



## What is a Hearing Loop?

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A **hearing loop** is a special type of sound system for use by people with **hearing aids**. The **hearing loop** provides a magnetic, wireless signal that is picked up by the **hearing aid** when it is set to 'T' (Telecoil) setting. Hearing Loops are found in churches, theaters and other facilities that are large enough to use a PA system.

### What is a telecoil or T-coil?

A hearing loop system transmits an audio signal directly into a hearing aid via a magnetic field. This greatly reduces background noise, competing sounds, reverberation and other acoustic distortions that reduce clarity of sound. Hearing aids that have a T-coil will have a "T" setting. Some hearing aids have a T-coil that has not been activated by the provider.

### What facilities in Sun City have a Hearing Loop?

**Texas Drive** - Social Center Ballroom, Fitness Center Class room

**Activities Center** - Atrium, Computer Annex and Computer Classroom

**Cowan Creek** - Fitness Center Classroom, Georgetown/Florence Room

**The Retreat** - Lone Star Room