# Your Community Hearing Health Newsletter

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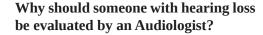


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### What Is An Audiologist?

An Audiologist is the professional who specializes in evaluating and treating people with hearing loss, Audiologists have extensive training and skills to evaluate the hearing of adults, infants and children of all ages. Audiologists conduct a wide variety of tests to determine the exact nature of an individual's

hearing problem. Audiologists present a variety of treatment options to patients with hearing impairment. Audiologists dispense and fit hearing aids, administer tests of balance to evaluate dizziness, and provide hearing rehabilitation training. Audiologists refer patients to physicians when the hearing problem needs medical or surgical evaluation.



Audiologists hold masters or doctoral degrees from accredited universities with special training in the prevention, identification, assessment and non-medical treatment of hearing disorders. Audiologists are required to complete a full-time internship and pass a demanding national competency examination. By virtue of their graduate education,

professional certification and licensure, audiologists are the most qualified professionals to perform hearing tests, refer patients for medical treatment and provide hearing rehabilitation services.

#### What do audiologists do?

Hearing Testing. Audiologists use specialized equipment to obtain accurate results about hearing loss. These tests are typically conducted in sound-treated rooms with calibrated equipment. The audiologist is trained to inspect the eardrum with an otoscope, perform limited ear wax removal, conduct

diagnostic audiologic tests and check for medically-related hearing problems.

Hearing loss is caused by medical problems about 10% of the time. Audiologists are educated to recognize these medical problems and refer patients to ear, nose and throat physicians. Most persons with hearing impairment can benefit from the use of hearing aids, and audiologists are knowledgeable about the latest applications of hearing aid technology.

What is the difference between an Audiologist and a Hearing Aid Dispenser.

The biggest difference is in education and certification requirements. A dispenser is not required to have a college degree. They are limited to the fitting and

dispensing hearing aids and can't do the testing required to determine the underlying cause of certain hearing problems.

"I am just as deaf as I am blind. The problems of deafness are deeper and more complex, if not more important than those of blindness. Deafness is a much worse misfortune. For it means the loss of the most vital stimulus-- the sound of the voice that brings language, sets thoughts astir, and keeps us in the intellectual company of man."

Helen Keller

# Want to keep your hearing loss a secret? Now you can!

Introducing Starkey's Secret Ear® wireless hearing aids, the secret to getting more out of your life.





# Join us for our 3-Day Special Event!

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday

# August 6th, 7th & 8th



### Schedule your appointment for:

**FREE** hearing consultation

**FREE** otoscopic examination of your ears, it may just be wax!

FREE demonstration of the NEW Secret ear hearing aids

FREE clean and check, if you currently wear hearing aids.

# Appointments are limited, CALL TODAY!

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# Summer Berry Parfait with Yogurt and Granola



Serves 4

3 cups sliced strawberries 3 cups blueberries

4 (6 oz.) containers vanilla yogurt 1/4 cup wheat germ

2 bananas, sliced

1-1/3 cups granola

#### **Directions**

Layer 1/4 cup strawberries, 1/4 cup blueberries, 1/3 container yogurt, 1/3 tablespoon wheat germ, 1/3 of the sliced banana, and about 2 tablespoons of granola in a large bowl. Continue to build the parfait, repeating the layers until all of the ingredients are used completely.



# New Patient Special \$500 off



This offer good on a premium pair of wireless hearing aids.

Individual results may vary, based on your ear's anatomy & technology needed.

May not be combined with other offers.

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### Are You New to Eartech? Check Us Out!







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## **Uncompromising Service**

- ✓ Licensed Hearing Professionals Where you purchase your hearing aids is just as important as what you purchase. Too many hearing aids end up "in-the-drawer" because the right hearing aid wasn't fit or was improperly programmed. Our many satisfied users attest to the skill of our professional staff.
- ✓ Many styles and brands to choose from Unlike some franchises or "big box" stores, we aren't limited to just a few brands. We offer a wide variety of hearing instruments to fit just about any budget or hearing loss.
- Our Guarantee Your satisfaction is of upmost importance to us. If in the first 45 days of purchasing a hearing aid, it fails to meet your expectations we'll replace it at no charge.



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### Services

- Hearing Device Evaluations & Dispensing
- Audiological Testing & Services
- Assistive Listening Devices and wireless TV
- Cleaning & Maintenance
- Educational Classes
- Musician's Earplugs
- Swim Molds
- Custom Cell Phone Earmolds
- Noise Protectors
- Diagnose and treat dizziness and balance disorders

### We accept all insurances and Flex Spending.

Learn more at www.eartechaudiology.com

### **Annual Hearing Checkup**

If you haven't had your hearing checked in the last year, we encourage you to call for a no cost hearing screening. You'll know more and feel better for coming in!

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