

A. Notifier: Cody Audiology Clinic • 902 Blackburn St •Cody, Wyoming 82414 • (307)578-2976

B. PatientName:

C. IdentificationNumber:

## Advance Beneficiary Notice of Non-coverage (ABN)

**NOTE:** If Medicare doesn't pay for OV, HAE, 69210 & 92700 below, you may have to pay.

Medicare does not pay for everything, even some care that you or your health care provider have good reason to think you need. We expect Medicare may not pay for the OV, HAE, 69210 & 92700 below.

D.	E. Reason Medicare May Not Pay:	F. Estimated Cost
Office Visit (OV) (CPT codes 99201-99213)	Medicare does not cover routine services, services related to hearing aids, or services where there are no orders on file from a doctor stating medical necessity. Medicare does not cover office visits for audiologists because our services are classified as "diagnostic services" rather than "treatment services"	\$85
Hearing Aid Evaluation (HAE) (CPT codes 92590/92591)		\$750
Cerumen Removal (CPT code 69210)		\$80
Speech In Noise Testing (CPT codes 92700)		\$80

### WHAT YOU NEED TO DO NOW:

- Read this notice, so you can make an informed decision about your care.
- Ask us any questions that you may have after you finish reading.
- Choose an option below about whether to receive the OV, HAE, 69210 & 92700 listed above. **Note:** If you choose Option 1 or 2, we may help you to use any other insurance that you might have, but Medicare cannot require us to do this.

### G.OPTIONS: Check only one box. We cannot choose a box for you.

- OPTION 1.** I want the OV, HAE, 69210 & 92700 listed above. You may ask to be paid now, but I also want Medicare billed for an official decision on payment, which is sent to me on a Medicare Summary Notice (MSN). I understand that if Medicare doesn't pay, I am responsible for payment, but I can appeal to Medicare by following the directions on the MSN. If Medicare does pay, you will refund any payments I made to you, less co-pays or deductibles.
- OPTION 2.** I want the OV, HAE, 69210 & 92700 listed above, but do not bill Medicare. You may ask to be paid now as I am responsible for payment. I cannot appeal if Medicare is not billed.
- OPTION 3.** I don't want the OV, HAE, 69210 & 92700 listed above. I understand with this choice I am **not** responsible for payment, and I cannot appeal to see if Medicare would pay.

### H. Additional Information:

**This notice gives our opinion, not an official Medicare decision.** If you have other questions on this notice or Medicare billing, call **1-800-MEDICARE** (1-800-633-4227/TTY: 1-877-486-2048).

Signing below means that you have received and understand this notice. You also receive a copy.

I. Signature:	J. Date:
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I, \_\_\_\_\_ agree and understand that my electronic signature is the legal equivalent of my handwritten signature.

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