

SCHEDULE A - FEE STRUCTURE (Hearing Claims)

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Service	Business Rules	Fee
Hearing Assessment Includes:		
 otoscopy and tympanometry 	 A full hearing assessment is to be conducted by an audiologist. 	\$75 1/4yrs
 air conduction testing of frequencies 250Hz - 8000Hz, including interoctaves (insert earphones preferred) 		
 bone conduction testing of 500Hz, 1000Hz, 2000Hz and 4000Hz (masked bone where interaural attenuation levels have been exceeded) 		
 retrocochlear testing (if available) for clinically significant asymmetry 		
 speech reception thresholds, speech discrimination scores 		
 tinnitus matching if applicable 		
 a written report to accompany audiogram 		
Hearing Re-assessment Includes:		0.4 5
 otoscopy and tympanometry 	 Service may be provided by an audiologist or hearing instrument practitioner under the 	\$45 1/1yr
 air conduction testing of frequencies 250Hz - 8000Hz, including interoctaves (insert earphones preferred) 	 A full hearing assessment can be conducted if deemed necessary by the audiologist (for example, hearing changes 	
speech reception thresholds and speech discrimination scores		
a written report to accompany audiogram	significantly, emerging signs of retrocochlear pathology etc). Reasoning must be stated.	
Fees for Service	Business Rules	Fee
Hearing Aid Fitting Fee Includes:		
 ear impressions, hearing aid selection, fitting, verification and adjustment 	 Service may be provided by an audiologist or hearing instrument practitioner under the supervision of an audiologist. Flat fee - per hearing aid. Fee does not include the invoice cost of earmold(s). 	\$475 per aid 1/4yrs
 instructions to the claimant concerning operation, device care and maintenance 		
 follow-up for one year, including on-site repairs, counselling and fitting adjustments 		
 re-fitting of a hearing aid within one year of fitting (if replaced under the manufacturers warranty) 		
Hearing Aid Post Fitting Follow-up Fee	 Flat fee. Service may be provided by an audiologist or hearing instrument practitioner under the supervision of an audiologist. 	\$75 per aid 1/4yrs
Follow-up within the manufacturers warranty period, which may include modifications, adjustments, verification of the electroacoustic characteristics of the hearing aids, re-instruction and counselling.		
Hearing Aid Return Fee	Flat fee - per hearing aid.	\$50 per aid
Applicable if a hearing aid is returned within the original manufacturer's return period.	Not billable if a fitting fee applies.	
Fitting Fee for Assistive Listening Devices Requires pre-approval. Applies only when a device other than a hearing aid is supplied to the Client and requires an assessment, counselling or training in the use of the device.	Flat fee.	\$100 1/4yrs
Hearing Aid Re-adjustment Fee Adjustments to the electro acoustic functioning of the hearing aid.	Flat fee - per hearing aid.Applicable after the first year of fitting.	\$25 1/1 yr
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Repairs	Business Rules	Fee
In-house Repairs - if required Parts, fabrication and dispensing for minor in-house servicing, adjustments, reprogramming and/or repairs such as battery doors, re-tubing earmolds, ear hooks, soft coat, removing and changing wax guards from the hearing aid.	 Flat Fee - maximum three times per year, per aid. Not billable within 12 months of a fitting fee. Not billable with an out-of-office repair fee, except if the in-house service is for an earmold and the out-of-office repair is for a BTE style hearing aid for the same ear. 	\$20 3/1 per aid
Out-of-Office Repairs - if required Evaluation before and/or after to determine if the repair, circuit and/or shell change meets the needs of the Client; and any shipping and handling charges.	 Flat Fee - once every year per aid. One year repair warranty from the manufacturer is to be requested. Manufacturer's invoice must be submitted with each out-of-office repair. 	\$75 1/1yr (plus the manufacturer invoice cost of the repair)
Ear Impressions Applicable when a replacement shell is required for a custom hearing aid or a replacement earmold for a Behind the Ear style hearing aid.	 Flat fee - maximum one time per year - per ear. Not billable if fitting fee applies. 	\$30 - Maximum 1/1yr (plus the manufacturer invoice cost of the earmold)
Products	Business Rules	Fee
Hearing Aids	 Prior approval required. A copy of the manufacturer's invoice is to be included with billing. 	\$2000 per aid - Maximum 1/4yrs (plus the fitting fee mentioned above)
FM Systems	 Prior approval required. A copy of the manufacturer's invoice is to be included with billing. 	\$2000 per unit - Maximum 1/4yrs (plus the fitting fee mentioned above)
Amplified Telephone	 Prior approval required. A copy of the manufacturer's invoice is to be included with billing. 	\$250 - Maximum 1/5yrs (plus the fitting fee mentioned above)
Infrared TV System	 Prior approval required. A copy of the manufacturer's invoice is to be included with billing. 	\$425 - Maximum 1/5yrs (plus the fitting fee mentioned above)
Earmolds (including open fit earmolds) Batteries	 Prior approval not required. A copy of the manufacturer's invoice is to be included with billing. The ear impression fee is not billable with open fit earmolds. 	
Batteries	Clients may pay for batteries and send the receipt in for reimbursement from WSCA or the vendor can invoice WSCA directly.	\$250 - Maximum 1/1yr

Note:

- Billing will be accepted for up to 1yr after the service has been provided.
- A copy of the original manufacture invoice for products is to accompany billing forms.
- Any request for a service or product not included on this form, or any deviation of the business rules will be decided on a case to case basis.