare:** If you have part C, hearing aids may be covered. Also, if you have an MSP: Medical Savings Programs

4. **DHHS' Resource Directory** list organizations that assist with hearing aids. You can find the directory on DHHS' website.

5. **Over the Counter Hearing Aids.** Depending on your hearing loss, if it is mild or moderate, you would be able to purchase OTC hearing aids from Best Buy and other local electronic stores. Severe hearing loss does not qualify.

6. **State employees:** you can take advantage of the State Employee Hearing Aid Discount Program: <u>http://www.investinyourhealthindiana.com/hearing-aids-available-at-a-reduced-rate-to-employees/</u>

7. **Easterseals Crossroads** has a low financing option for Indiana residents needing assistance with technology: <u>www.eastersealstech.com/financing</u>

Unfortunately, hearing aids do not last forever! It will be an ongoing expense throughout your life.