

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? *yes*

*no! I already have
Don't take freedom of choice from us. I'm sick of
the "big wigs" of our society. "The Lord giveth and
man taketh away". Leave our rights alone!*

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 ...

*Dr's aren't perfect, or don't know it all. A
friend of mine is blind in one eye due to a
laser surgery scars, done by a doctor.
Now she can't drive!*

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

*no, too much drug pushing even by
Dr's. Our nation is addicted even to
medicinal drugs, very expensive. I don't take
any and am 65, and won't take their treatment
unless an emergency*

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

*absolutely. I have a Cleve. Clinic Dr's report
my problem (after surgery) is a blocked eustachian
tube and numerous tests, etc, etc don't help the
problem. I am old enough to choose for myself*

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