We are Centre for Deaf and Hard of Hearing People; an impassioned Deaf-led team working towards a vision of Bristol where deafness and hearing loss does not equal isolation, and everyone can participate in all aspects of life in the city, whatever their level of hearing.

"Brilliant service, Gemma and everyone in the service have been excellent - the equipment (TV Listener and loops) has revolutionised my husband's life and he can listen and take in everything from the TV... It's the little things that are so important in changing someone's life. I would give the service 5/5"

The majority of our staff and trustees are Deaf or hard of hearing, and we fully understand the impact of living with deafness and hearing loss. We can share experiences and provide practical information and advice on dealing with the challenges hearing loss brings.

Contact our Equipment Service

Centre for Deaf and Hard of Hearing People,
Vassall Centre, Gill Avenue, Bristol, BS16 2QQ.
Telephone: 0117 939 8653 • Text/WhatsApp: 07545 264 840
Email: office@cfd.org.uk • Online referral: cfd.org.uk/esr

Struggling to hear?
Life becoming quieter?
Losing touch with those around you?

We can provide funded equipment and advice

CfD Centre for Deaf and Hard of Hearing People

Bristol City Council

Centre for Deaf and Hard of Hearing People (CfD) can provide advice and equipment to assist you with listening and reacting to sounds around you in your home. Some of our equipment is free for adult Deaf and hard of hearing people who live in the Bristol City Council district. We are funded by the Council to visit you at your home to provide support, expert advice, and assistive equipment to transform your life.

Come and see us at our drop-in centre where you can view and trial our equipment on display. Our dedicated team members will be happy to demonstrate the different equipment we have, and to advise you on what can work for you.

Loud Doorbells

With adjustable volume, sounds and flashing light. With this portable doorbell, you will never miss a delivery again!

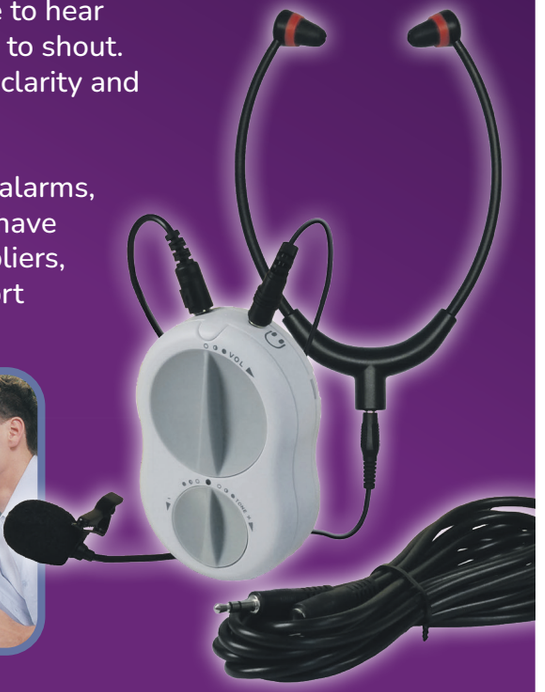
Amplified Telephones

Struggling to hear friends and family on the phone? We will match the perfect amplified phone to you.

TV Listeners

Missed Eastenders again? Never again with our TV listeners, make sure you keep up with the latest gossip! Features personal volume control to avoid disturbing those around you and keep the neighbours happy.

Personal Listeners

Left out of conversations? Be able to hear your loved ones without the need to shout. Specialises in maximising speech clarity and volume.

We also supply alarm clocks, fire alarms, cordless and mobile phones. We have a close relationship with our suppliers, so we can provide bespoke support whatever your needs are.