

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?

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 ...

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

No -

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

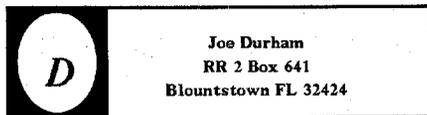
*YES. I HAVE A HEARING SPECIALIST I VISIT REGULAR.
I ORDER ~~BY~~ BY MAIL FOR TWO REASONS - I GET
GOOD SERVICE, GOOD EQUIPMENT AND SAVE FROM \$500.00 TO
\$400.00 PER AID - OF COURSE THE FDA CAN'T UNDERSTAND THIS.*

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