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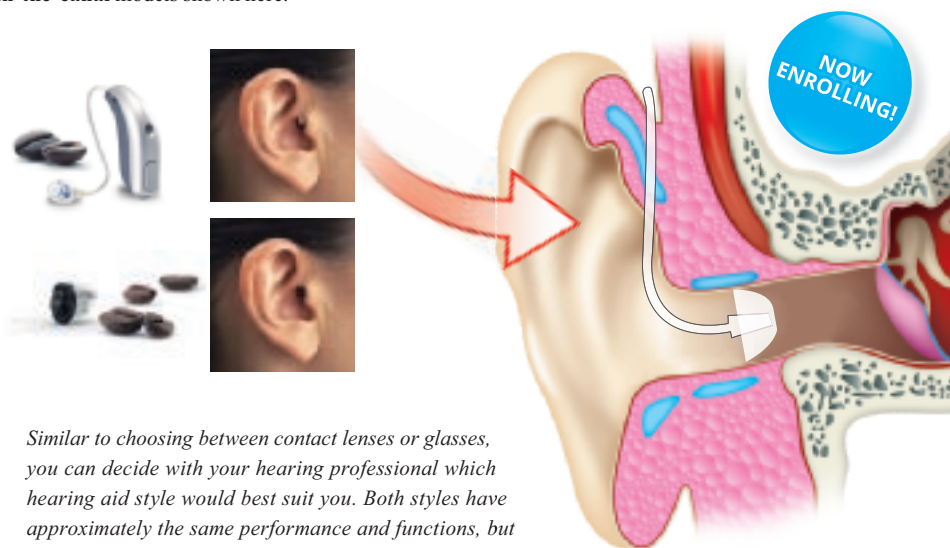
30 PEOPLE WITH HEARING LOSS

Qualified Participants Needed for Technology Field Test

We're looking for people like you, who may be experiencing varying levels of hearing loss to evaluate a remarkable new line of digital hearing aids and a rehabilitative process that could be the solution to your difficulties. There's no cost or obligation to participate!

Call us toll-free today at one of the numbers below to see if you qualify for this Field Test. Potential candidates will be given a FREE hearing test to determine candidacy.

Participants will be given a FREE in-office demonstration, as well as the opportunity to evaluate and report their experience wearing the latest, most advanced hearing aid technology for 30 days. A full range of styles are available in this new technology, including the exceptionally discreet **open-fit** and **invisible-in-the-canal** models shown here:



Similar to choosing between contact lenses or glasses, you can decide with your hearing professional which hearing aid style would best suit you. Both styles have approximately the same performance and functions, but are fitted to the ear differently.

It's almost a shame this technology isn't more visible!

Open-fit and IIC hearing aids are smaller and more sophisticated than ever, striking the perfect balance between size and performance. The elegant and highly discreet open-fit hearing aid fits perfectly on top of your ear, and the thin tube in your ear canal is designed to disappear against your skin. The new IIC hearing aid—now with wireless technology—provides all of the outstanding features and benefits you want in a digital hearing aid, minus the stigma that came with wearing one in the past.

CALL NOW - Candidates are being selected.

The selection process for this test period will end March 31, 2016.

- Markham | 4981 Highway 7 East | Call Sandi at 1-888-484-6708
- Richmond Hill | 18A-9019 Bayview Avenue | Call toll-free 1-888-515-2490
- North York | 330 Steeles Avenue West | Call Elizabeth at 1-888-476-0897
- Scarborough Centenary | 212-2863 Ellesmere Road | Call Varia at 1-888-564-0293
- Scarborough East | 3434 Lawrence Avenue East | Call Stephanie at 1-888-478-6087
- Scarborough Finch | 302-3850 Finch Avenue East | Call Joanne at 1-888-479-9983
- Scarborough North | 110A-1371 Neilson Road | Call Kitty at 1-888-480-1103
- Scarborough West Hill | 103-4125 Lawrence Avenue East | Call Elsie at 1-888-481-0278



Hearing tests are provided free of charge for adults ages 18 and older. Some conditions may apply. Please see clinic for details.

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Budget shows support for students

The past two months have been an exciting time for the provincial and federal governments, as budgets for both were tabled in their respective legislatures.

The centrepiece of the Ontario budget was making post-secondary education more accessible and affordable for low to middle income students across Ontario through the single-largest modernization ever of the Ontario Student Assistance Program (OSAP).

Starting in the 2017/18 school year, the Ontario Student Grant will make average tuition free for more than 150,000 students across the province that come from families with incomes of \$50,000 or less. The changes we will be making to OSAP will also mean providing the majority of eligible students whose parents earn the median annual income of \$83,000 or less with enough in grants to more than cover their tuition costs.

We will also be ensuring that no eligible student



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receives less non-repayable aid through the new grant than they are currently eligible for through the 30% Off Ontario Tuition Grant.

Moreover, we will provide additional support for full-time mature and married students, and eligibility will no longer be tied to the number of years a student has been out of high school.

I'm extremely proud to be part of a government that believes in investing in future generations. By breaking down barriers to post-secondary education our government is demonstrating that our youth are one of the most valuable assets we have for creating jobs for tomorrow.

Another piece of the Ontario budget is the Long-Term Affordable Housing Strategy, which commits up to \$100 million for housing allowances and support services to help up to 4,000 families and individuals in new supportive housing over the next three years. In the long term, capital funding will support the construction of up to 1,500 new supportive housing units.

Last week, the federal government introduced its 2016 budget, which in my opinion, demonstrates that the federal government shares Ontario's priorities and values of a collaborative approach for economic growth and job creation. Many of the new investments announced by the federal government will benefit our community of Oak Ridges - Markham.

As always, if you wish to learn more about the programs in the provincial budget or have any other provincial related issue, please feel free to contact my constituency office at 905-294-4931 or hjaczek.mpp.co@liberal.ola.org

Get Involved.

Join one of two new councils at Markham Stouffville Hospital. These councils will provide strategic advice to the leaders of the hospital and will shape the future of MSH as we look at how we deliver programs and services today and in the future.

President's Advisory Council

This council will be made up of leaders from the business, community services, and religious sectors who have an interest in healthcare in the region. You are a leader within your community and would like the opportunity to provide strategic advice to MSH on a variety of issues including patient experience, community engagement, strategic planning and innovation.

Equity and Inclusion Collaborative

This group will be made up of leaders in business, community services and those passionate about the role diversity plays in our everyday lives and in business and why embracing diversity is the right thing to do. As a member of the Equity & Inclusion Collaborative you will provide leadership, oversight and direction for strategic initiatives as it relates to equity, diversity and inclusion. This collaborative will be instrumental in driving a culture of inclusion and collaboration which will lead to an environment where all people who interact with the hospital feel valued.

Let Us Know You're Interested

Members will be appointed to these groups for a term of one year and expected to attend a minimum of four to six meetings per year.

For more information about the President's Advisory Council or the Equity and Inclusion Collaborative or to submit your resume and brief expression of interest (no more than one page) please email myhospital@msh.on.ca by May 9, 2016. All applications will be reviewed by a panel.



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