



Hear 4 You Program

by Manatee Hearing & Speech Center

1. **Application Processing Fee:** \$150 for one (1) hearing aid **OR** \$300 for two (2) hearing aids. *If you are denied, the processing fee will be returned.*

2. ***Income Guidelines:**

PERSONS IN HOUSEHOLD	YEARLY NET INCOME	MONTHLY NET INCOME
1	\$24,280	\$2,024
2	\$32,920	\$2,744
3	\$41,560	\$3,464
4	\$50,200	\$4,184

3. ***In determining eligibility, we consider the following:** funds available from all sources, assets, and hearing loss.
 - a. Household Size (household is defined as those living together or dependent on each other)
 - b. Net Monthly or Annual Income from all in the household who have income. If working, provide your most recent paystub with year-to-date earnings. Possible sources of income are:
 - i. Social Security and SSI, VA Pension, Child Support, Public Assistance, Alimony, Welfare, AFDC, Disability, Work Pension, Wages, Old Age Pension, Black Lung Payments, Interest from Stocks - IRAs, 401(k)s
 - c. Assets
 - i. Checking, Money Market Accounts - IRA/401(k), Reverse Mortgage, Savings, CDs, Home Equity Loan, Stocks/Bonds, Burial Accounts, Property, Annuities

4. **We ask that you submit a one (1) page essay** addressing the following:
 - a. Why you are interested in the Hear 4 You program
 - b. Your day-to-day environments and activities
 - c. How hearing loss impacts you

5. Applications may only be submitted once every four (4) years

6. If you qualify for the Hear 4 You Program, the following are included in your treatment plan:
 - One (1) year manufacturer repair warranty
 - Comprehensive fitting appointment including real-ear measures
 - Three (3) complimentary follow up appointments to be used within one year
 - Six month supply of batteries
 - Initial packet of hearing aid supplies for your device(s)

7. Additional costs associated with your Hear 4 You hearing aids:
 - Hearing aid check up appointments after the three included appointments
 - \$60/appt to see the audiologist
 - \$40/appt to see the audiology assistant
 - Hearing aid supplies including: earmolds, domes, wax guards, batteries
 - Repair costs once the one year manufacturer warranty has expired (starting at \$150/aid)
 - There is NO loss and damage warranty for the devices
 - There is NO trial period for the devices

We reserve the right to change the application requirements at any time without notice.

Applicant's signature _____ Date _____