

# Top 10 Reasons to Join

HLAA changes lives by opening the world of communication to people with hearing loss through education, advocacy and support. HLAA has been instrumental in getting legislative and industry support for people with hearing loss, such as the passing of the Americans with Disabilities Act, closed captions on television and the Internet. Today HLAA is advocating for lower cost hearing aids, more health insurance support for hearing aids and communication access in public venues like theatres, movies and community meeting places. An HLAA membership helps underwrite advocacy efforts, plus entitles you to the following benefits of membership.

## 1. *Hearing Loss Magazine (HLM) subscription*



### Recycle Hearing Loss Magazine

*Articles have a very long shelf life and can help others when you are finished with HLM. Reach out by leaving the magazine at the waiting room of your audiologist, dentist, doctor, salon, health club or anywhere people gather because hearing loss affects everyone.*

## 2. Discounts on hearing aids from American Hearing Benefits

## 3. 20% discount on phones and assistive listening devices

- Harris Communications
- Teltex

## 4. Travel and Technology discounts at cooperating companies

- Avis
- Clear Sounds Communications
- HLAA Travel
- HiTEC
- SoundAid

## 5. Training programs - Leadership training & Hearing Support Specialist training

## 6. Educational programs - Captioned webinars and HLAA News

## 7. Self Help - chat rooms and support forums

## 8. Discount to HLAA National Convention

## 9. Support for you at 160 HLAA local chapters across the country

## 10. Knowledge that you are supporting an organization that makes a difference

To learn more ask your chapter leader or go to [www.hearingloss.org](http://www.hearingloss.org) .