

Instructions for use Part 1

Oticon Optim
BTE PP / BTE



Introduction to this booklet

This booklet gives you guidance on how to use and maintain your new hearing aid. Please read the booklet carefully, including the Warnings section. This will help you to get the most out of your new hearing aid. Your hearing care professional has adjusted the hearing aid to meet your needs. If you have additional questions, contact your hearing care professional.

A hearing care professional (hearing aid professional, audiologist, ENT (ear, nose and throat) doctor, and hearing aid dispenser) is a person who is appropriately educated and has proven competency in professionally assessing hearing, selecting, fitting, and delivering hearing instruments and rehabilitation care to persons with hearing loss. The education of the hearing care professional is in accordance with national or regional regulations.

Model overview

This booklet is valid the for Oticon Optim in the following hearing aid models:

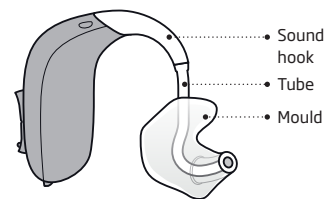
FW 8.0

- ☐ Oticon Optim BTE PP
GTIN: (01) 05714464043019
- ☐ Oticon Optim BTE
GTIN: (01) 05714464043019

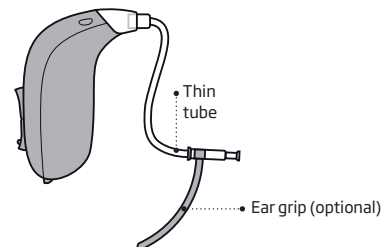
Your hearing aid and earpiece

There are two different attachments and several different earpieces available for the hearing aid.

☐ With sound hook and mould earpiece



☐ With thin tube (Corda miniFit)

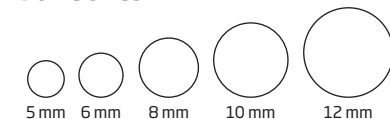


The thin tube uses one of the following earpieces:

Standard earpieces:

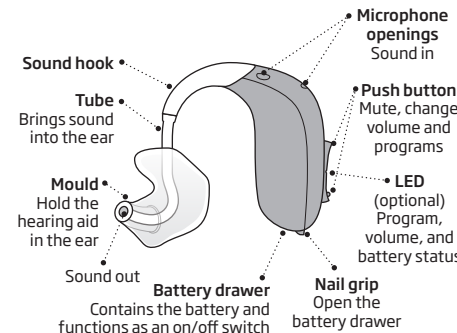
- ☐ Open dome
- ☐ Bass dome, single vent
- ☐ Bass dome, double vent
- ☐ Power dome
- ☐ Grip Tip
Available in small and large, left and right, with or without vent.

Dome sizes



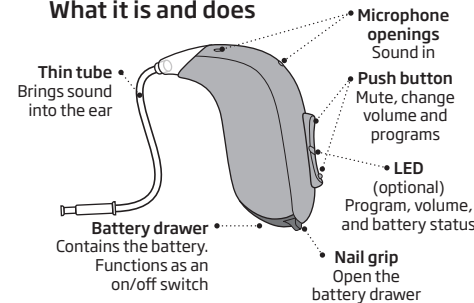
With sound hook and mould

What it is and does



With thin tube

What it is and does



Turn the hearing aid on and off

The battery drawer is also used to switch the hearing aid on and off. To save battery life, make sure your hearing aid is switched off when you are not wearing it. If you wish to return to the standard settings of the hearing aid, simply open and close the battery drawer (quick reset).

Optional LED

Two long green flashes indicate that the hearing aid is turned on.

Turn ON

Close the battery drawer with the battery in place.



Turn OFF

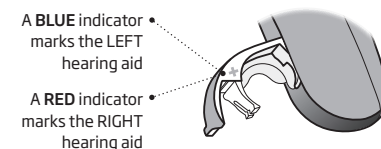
Open the battery drawer.



Identify left and right hearing aid

It is important to distinguish between the left and the right hearing aid as they may be programmed differently.

You can find left/right colour indicators in the battery drawer. Indicators can also be found on Micro moulds (optional)



When to replace the battery

When it is time to replace the battery, you will hear three beeps repeated in moderate intervals until the battery runs out.

Three alternate tones*
= The battery is running low

Four descending tones
= The battery has run out

Battery tip

To make sure the hearing aid is always working, bring spare batteries with you, or replace the battery before you leave home.

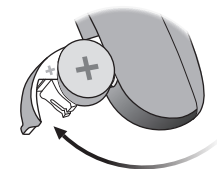
Optional LED

Continuous red flashes indicate low battery.

* Bluetooth® will be turned off and it will not be possible to use wireless accessories.
Note: Batteries need to be replaced more often if you are streaming to your hearing aid.

How to replace the battery (size 13)

1. Remove
Fully open the battery drawer. Remove the battery.



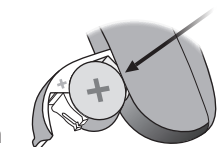
2. Uncover
Remove the sticky label from the + side of the new battery.



Tip:

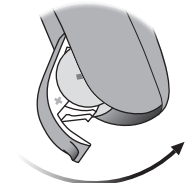
Wait 2 minutes so that the battery can draw air, to ensure optimal functioning.

3. Insert
Insert the new battery into the battery drawer. Insert it from above, NOT from the side. Make sure the + side is facing up.



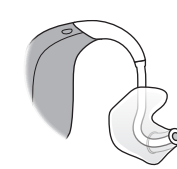
4. Close

Close the battery drawer. The hearing aid will play a jingle through the earpiece. Hold the earpiece close to your ear to hear the jingle.



Put on the hearing aid with mould

Read the following pages if you have a hearing aid with a sound hook and mould.



The mould is customised for you and fits your ear shape. The moulds are unique for the left or the right ear.

Step 1

Gently pull your ear outwards and press the mould in the direction of the ear canal, twisting slightly.



Step 2.

Place the hearing aid behind your ear.



Put on hearing aid with thin tube

Read the following pages if your hearing aid has a thin tube.

Step 1

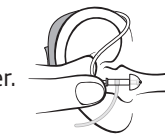
Place the hearing aid behind your ear.



The thin tube should only be used with an attached earpiece. Use only parts designed for your hearing aid.

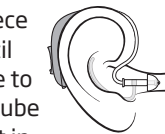
Step 2

Hold the bend of the tube between your thumb and index finger. The earpiece should point towards the ear canal opening.



Step 3

Gently push the earpiece into your ear canal until the thin tube sits close to your head. If the thin tube has an ear grip, place it in the ear so it follows the contour of the ear.

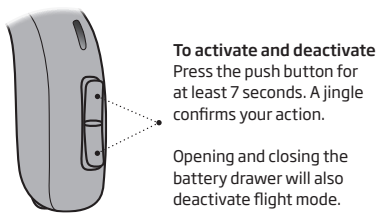


Flight mode

When flight mode is activated, Bluetooth® is turned off. The hearing aid will still be working. Pressing the push button on one hearing aid will activate flight mode on both hearing aids.

Optional LED

The LED will flash green, red, red a few times. This confirms that flight mode is activated.

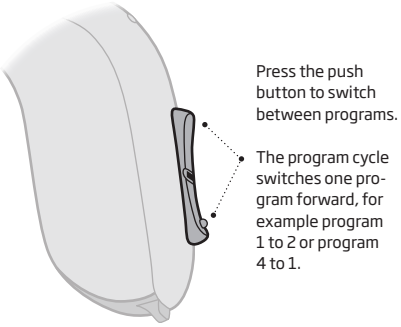


Change program

Your hearing aid can have up to four different programs. These are programmed by your hearing care professional.

Optional LED

The number of green flashes indicate the selected program.

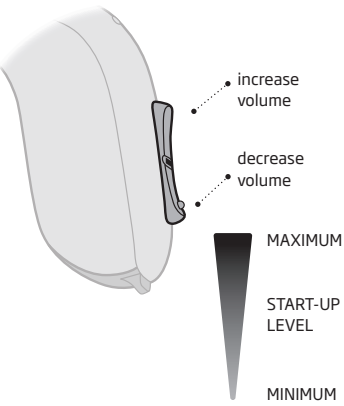


Change volume

The push button allows you to adjust the volume. You will hear a click when you increase or decrease the volume.

Optional LED

The LED will flash green to confirm changes in volume, and a long green flash at start-up level. The LED will show a red flash when the volume reaches the minimum or maximum level.

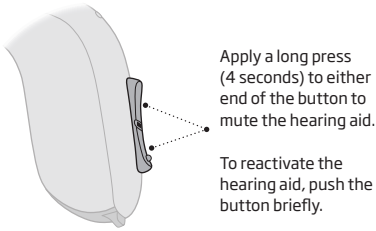


Mute

Use the mute function if you need to silence the hearing aid. The mute function only mutes the microphone(s) on the hearing aid.

Optional LED

Green and red flashes, continuously repeated, to indicate mute.



Other options



Telecoil

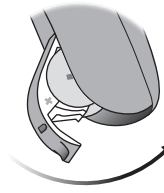
Helps you hear better when using a telephone with a built-in loop or when you are in buildings with teleloop systems such as theatres, churches, or lecture rooms. This symbol or a similar sign is shown wherever a teleloop has been installed.

Tamper-resistant battery drawer

To keep the battery out of reach of infants, small children, and people with learning difficulties, a tamper-resistant battery drawer should be used.

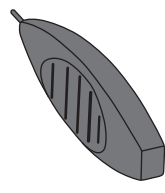
If needed your hearing care professional can help you change the drawer.

To lock the battery drawer



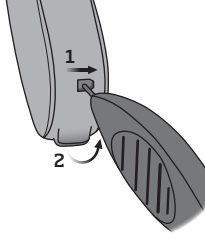
Close the battery door completely and make sure it is locked.

Tool to unlock the battery drawer



Use this small tool provided by your hearing care professional.

Unlock the battery drawer



Insert the tip of the tool into the small hole at the back of the battery drawer.

1. Move it to the right and hold it
2. Open the battery drawer

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Avoid excessive force when opening the battery drawer in the locked position. Do not force the battery drawer beyond its fully opened position. Make sure to insert the battery correctly.

Contact your hearing care professional if you suspect the tamper-resistant battery drawer's effectiveness and locking ability is reduced.

Sound and LED indications

Different sounds and LED lights indicate the hearing aid status. The different indicators are listed on the following pages. Your hearing care professional can set sound and LED indications to match your preferences.

Your individual hearing aid settings

To be filled out by your hearing care professional.

Tinnitus SoundSupport™: Limitation on use			
☐	No limitation on use		
	Program	Start-up volume (Tinnitus)	Max volume (Tinnitus)
☐	1	Max _____ hours per day	Max _____ hours per day
☐	2	Max _____ hours per day	Max _____ hours per day
☐	3	Max _____ hours per day	Max _____ hours per day
☐	4	Max _____ hours per day	Max _____ hours per day

Settings overview for your hearing aid					
Left			Right		
☐ Yes	☐ No	Change volume	☐ Yes	☐ No	
☐ Yes	☐ No	Change program	☐ Yes	☐ No	
☐ Yes	☐ No	Mute	☐ Yes	☐ No	
☐ Yes	☐ No	Tinnitus SoundSupport	☐ Yes	☐ No	
Volume control indicators					
☐ On	☐ Off	Beeps at min / max volume	☐ On	☐ Off	
☐ On	☐ Off	Beeps when changing volume	☐ On	☐ Off	
☐ On	☐ Off	Beeps at start-up volume	☐ On	☐ Off	
Battery indicators					
☐ On	☐ Off	Low battery warning	☐ On	☐ Off	