

SOUND OFF - JULY 2021

Over-The-Counter Hearing Aids: What's the Big Deal?

President Biden signed an executive order on July 9th, 2021 directing the Department of Health and Human Services "to consider issuing proposed rules within 120 days for allowing hearing aids to be sold over the counter."

OTC Hearing Aids are intended for people with mild to moderate hearing loss.

The Marion Downs Center supports access to OTC hearing aids, however we also believe that audiologists are a critical component of hearing health care!



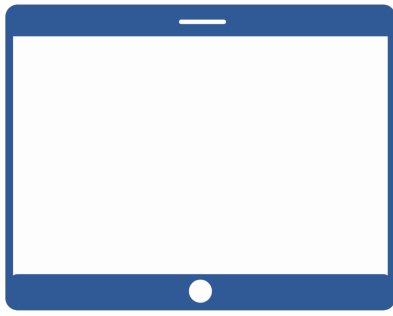
The MDC embraces affordable hearing technology. In line with the American Speech, Language, Hearing Association and the American Academy of Audiology, we recommend an evaluation and consultation with a licensed audiologist. The audiologists at the MDC are experts in hearing evaluations and hearing technology.

The non-profit mission of the MDC includes consumer education in technology options including OTC and prescription fit solutions. We do not have sales quotas or sales commissions and are committed to improving communication as our primary goal. The MDC is your unbiased source of support and education for hearing improvement and communication strategies.

[Email Us About OTC Hearing Aids](#)

Donate Your Smartphones and Tablets!

**Have any extra smartphones or tablets lying around?
Donate your phones or tablets to the Marion Downs Center!**



Did you know, you can donate old smartphones or tablets to a non-profit organization? Your donations go towards supporting the community. Contact us for more information.



[Email Us About Tech Donations](#)

Masks Required Inside Our Building



**MASKS
REQUIRED
INSIDE**



**NOT FEELING WELL?
STAY HOME!**

In light of recent developments with the Delta variant of COVID-19, the Marion Downs Center is requiring masks inside our building.

The Marion Downs Center remains committed to protecting our patients and staff.

If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to call us at 303-322-1871 or email us!

[Email Us For More Information](#)

Back to School: Speech & Language Evaluations



As families prepare for their children's return to school in the next few months, the Marion Downs Center is available to offer evaluations in speech and language.

With up-to-date information, parents and caretakers can work with schools to ensure children are getting appropriate services and supports. Financial assistance is available and we accept most insurances.

Contact us for more information or to schedule an evaluation.

[Email Us About Speech & Language Evaluations](#)

Support Marion Downs Center

Make a minimum donation of \$250 to receive Colorado Child Care Tax Credit!

Did you know that you can claim an income tax credit of 50% of total qualifying contributions to promote child care in Colorado?

Make a minimum donation of \$250 to qualify your donation for the Child Care Tax Credit, and indicate on your donation that you would like to receive the tax credit!

Be sure to make your donation before December 31st to receive your Colorado Child Care Tax Credit form in January.

[MAKE A DONATION](#)



DONATE YOUR USED HEARING DEVICES

Donate your used hearing aids, cochlear implants or assistive listening devices to someone in need through the Marion Downs Center's financial assistance program.

Submit A Review Online!

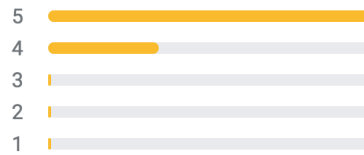
We continue to expand our visibility in the community in different ways. One way you

can help is by submitting a review of our business on Google, Yelp, or Facebook.

[Submit a Google Review](#)

[Submit a Yelp Review](#)

[Submit a Facebook Review](#)



4.8



8 reviews

[Write a review](#)

Shop at www.smile.amazon.com and Support Marion Downs Center!

Did you know that you can support the Marion Downs Center by using AmazonSmile? It is a simple and automatic way for you to contribute every time you shop at no cost to you.



Go to smile.amazon.com (instead of Amazon.com), select the Marion Downs Center as your charitable organization, and the AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price from your eligible AmazonSmile purchases.

Please consider giving your Amazon purchases the power to be a win for both you and the Marion Downs Center. Thank you for your contribution!

Marion Downs Center | www.mariondowns.org | contact@mariondowns.org

