

Provincial Hearing Aid Program (Department of Advanced Education, Skills, and Labour)

Do you need financial help to buy hearing aids?

People with a low income **may** be eligible to receive assistance through the Provincial Hearing Aid Program.

- See if you qualify.
- Find out how to apply.
- Get help with the application process.

To receive financial assistance:

Apply to the Provincial Hearing Aid Program through your nearest regional Advanced Education, Skills, and Labour office (AESL).

Fill in an application form or complete the financial assessment over the telephone to see if you are eligible for the program.

If you qualify:

An authorization form will be sent to the Regional Health Authority's nearest audiology department (not at a private practice).

The audiology department will then contact you about an appointment.

It is important to know that:

You must be approved for the program before you purchase the hearing aid.

You cannot purchase the hearing aid first and then apply to be reimbursed for the cost.

Need help with the application process?

The Canadian Hard of Hearing Association NL (CHHA) can help you with the application process if needed.

For more information call Andrea at CHHA at 1-888-753-3224

For additional information and to download an application: <http://chha-nl.ca/services/funding/>

Program Phones:

Toll Free: 1-877-729-7888 Avalon region AESL

TTY: 1-877-292-4205

Toll Free: 1-888-632-4555 Central region AESL

TTY: 1-877-292-4205

Toll Free: 1-866-417-4753 Western region AESL

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Toll Free: 1-866-449-3144 Labrador region AESL

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