

Hearing Aid Compatibility

Your phone is designed for Hearing Aid Compatibility (HAC) and uses many settings for optimized use with hearing aids.

To choose HAC setting

Choose the setting in the phone to match the setting in your hearing aid before making or receiving calls in HAC operation.

► **Settings** ► the **General** tab ► **HAC** and choose an option:

- **T-coil Mode** – optimize phone to hearing aid set in T-coil mode.
- **Mic. Mode** – optimize phone to hearing aid set in Microphone mode.
- **Off** – turns off HAC operation.

Hearing Aid Compatibility Rating

This model handset was designed to comply with the requirements set forth in Section 20.19 of the Federal Communication Commission's rules governing hearing aid compatibility (HAC), for the reduction of RF interference and magnetic coupling (T-

coil) to hearing aids. The Microphone (M) rating and T-coil (T) rating is defined and labeled on the handset box. Devices meeting HAC compliance must have a minimum M3 and/or T3 rating or above as defined in the ANSI Standard C63.19-2006. The (M) rating refers to lower RF emissions levels of the handset. The (T) rating refers to the magnetic coupling between the handset and the T-coil compatible hearing aid. Some hearing aids are also provided an (M) rating, and are more immune than others to interference. To determine the (M) rating of your hearing aid, please contact your hearing health professional. More information about digital wireless devices and hearing aid compatibility can be found at www.sonyericsson-snc.com.