

Attention FDA

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It came to my attention that the FDA is being asked to take away my right to sign a medical waiver before purchasing a hearing aid. Instead I would be forced to have a medical exam or hearing test. Here's my views and/or experiences on several related questions?

1. Should I be forced to have a medical exam and/or hearing test before purchasing a hearing aid? If so, should the FDA pay for the exam?

*I can not pay for an exam
He could only pay for on which is less
expensive and the two have to share it
as we can't afford two and it has been a blessing
to us.*

2. Some people are physically unable to drive to a doctor or hearing specialist, or have had bad experiences they don't want to repeat. For instance ...

*Yes we have several in our community
and some in church.*

3. Should the FDA take away my Constitutional Right, affirmed by the Supreme Court, to decide for myself my medical exams and treatment?

No indeed

4. Should I be allowed to purchase hearing aids by mail as I choose?

*This was a blessing to us, and to
get catalog from another elderly person,
said it was as good as other she did
when she could do other ways. Now she
couldn't get or*

Signed by: Honda Pyle

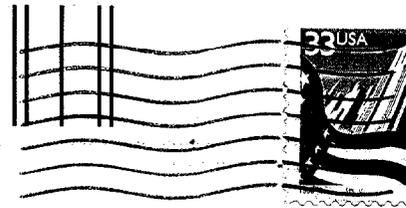
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