

Changing your hearing aid batteries

Information for
patients

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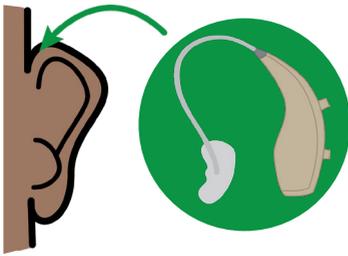
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This booklet uses easy words and pictures.

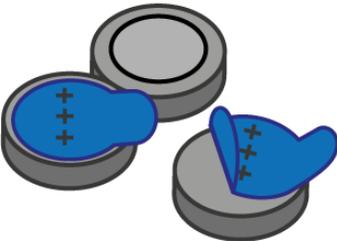
You might want to ask someone to help you read it.

hearing aid



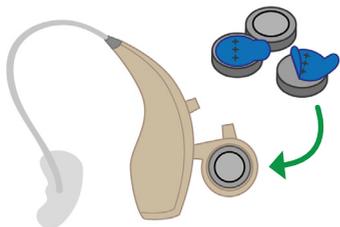
You have had some hearing aids fitted to help you hear better.

hearing aid batteries



Your hearing aid has batteries.

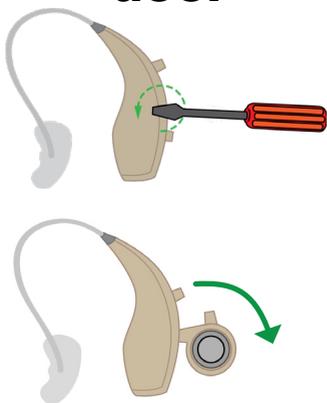
change batteries



remove sticker



open battery door

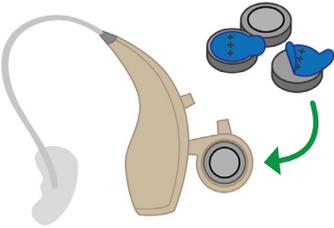


These batteries will need changing when they stop working.

To change them you need to:

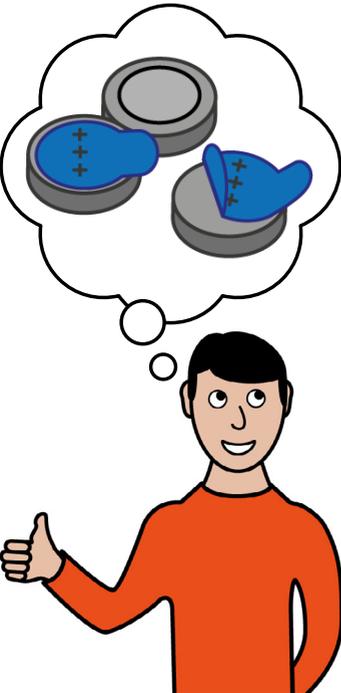
- Remove the sticker from the new battery.
- Open the battery door.

change batteries



- Take the old battery out and put the new battery in the battery door.

getting new batteries



Getting new batteries

You can collect batteries from these places:

- Wharfedale Hospital
- Pudsey Health Centre
- Yeadon Health Centre
- Thorpe Park
- Armley Clinic
- Wetherby Health Centre
- Holt Park
- Hunslet Health Centre

battery card

HEARING & BALANCE CENTRE		 The Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust	
Name:	<input type="text"/>		
DOB:	<input type="text"/>	Date of Issue:	<input type="text"/>
Battery type:	<input type="checkbox"/> Orange	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue	<input type="checkbox"/> Brown
Month/Year batteries issued 6 monthly			
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

You need to take your battery card with you when you get new batteries.

post batteries



The Audiology team can post your batteries to you.

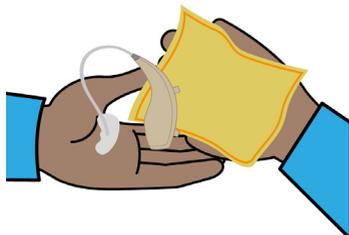
keep clean



Cleaning your hearing aid

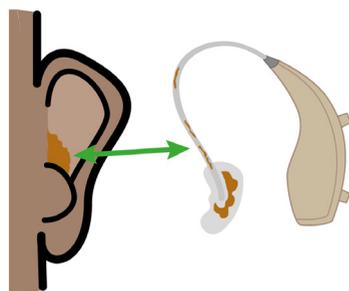
You need to keep your hearing aid clean.

cleaning hearing aid



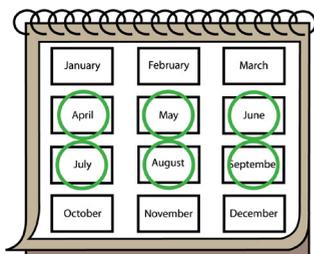
You can clean your hearing aid with a soft, damp cloth or a damp tissue.

earwax



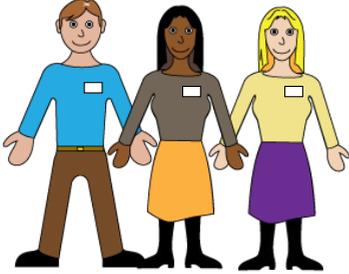
Check there is no wax in the tube.

every 6 months



The tube needs changing every 6 months by the audiology department.

Audiology team



call us



email us



The Audiology team are able to help if you have a problem.

You can call on:

0113 518 1823

You can email on:

**leedsth-tr.hearingand
balance@nhs.net**

health passport



If you have a Learning Disability or Autism diagnosis please complete a Health Passport and return it to the Learning Disability and Autism team on:

**leedsth-tr.lidautism
@nhs.net**



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