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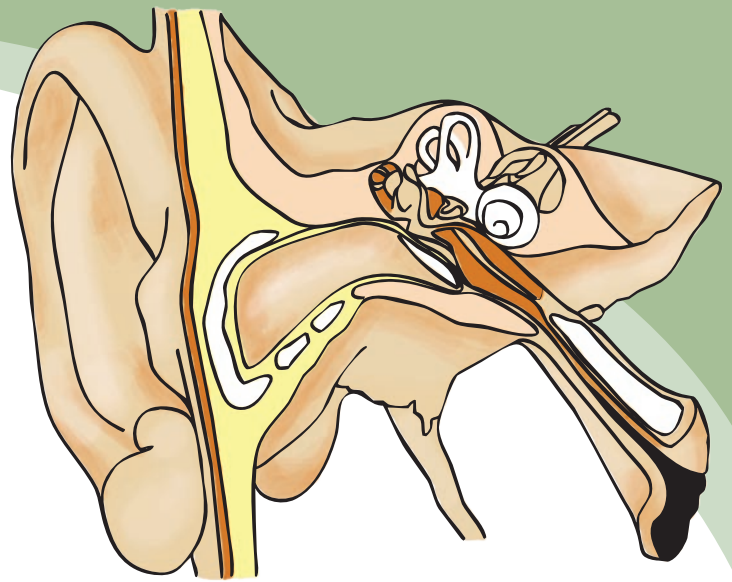
By Dan Powers

Listen up! There is no reason to struggle with poor or distracting hearing problems. When conversations, movies or the radio become too hard to hear, it is time to visit Flatirons Audiology. Founder Dr. Julie Eschenbrenner, Au.D. offers a wide range of hearing treatments renowned for their results that benefit family members as much as the client.

Patient-specific treatment is the key to Dr. Eschenbrenner's success. "I worked with a phenomenal audiologist prior to opening my own practice," she says. "I am able to diagnose people's hearing issues and how to actually help them live better lives, not simply sell hearing aids." She now runs a cutting edge, full service clinic specializing in maximizing the hearing potential and communication abilities of individuals with hearing loss and their families.

One key area of specialized treatment at Flatirons Audiology regards tinnitus, or ringing in the ears. Dr. Eschenbrenner is one of only a few trained specialists in the state utilizing Neuromonics™ Tinnitus Treatment, a methodology in which patients listen to a pleasant acoustic signal - embedded in music - that is customized for each person's unique hearing profile. The signal targets the brain's neural pathways and re-programs them to filter out the tinnitus sound.

Other treatments include high frequency audiometry, video otoscopy (see your ears on TV!) and a complete range of hearing aid services as well as custom ear protection for swimmers, hunters



and musicians. Dr. Eschenbrenner also offers custom earmolds for iPod/MP3 and cell phones. Your senses of smell and taste will also be tested at Dr. Eschenbrenner's office, in a good way: patients are greeted with homemade fresh-baked cookies, another specialty you don't find at many doctor's offices.

"We involve the client in treatment options based on their lifestyle and budget, and set realistic expectations of hearing aid capabilities," Dr. Eschenbrenner explains. Hearing problems can be caused by multiple factors, which cannot be reversed by technology. Hearing aids are an aid to a damaged system. "Sometime children think their parents should be able to hear better, and the patient and their family need to understand the capabilities of the treatments and have realistic expectations." With this deeper understanding, Dr. Eschenbrenner's patients form a long-term relationship that maximizes the treatment of their hearing challenges. "I love seeing people get their life back," she says.

Flatirons Audiology is located at 300 Exempla Circle, Suite 365, Lafayette. Ph: 303.664.9111; online at www.flatironsaudiology.com.



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