Follow the steps shown below to replace a dome.







Step 1

Step 2

Step 3

**Huggies** 



Huggies help the hearing aid wearer in the following ways.

- Prevents hearing aids from dropping on floor and getting dirtied or damaged
- · Prevents little hands from tampering with controls
- · Soft flexible loops are very easy to put on and remove
- · They are sold in pairs

Follow the steps shown below to place Huggies on to your hearing aid.



# Dry kit or dehumidifier



Hearing aid dehumidifier or Dry & Store unit: If you perspire heavily, live in a humid climate or enjoy lots of outdoor activity that might expose your hearing aids to damaging moisture, these accessories can help.

Most hearing aid repairs breakdowns are the result of moisture present in the hearing aid. Always use a dry cloth or tissue to wipe down your hearing aids. The hearing aid drying kit comprises everything you need to keep your hearing aids clean and dry. After use of hearing aid, remove the cells and place the hearing aid in the dry kit over night. Dry kit removes all the damaging moisture from the aid over night with the use of silica gel. Don't ever keep the cells in this box.

## Magnetic brush



Brush attached with the magnetic tool is mainly used to brush the aid and clean earwax from the sound bore and vent hole. as well as for cleaning the battery door.

Follow the steps shown below to clean the battery door and body case with the help of the tool.





Step 1

Step 2

 Wax pick: This tool is designed to help remove wax and other debris safely from hearing aid nooks and holes.



• **Wax guard replacement method:**Follow the steps shown below to replace wax guard with the help of the tool provided on to your hearing aid.



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# Hearing Aid Tools & Accessories



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# **Hearing Aid Accessories**

Hearing aid tools requires many accessories for its efficient and trouble free functioning. Appropriate tools needs to be utilized to replace and maintain. These accessories and tools help the users to keep the



hearing aids in working condition without interruption. These materials are available at a nominal price in the institute at the hearing aid repair section of the Department of Electronics. This pamphlet will guide you to effectively use these tools and replace those accessories.

### **List of Hearing Aid Tools & Accessories**



All hearing aids require a power source to function. Cells help to energize the hearing aid and help proper functioning of the aid. They come in different sizes and different colour packagings.

Size 10 = Yellow package

Size 312 = Brown package

Size 13 = Orange package

Size 675 = Blue package

# Tool to replace cells

Always use this tool to insert and remove cells by following the steps shown below



Usage of this tool will increase the life of the cell. and also prevent rusting of battery contacts.

### Ear hook cleaner



Always use this tool to clean the ear hook by following the steps shown below



# **Connecting tubes**

The plastic tubing that fits onto the end of the ear hook transmits the electronic sound from the receiver into the earmold. The length of this tubing varies according to the make and model of your hearing aid and can be adjusted for the best fit.

Follow the steps shown below to replace the tube.



### **Wind protectors**



The performance and sound quality of your hearing aid depends on how you take care of the device. The work environment of the hearing aid wearer also has an impact. Wind protector protects the microphone from dust & humidity. The wind protector should be replaced at regular intervals if the user works in a dusty environment.

Follow the steps shown below to replace wind protector.



# **Domes for RIC hearing aids**



A hearing aid dome is a small plastic bell-shaped piece at the end of the receiver of RIC hearing aids. This is the actual physical piece that is inserted in your ear. A proper fitting dome is essential for both comfort and quality while wearing the hearing aid. The dome and Grip Tip should not be cleaned. When you need a fresh, clean dome, remove the existing dome and put on a new one. For the proper functioning hearing aids domes should be changed once in every month.