



Tips and Hints!

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Tips and Hints for Care Telephone with Pendant Alarm and Telecoil Compatible

When I am talking with Cochlear Implant Recipients, or someone who is hearing impaired, or a family member or friend of someone who simply cares for a loved one, I sometimes get asked what is the best phone to buy to help them.

Oricom TP170 Care Phone with Pendant Alarm delivers priceless assurance for both the user and their family that in an emergency situation, users can call for help without the need to get to their phone. This is also useful for people who may not be able to hear well on the telephone and needs emergency assistance.



Oricom Care Phone will give the user peace of mind should they require assistance in the home. The Oricom Care Phone is Telecoil compatible, has a hands free speaker phone and volume adjustment. What makes it so special however is its waterproof emergency pendant. The pendant can be worn around your neck or on the wrist. Additional 2nd Pendant can also be purchased separately if required.

If the wearer should fall, feels threatened or is unable to reach the phone they can press the red button on the pendant. This remotely activates the emergency call message, which is sent to the users chosen numbers. The friends and family alerted hear the pre-recorded message that assistance is required.

Features:

- Ideal for people with special needs
- Waterproof SOS Remote Emergency Pendant (with lanyard, works up to 20 metres)
- Red SOS button on phone
- High Quality Speakerphone
- Remote speakerphone answer hang up function
- Talking Caller ID
- 2 one touch memories
- 30 Name & number Talking phone book
- Extra Loud ringer 90dBA
- Visual ring indicator flashes to alert you when phone rings
- Amplified receiver (20dB)
- Large high contrast tactile talking keypad
- Large backlit LCD display
- Hearing aid compatible
- Easy-set up with voice prompts to guide you
- Wall mountable
- Battery backup protection (4 AA batteries)

This telephone can be purchased through distributors of Oricom products or:

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