



Specialized Telecommunications Assistance Program

Vouchers and Voucher Amount

Note: Effective Date, November 14, 2021. Devices marked with an *(asterisk) may require the use of a relay service.

Amplified Cell Phone: \$100

A wireless phone with volume control to adjust the loudness of the other person's voice. May have tone control. Must amplify by at least 20 dB.

Amplified Phone: \$160

A phone with volume control to adjust the loudness of the other person's voice. May be cordless, include big buttons, and provide outgoing voice amplification. Must amplify by at least 40 dB. (Some models amplify by up to 50 dB.) Amplified phones may not be compatible with digital phone lines.

Anti-stuttering Device: \$1,495

Provides the user with Delayed Audio Feedback (DAF) and Frequency Shifted Audio Feedback (FAF).

Artificial Larynx: \$600

A device placed on the user's neck or in the mouth that produces sound when the user speaks. If an applicant is not certified as having an UMI, a voucher is issued at a lesser value.

Big Button Telephone: \$150

A phone with large dialing numbers at least 1/2 square inch, backlit dialing numbers, braille numbers or slots for picture insert dialing.

Bluetooth Cell Phone: \$99

A wireless phone with Bluetooth capability.

Bluetooth Compatible Phone Device: \$200

A device that enables a user's hearing aid to work with a Bluetooth device.

Bluetooth Hub: \$220

A device that enables a landline phone to work with a Bluetooth device.

Braille Telecommunication Device: \$4,595

Same as the TTY, but the device can convert the text typed and received into braille.

Braille Two-Way Paging Device: \$1,619

A braille device that may include a cell phone that allows specific cell phones to send text messages using a braille keyboard and braille display.

Cell Phone Amplifier: \$100

A device that connects to a cell phone that increases the loudness of the other person's voice.

Cordless Telephone: \$150

A phone without a cord so that the user is not restricted to a single location.

Hands-free Activated Phone: \$450

A phone that allows the user to dial preprogrammed numbers and answer calls using a remote or soft touch or air switch. May have amplification.

Headset, Neck Loop or Cochlear Cord: \$130

A phone-compatible headset that may be T-coil compatible or a cord that is T-coil compatible or works with a user's cochlear implant device. Headset and neck loop may be amplified or Bluetooth compatible.

Hearing Carry Over (HCO): \$279

User types on a keyboard and hears the response on a handset. May have a display or amplifier.

Infrared Telephone: \$1,295

A phone that can be operated by infrared transmitted signals.

Outgoing Voice Amplification Telephone: \$160

A phone with volume control capabilities to increase the loudness of the user's voice.

Remote Controlled Telephone: \$180

A phone that allows the user to dial preprogrammed numbers in sequence and answer calls using a remote. May have safety response features.

Ring Signaler: \$50

A device that alerts the user of an incoming call with a light that flashes on and off as the phone rings or a device that increases the loudness of a phone ring by up to 95 dB.

SGD Eye Control Access: \$6,900

A device that connects to a SGD to allow access to a SGD using eye movements.

SGD Head Pointing or Movement Control Device: \$1,495

A device that connects to a SGD to allow access to a SGD using head or other body movements.

SGD Key Guard: \$145

A protective overlay that helps prevent inadvertent key activation.

SGD Level 1: \$937

A hand-held device that generates digitized or synthesized speech using pictures.

SGD Level 2: \$5,095

A device that generates digitized or synthesized speech using pictures that may allow for switch access.

SGD Level 3: \$7,295

A device that generates digitized or synthesized speech using pictures that allows for eye control access.

SGD Moisture Guard: \$40

A protective moisture barrier for a SGD device.

SGD Mount: \$999

A device used to secure a SGD.

SGD Switch: \$150

A device that connects to a SGD to allow the user to review and make selections.

SGD Switch Mount: \$285

A device used to secure a SGD switch.

Speakerphone: \$150

A phone with a speaker built into the base.

Tactile Ring Signaler: \$215

A device that vibrates when the phone rings.

Talk Back Number Dialed Telephone: \$420

A phone that vocalizes the numbers dialed. May have large numbers, volume control or Talks Back software.

***TTY: \$499**

A device with a keyboard and display screen that can be used to send and receive conversations with another TTY user.

***Two-way Texting Device: \$625**

A text messaging device with a standard keyboard that sends and receives wireless messages.

Voice Amplification System: \$249

A hands-free device with volume control capabilities to increase the loudness of the user's voice. If an applicant is not certified as having an UMI, a voucher is issued at a lesser value.

***Voice Carry Over (VCO): \$279**

A phone that allows the user to speak into the handset and read responses on a display screen. Some have a keyboard and handset with amplification.

Voice Dialer: \$279

A device that allows the user to dial preprogrammed numbers by a voice command.