

# Children's Hearing Aid Program

## Who is eligible?

Manitoba residents under the age of 18 who require a hearing aid, as prescribed by an otolaryngologist or audiologist, and do not have the costs paid through other provincial or federal programs, are eligible.

## What is covered?

Manitoba Health, Seniors and Active Living will reimburse:

- 80 per cent of a fixed amount for an analog device, up to a maximum of \$500 per ear
- 80 per cent of a fixed amount for a digital or analog programmable device, up to a maximum of \$1800
- 80 per cent of a fixed amount for additional services, such as dispensing fees, ear molds, and ear impressions.

## How many claims can be made?

One device is allowed per ear every four years, unless there is a medically diagnosed change in the patient's condition.

## Is there a deductible?

There is a \$75.00 deductible on all claims.

## What is not covered?

- Repairs
- Batteries
- Ear mold Replacements
- Additional ear molds
- Lost hearing aids

## How do I submit a claim?

Once they have supplied the hearing device to a Manitoba resident under the age of 18, the audiologist or otolaryngologist will complete and submit a [Hearing Aid Claim Form](#) to Manitoba Health, Seniors and Active Living on the individual's behalf.

### Manitoba Health, Seniors and Active Living

#### Ancillary Programs

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