

Audiologists

Where we work:

- Armed Forces
- Ear, nose & throat (ENT) clinics
- Hospitals
- Industries with hearing conservation programs
- Private and group practice
- Residential health and long-term care facilities
- Schools
- State public health departments
- Universities

What we don't do:

- Perform surgery to correct hearing or ear deformities
- Prescribe medications to treat ear disorders
- Provide vestibular physical therapy treatment

What we do:

Work with people across the lifespan (newborns-seniors) to prevent, assess, diagnose, and manage varying levels of hearing and balance disorders including, but not limited to:

- Hearing Loss
- Vestibular (Balance) Disorders
- Tinnitus
- Middle Ear Dysfunction
- Otosclerosis
- Auditory Neuropathy
- Auditory Processing Disorders
- Hyperacusis
- Misophonia

What else we can do:

- Recommend, fit, program, and adjust hearing aids to match lifestyle needs
- Activate and map/program Cochlear Implants and Bone-Anchored Hearing Aids
- Recommend and provide hearing assistive technology systems (HATS) for the hard of hearing
- Remove excess cerumen (ear wax)
- Make ear impressions for hearing devices or hearing protection
- Provide audiologic rehabilitation, including lip reading, language development, and auditory skills development
- Help patients and families better deal with the psycho-social stresses of hearing loss
- Advocate for treatments, such as hearing aids and cochlear implants, from insurers and other healthcare providers

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