UNCG Speech and Hearing Center



The Speech and Hearing Herald

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Check out our "Final Four" bracket!

Widex Beyond⁺ⁱ

- Largest sound "window" in the industry reduces distortion
- Up to 30% better speech understanding in wind
- Preferred "real time" sound during streaming

Oticon Opn⁺ⁱ

- OpenSound Navigator™ for sound prioritization
- Speech Guard™ provides 30% better speech understanding
- BrainHearing™ technology for ease of listening (20% reduced effort and 20% better recall)

Pick your winner!

- Integrated sound generator for tinnitus relief
- Direct to iPhone hearing devices
- Rechargeable with 24-hour battery life

Siemens Primax^{†®}

- Advanced hearing aid technology (SpeechMaster) reduces listening effort
- Dedicated HD programs for live and recorded music and musicians
- Spatial Configurator allows for manual control over directionality

Phonak Venture^{†®}

- AutoSense OS automatically adjusts to your surroundings
- Zoom technology for improved understanding in noisy situations
- WindBlock and EchoBlock for listening outdoors and in highly reverberant places



Open your mind to better hearing!

Please join us on **Thursday, March 16**th, **10 am – 12 pm** for an educational seminar to learn about Brain Hearing. Dr. Ellen Williams, AuD, from Oticon, Inc. will discuss new hearing technology that can finally keep up with the brain by processing and prioritizing sounds at an exceptionally fast speed. This unique technology takes the work out of hearing, allowing you to enjoy a more effortless, natural hearing experience. Call **336-256-2001** to reserve your spot today!

Introducing Baha 5

The Baha® System can enhance how you live your life and the way you engage with others.



Everyone has a different story. Perhaps you woke up one morning and found that you were deaf in one ear. Maybe you went through childhood struggling to hear even

though you tried hearing aid after hearing aid. Or, you simply learned to cope with your hearing loss, rather than doing everything you really wanted.

Can you relate to one of these stories? If so, then you're not alone. These are real stories from people who today benefit from a Baha[®] bone conduction system from Cochlear.

(http://www.cochlear.com/wps/wcm/connect/us/home/treat ment-options-for-hearing-loss/bone-conduction-implants)

Is the BAHA System right for me?

You may be a good candidate for Baha if you answer "yes" to any of these questions:

- Are you deaf in one ear?
- Do you have trouble getting sufficient loudness when using hearing aids?
- Do you battle feedback or distorted sound quality when using hearing aids?
- Do you suffer from sore or irritated ears due to your hearing aids?
- Do you have draining ears?
- Do you have malformed ears or ear canals?
- Do you have severe, chronic tinnitus in an "unaidable" ear?

Call (336) 256-2001 today to make an appointment at UNCG Speech and Hearing Center to try the Baha System. Unlike other implantable hearing solutions, you can try out the Baha System before making the decision to move forward. Experience clearer sound and a lifetime of better hearing with the Baha 5[®] Bone Conduction Implant.

SAVE THE DATE!

The Listening for Life Monthly Meeting and Social is held monthly at the UNCG Speech and Hearing Center. Each meeting focuses on a topic related to hearing loss and provides an opportunity for participants to ask questions and meet others in the community



with a common interest in improving their communication. *All are welcome to attend* (you do not have to be a current patient of the Center). Please join us for upcoming meetings scheduled on the first Monday of each month from **4:00 - 6:00 pm**:

- * Monday, March 6th Improving Listening Skills for Better Communication
- * Monday, April 3rd Topic TBA
- * Monday, May 1st Topic TBA

Please call (336) 334-4939 to register and get information about parking. We look forward to hearing from you!

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