



# Lions Clubs International District 27 D1

HEARING AID PROGRAM REPORT - DISTRICT 27-D1  
Oct. 11, 2009 From Chr. Lion Daryl Porter

**ZONE CHRS: PLEASE SHARE WITH YOUR CLUBS AT ZONE MEETINGS!!**

**HELP!!**

With the District/WLF Hearing Aid Program, you can offer a maximum of benefits to people in need in your area with a minimum of involvement from your Club. The need is growing, so the need for Club help also increases. Won't you help?

The District Hearing Committee and the Wisconsin Lions Foundation do most of the work.... But, your help is needed to help finance that work.... Can you....

**\* MAKE A VOLUNTARY \$4 PER MEMBER CONTRBUTION TO THE FUND?  
PLEASE SEND DONATIONS TO CHR. DARYL OR CAB. SEC/TREAS. AL,**

**\*COMMIT TO AN ADDITIONAL \$200 AUDIOLOGY FEE WHEN THERE'S A  
NEED IN YOUR AREA?**

**\*COLLECT USED HEARING AIDS AND SEND THEM TO THE LIONS CAMP?**

LAST YEAR, WE APPROVED 14 AIDS IN OUR DIST., doubling most prior years and the trend continues... therefore our need for Club donations also doubles.

LAST YEAR, 33 OF OUR 50+ DISTRICT CLUBS CONTRIBUTED \$4 PER MEMBER &/OR COVERED AUDIOLOGY FEES TO PROVIDE HEARING AIDS. Those Clubs were listed in our Aug. 2<sup>nd</sup> report. THANKS CLUBS!

WE HAD 17 DENIALS, mostly for monthly gross income in excess of WLF guidelines of \$1,213 single, \$1,633 per couple.

SINCE 7/01, WE'VE RECEIVED 2 DONATIONS from the Beloit Noon & Monroe Lions, 5 APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN APPROVED, 5 CLUBS, Madison Central, Cobb, Dodgeville, Edgerton & Janesville Noon, HAVE AGREED TO COVER AUDIOLOGIST FEES and 3 APPLICANTS WERE DENIED because 1 was over the income limit, 1 had excessive assets and 1 had Medicaid that will provide the needed hearing aid.

QUESTIONS? REQUEST CLUB OR ZONE PRESENTATION? Contact Dist. Hearing Chr. Lion Daryl Porter, 608-362-7915, [mndporter8@charter.net](mailto:mndporter8@charter.net), 2877 Riverside, Beloit, WI 53511