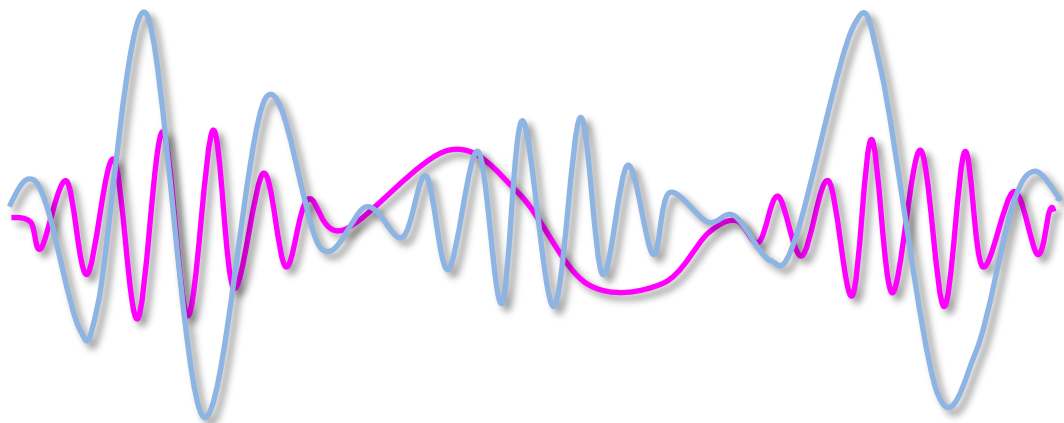


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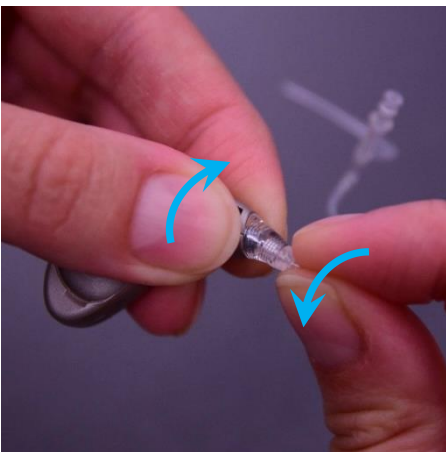
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First, take off the dome

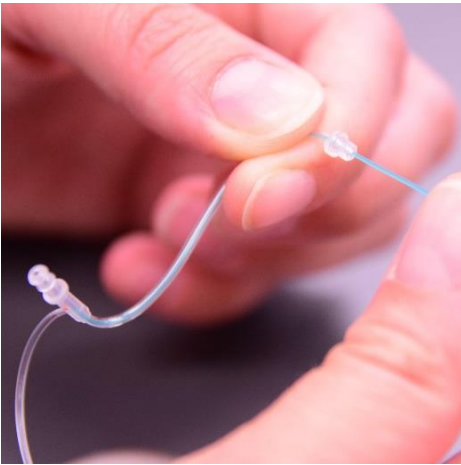


The dome can be cleaned separately using a tissue or wet wipe.



To clean the slim tube, hold the top of the slim tube and turn the hearing aid to detach.

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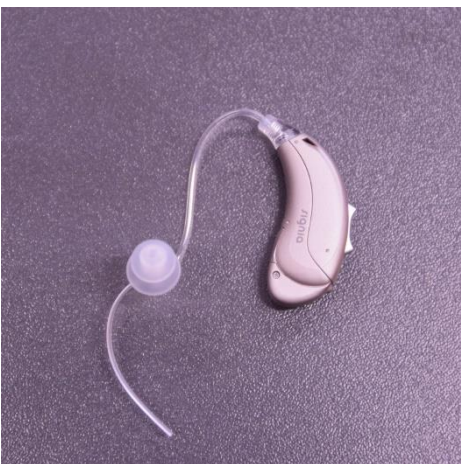
Once separated, push through the plastic cleaning wire through the slim tube to remove any debris.

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Line up the thread of the slim tube with the adaptor on the aid.

Turn the hearing aid and hold the slim tube to attach.



This is how your hearing aid should look once the slim tube and dome have been re-attached.

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Useful information

Repair Clinics

We offer walk-in (open) repair clinics at two of our Exeter sites, and appointment only (bookable) repair clinics at several of our localities. This is for servicing of hearing aids and simple repairs (e.g., ear mould re-tubing, ear mould modifications and replacement aids).

Open: 09:15-16:00 hours (Wonford); 08:30-16:00 (CHC)

Bookable: contact Chime to arrange an appointment

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Wonford (RD&E)	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open	Bookable
CHC Queen St. Exeter	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open
Budleigh					Bookable	
Crediton 2nd & 4th Friday					Bookable	
Cullompton 2nd Friday					Bookable	
Exmouth			Bookable			
Honiton					Bookable	
Okehampton				Bookable		
Seaton		Bookable				
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