

# 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?

*There is too much government control on an individuals right to act independently. If I need a hearing I should be able to buy it where ever I wish.*

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 ... Freedom bit by bit is being taken away from the individual when ever a government or any special group has power to control any thing speed sets in. Please - look at our government & politicians today?

3. Should the FDA take away my Constitutional Right, affirmed by the Supreme Court, to decide for myself my medical exams and treatment? *No hell with the FDA!!!*

4. Should I be allowed to purchase hearing aids by mail as I choose? *yes - definitely. I have been very pleased with the service & the product provided by Excel. I am appalled by the cost of hearing hearing, provided by MAIL hearing aid, special doctor etc. To produce a hearing aid cost approximately \$90.00 to \$125.00.*

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*and there are hundreds of Senior citizens without aids because they cannot afford \$2,000.00 to \$3,500.00 per*

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the prices of the MAI's specialist Prices. To witness older people who need aids + go without them gradually bit by bit reduce their contact with their friends - reduce their activities etc - remain home because they can not hear. They soon become isolated. I would like to be able to take some of the hard to ~~understand~~ to hear vendors - not let them have hearing aids + experience the slow descent into the soundless world.

I first went to a MALL guru for aids. I was charged the high price. On my second visit I noticed a few things that disturbed me.

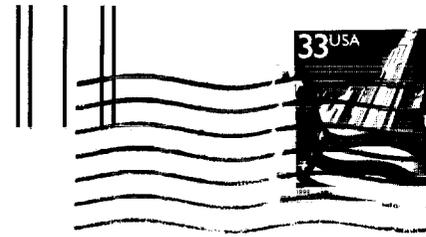
1. He was very young. I wondered about his background - education - etc.
2. He had on his finger a diamond ring - expensive.
3. He had a watch that was a Gucci watch.
4. An Italian silk suit.
5. A Mercedes car sat in front of his elaborate decorated office.
6. I never returned + began to seek other sources when I found EXCEL - thank god.

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