



Alaska Relay

What is Alaska Relay?

Alaska Relay is a State mandated service that allows people who are deaf, hard of hearing, or speech impaired to communicate by telephone with people of normal hearing via a Teletype (TTY) or other assistive device. The Alaska Relay Program is funded by a surcharge collected from customers of local telephone companies in Alaska via Sprint.

Providing clear communications and simple phone connections between people who are:

- deaf
- hard of hearing
- speech-impaired
- hearing

Available Equipment

The Telecommunications Equipment Distribution Program (TEDP) provides telecommunication devices for individuals who are deaf, hard of hearing, or have a speech impairment. The equipment is free to qualified Alaska residents, and allows consumers to connect with anyone, restoring their confidence and independence through advanced technologies.

How can I get equipment?

Alaska Relay works with Assistive Technology of Alaska (ATLA) to have you complete an application. Next, you will choose from an equipment list for your needs. and choose the right equipment from the equipment list* to meet your needs.

**For more information:
contact ATLA at (907) 563-2599.**



** Currently, available equipment is limited to TTYs and CapTel devices.*

Resource: Alaska Relay

How do I qualify for equipment through the Alaska Relay Equipment Distribution Program?

1 ELIGIBILITY

- Are you an Alaska resident?
- Do you have significant hearing loss or a speech impairment?

If yes, go to **application procedure**.

2 APPLICATION PROCEDURE

STEP 1: Complete application

- To download an application form,
go to www.alaskarelay.com/tedp.html

STEP 2: Obtain hearing loss or speech impairment certification
from a certified professional

STEP 3: Receive equipment

3 AVAILABLE EQUIPMENT

- Captioned Phones (CapTel®)
- TTYs



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