Hearing Journal

BRAND REPORT

FOR THE 6 MONTH PERIOD ENDED JUNE 2023



No attempt has been made to rank the information contained in this report in order of importance, since BPA Worldwide believes this is a judgment which must be made by the user of the report.

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Established in 1947, **THE HEARING JOURNAL** is a monthly publication for hearing healthcare professionals. Every issue provides readers with accurate, timely, and practical information to help them in their practices including the latest developments in patient care, technology, practice management, and professional issues. Popular monthly features include Hearing Matters, Journal Club, Clinical Consultation, and Building Blocks.

MAGAZINE CHANNEL FORMAT - PRINT ISSUES

THE HEARING JOURNAL is produced in a print format. The editorial for the print copy is the same for all recipients.

BRAND REPORT PURPOSE

The Brand Report provides a deeper understanding and identification of all audited touch points with customers that have interest in the brand. It is designed to present analysis of all communication channels, including a brand's unique users within each channel of, but not across, multiple media platforms. This non-integrated report contains data for each separate media channel as indicated in the Executive Summary. No attempt has been made to identify or eliminate duplication that may exist across media channels.

CHANNELS







EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Below are the average contacts per occurrence, including frequency per period reported.

	Non-Paid	Paid	Average
THE HEARING JOURNAL PRINT MAGAZINE (6 issues in the period)	22,000	-	22,000
(See Paragraph 3b for Source)			
THE HEARING JOURNAL E-NEWSLETTER (6 issued in the period)	13,334	-	13,334
THE HEARING JOURNAL WEBSITE (Monthly Users with 31,428 average Pageviews)	18,976	-	18,976

FIELD SERVED

THE HEARING JOURNAL serves the Hearing Health Community.

DEFINITION OF RECIPIENT QUALIFICATION

Qualified recipients are audiologists (including clinical, private practice, educational, military and government), hearing aid specialists, otorhinolaryngologists, otologists, otolaryngologists; Non-audiologists/MDs (including government, education, clinics, hospitals and societies in the hearing health field), manufacturers, suppliers and others related to the field.

AVERAGE NON-QUALIFIED CIRCULATION Non-Qualified Not Included Elsewhere Copies Other Paid Circulation Advertiser and Agency Allocated for Trade Shows and Conventions All Other 769 **TOTAL**

1. AVERAGE QUA	LIFIED C	IRCULA	TION BR	EAKOU1	FOR P	ERIOD
	Total Qualified			Qualified Non-Paid		lified aid
Qualified Circulation	Copies	Percent	Copies	Percent	Copies	Percent
Individual	22,000	100.0	22,000	100.0	-	-
Sponsored Individually Addressed	-	-	-	-	-	-
Membership Benefit	-	-	-	-	-	-
Multi-Copy Same Addressee	-	-	-	-	-	-
Single Copy Sales	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL QUALIFIED CIRCULATION	22,000	100.0	22,000	100.0	-	-

2. QUALIFIED CIRCULA	ATION BY ISSUES FOR PERIOD
2023 Issues	Total Qualified
January	22,000
February	22,000
March	22,000
April	22,000
May	22,000
June	22,000

3a. BUSINESS/OCCUPATION BREAKOUT OF QUALIFIED CIRCULATION FOR ISSUE OF MAY 2023 This issue is equal to the average of the other 5 issues reported in Paragraph 2.

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Business and Industry	Total Qualified	Percent of Total	Breakout Of United States Qualified Circulation	Breakout of Canadian Qualified Circulation
AUDIOLOGISTS (including Clinical, Private Practice, Educational, Military and Government)	14,696	66.8	14,077	619
2. HEARING AID SPECIALISTS (Retail specialists and consultants)	5,301	24.1	5,036	265
3. MEDICAL SPECIALISTS				
A. Otorhinolaryngologists/Otologists/Otolaryngologists	313	1.4	309	4
Non-Audiologist/MDs (Government, Education, Clinics, Hospitals and societies in the hearing health field)	327	1.5	309	18
5. Manufacturers and Suppliers	246	1.1	232	14
Others Allied to the Field	1,117	5.1	1,037	80
TOTAL QUALIFIED CIRCULATION	22,000	100.0	21,000	1,000
PERCENT	100.0		95.5	4.5

3b. QUALIFICATION SOURCE BREAKOUT OF QUALIFIED CIRCULATION FOR ISSUE OF MAY 2023

		Qualified Within			
Qualification Source	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	Total Qualified	Percent
I. Direct Request:	9,140	2,658	2,260	14,058	63.9
II. Request from recipient's company:	-	-	-	-	-
III. Membership Benefit:	-	-	-	-	-
IV. Communication (other than request):	-	-	-	-	-
V. TOTAL - Sources other than above (listed alphabetically):	7,942	-	-	7,942	36.1
Association rosters and directories	-	-	-	-	-
Business directories	-	-	-	-	-
Manufacturer's, distributor's and wholesaler's lists	-	-	-	-	-
*Other sources	7,942	-	-	7,942	36.1
VI. Single Copy Sales:	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL QUALIFIED CIRCULATION	17,082	2,658	2,260	22,000	100.0
PERCENT	77.6	12.1	10.3	100.0	
*See Additional Data					

AVERAGE ANNUAL AUDITED QUALIFIED CIRCULATION AND CURRENT UNAUDITED CIRCULATION						
	Audited Data	Audited Data	Audited Data	Audited Data	Circulation Claim	Circulation Claim
6-Month Period Ended:	July – December 2020	January – June 2021	July – December 2021	January – June 2022	July – December 2022*	January – June 2023*
Total Audit Average Qualified:	22,000	22,000	22,000	22,000	22,000	22,000
Qualified Non-Paid:	22,000	22,000	22,000	22,000	22,000	22,000
Qualified Paid:	-	-	-	-	-	-
Post Expire Copies included in Total Qualified Circulation:	**NC	**NC	**NC	**NC	**NC	**NC
Average Annual Order Price:	**NC	**NC	**NC	**NC	**NC	**NC

^{*}NOTE: July 2022 – June 2023 data is unaudited. With each successive period, new data will be added until six 6-month periods are displayed.

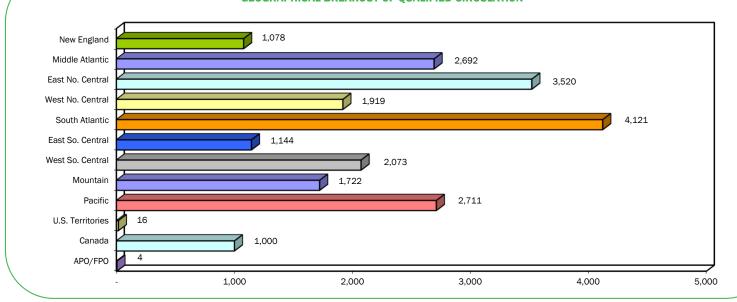
**NC = None Claimed.

GEOGRAPHICAL BREAKOUT OF QUALIFIED CIRCULATION FOR ISSUE OF MAY 2023*

State	Total Qualified	Percent	State	Total Qualified	Percent
Maine	120		Kentucky	264	
New Hampshire	111		Tennessee	467	
Vermont	63		Alabama	261	
Massachusetts	439		Mississippi	152	
Rhode Island	80		EAST SO. CENTRAL	1,144	5.2
Connecticut	265		Arkansas	197	
NEW ENGLAND	1,078	4.9	Louisiana	245	
New York	1,233		Oklahoma	257	
New Jersey	549		Texas	1,374	
Pennsylvania	910		WEST SO. CENTRAL	2,073	9.4
MIDDLE ATLANTIC	2,692	12.3	Montana	102	
Ohio	926		Idaho	150	
Indiana	509		Wyoming	56	
Illinois	873		Colorado	453	
Michigan	732		New Mexico	152	
Wisconsin	480		Arizona	450	
EAST NO. CENTRAL	3,520	16.0	Utah	241	
Minnesota	536		Nevada	118	
lowa	296		MOUNTAIN	1,722	7.8
Missouri	467		Alaska	44	
North Dakota	73		Washington	514	
South Dakota	111		Oregon	359	
Nebraska	177		California	1,730	
Kansas	259		Hawaii	64	
WEST NO. CENTRAL	1,919	8.7	PACIFIC	2,711	12.3
Delaware	68		UNITED STATES	20,980	95.4
Maryland	373		U.S. Territories	16	
Washington, DC	50		Canada	1,000	
Virginia	459		Mexico	-	
West Virginia	156		Other International	-	
North Carolina	700		APO/FPO	4	
South Carolina	297				
Georgia	526		TOTAL QUALIFIED CIRCULATION	22,000	100.0
Florida	1,492		— IOTAL QUALIFIED CIRCULATION	22,000	100.0
SOUTH ATLANTIC	4,121	18.8			

^{*}See Additional Data

GEOGRAPHICAL BREAKOUT OF QUALIFIED CIRCULATION



E-NEWSLETTER CHANNEL

	2023	The Hearing Journal
January 10		13,257
February 14		13,308
March 14		13,264
April 11		13,313
May 9		13,371
June 13		13,493
	AVERAGE:	13,334

The Hearing Journal (6 issued in the period)

WEBSITE CHANNEL

WWW.THEHEARINGJOURNAL.COM

2023	Pageviews	Sessions	Users	Average Session Duration
January	47,362	33,761	29,005	1:28
February	41,718	30,488	25,744	1:34
March	30,424	22,001	18,399	1:19
April	27,078	19,307	16,102	1:24
May	23,868	16,721	14,118	1:24
June	18,122	12,372	10,491	1:24
AVERAGE:	31.428	22.441	18.976	1:25

January - June 2023 data was provided by Omniture. All website activity is audited by BPA Worldwide.

WEBSITE GLOSSARY

Pageviews: A Pageview is recorded each time a page implanted with the JavaScript code (tag) is displayed in a browser window. This will occur whether the page is served directly from the web server, from a proxy, or from the browser's cache.

Sessions: A single continuous set of activity attributable to a cookied browser resulting in one or more pulled text and/or graphics downloads from a site. A period of 30 minutes of inactivity will terminate the session.

Users: An identified and unduplicated Cookied Browser that accesses Internet content or advertising during a measurement period.

Average Session Duration: The time visitors remain on a site per session.

ADDITIONAL DATA

MAGAZINE:

PARAGRAPH 3b:

Other sources include 3 sources of circulation for quantities of 145 copies or 0.7% to 5,173 copies or 23.5%, including List Strategies/InfoUSA and American Audiologists List.

GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION:

Geographic data for E-Newsletter and Website are not reported at the media owner's option.

PUBLISHER'S AFFIDAVIT

We hereby make oath and say that all data set forth in this statement are true.

Lynn Nace, Associate Director, Publishing

Daniel Lenz, Senior Audience Operations Manager

(At least one of the above signatures must be that of an officer of the publishing company or its authorized representative.)

This unaudited brand report has been checked against the previous audit report.

IMPORTANT NOTE: Type **ID** Number It will be included in the annual audit made by BPA Worldwide.

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Date signed

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