

USED IN THE COURTROOMS AND JURY ASSEMBLY ROOM



Pocketalker Ultra Personal Amplifier

Model: PKT D1

OVERVIEW

The POCKETALKER ULTRA is a versatile, high quality assistive listening device designed to improve communications in difficult listening situations. The POCKETALKER ULTRA delivers clear, distinct sound, while its large, manageable controls provide for easy operation.

Use the POCKETALKER ULTRA to improve listening on a one-to-one basis, in small group situations, while listening to a speaker in large room.



When to use the *Pocketalker Ultra* and when to use the *SoundPlus*?

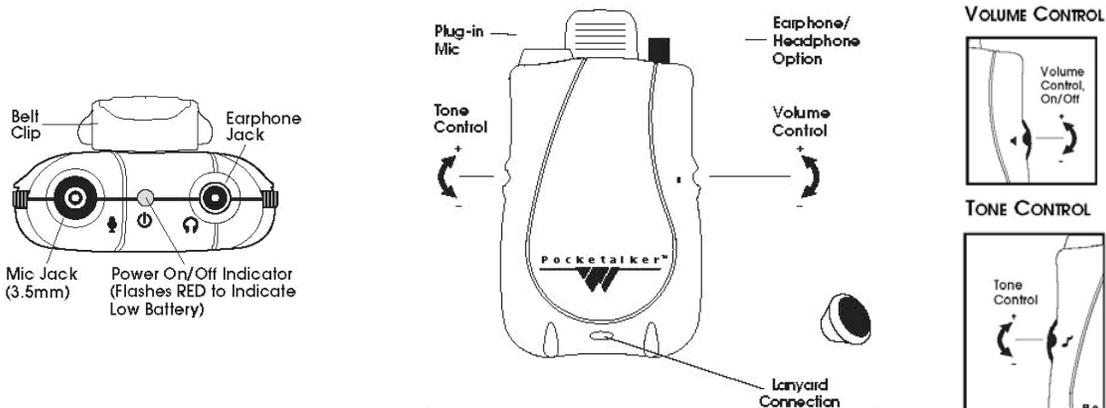
The silver-colored *Pocketalker Ultra PKT D1* is a personal amplifier device that is NOT connected to the Courtroom's sound system. It picks up and amplifies the sounds coming into the mini microphone that is plugged into the *Pocketalker Ultra mic jack*. The *Pocketalker Ultra* does NOT require any other equipment other than fresh AAA batteries, the detachable microphone and the user's preference of either the headphones or T-Coil neckloop.

The black-colored *SoundPlus WIR RX-22-4* is a 4-ch IR receiver that is designed for use with the Courtroom's sound system. It picks up whatever is spoken into the courtroom's microphones with the exception of the Nomad E-Podium Sound System and jury deliberation rooms. The *SoundPlus* device requires the courtroom's sound system to be turned on, fresh AAA batteries and the user's preference of either the headphones or T-Coil neckloop. The IR Emitters are already installed in the courtrooms and jury assembly room.

For the jury deliberation rooms, contact Court Admin to have them set up the *Portable Assisted Listening System (PALS)*. The PALS consists of a *Williams Sound IR Transmitter* with a microphone and four *SoundPlus IR Receivers*. PALS is completely compatible with the courtroom system.

GETTING STARTED WITH THE POCKETALKER ULTRA

1. Plug the microphone into the "MIC" jack and the earphone or headphone into the "EARPHONE" jack.
2. Put on the earphone or headphone.



3. Turn on the POCKETALKER ULTRA by turning the **Volume Control** counter-clockwise. The red "on" power indicator light on the top of the unit should be lit.
4. Adjust the **volume** up or down according to your preferences.
5. Adjust the **tone** according to your preferences. Turning the **Tone Control** fully clockwise boosts the high frequency gain by 11 dB at 5 kHz. Turning the tone control fully counterclockwise boosts the low frequency response.

NOTE: The Power On/Off light on top of unit will flash **RED** when battery is low.

LISTENING IN CONVERSATIONS

The POCKETALKER ULTRA picks up sounds and boosts them according to the volume you've set. For best results, place or hold the POCKETALKER ULTRA's microphone aimed at or as close as possible to the person who is speaking.

SEATED

Many users set the POCKETALKER ULTRA on a table if they're in a courtroom or small group situation. Laying the POCKETALKER ULTRA flat on the table surface provides superior pickup to standing the POCKETALKER® ULTRA upright.

STANDING OR WALKING

Many users use the POCKETALKER ULTRA Belt Clip and attach it to their belt, pocket, or skirt.

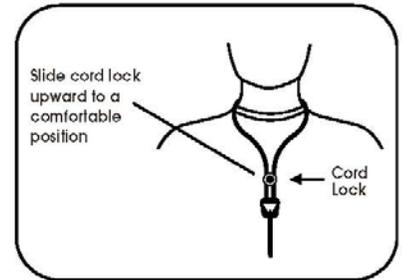
USING THE OPTIONAL NECKLOOP

Williams Sound's optional neckloop telecoil couplers magnetically couple the audio output from the POCKETALKER ULTRA into a hearing aid equipped with a telephone coil. The Neckloop (PN: NKL 001) only works with hearing aids equipped with a telephone coil (T-Switch).

HOW TO USE THE NECKLOOP

1. Place the neckloop over your head and around your neck.
2. Slide the bead upwards to a comfortable position. This helps keep the neckloop in optimal position for coupling with your hearing aid.
3. Plug the neckloop into the "EARPHONE" jack on the POCKETALKER® ULTRA.

USING THE NECKLOOP



USING THE LANYARD

The lanyard provides a convenient way of transporting the POCKETALKER® ULTRA from place to place; it protects the device from accidental dropping, and provides quick and easy access for operation whenever it is needed. Wear the lanyard around your neck, wrist, or secure it on a belt.

HINTS & TIPS

The POCKETALKER® ULTRA has been designed to be as easy to use as possible. However, if you have trouble, check the following:

- Make sure the microphone is plugged into the "MIC" jack and the earphone or headphone is plugged into the "EARPHONE" jack.
- Make sure the batteries are not depleted and have been inserted correctly into the battery compartment.
- If rechargeable, make sure the batteries are sufficiently charged.
- If you experience a howling or squealing sound, this is called feedback. Depending on the earphone or headphone used, you can sometimes get feedback when the volume control is turned higher than 3 or 3 1/2. To eliminate feedback, turn down the **Volume Control** or move the microphone further away from the earphone or headphone. Also, try turning the **Tone Control** down (or counterclockwise) to reduce the high frequency.
- The POCKETALKER ULTRA earphone jack is a mono jack, designed for mono earphones and headphones. If you use stereo earphones or headphones with the POCKETALKER ULTRA, only one side of the headphones will work.
- If the steps above don't solve the problem, contact JIS (x3900) for further instructions.

SAFETY INFORMATION

Hearing Safety:

CAUTION!

This product is designed to amplify sounds to a high volume level which could potentially cause hearing damage if used improperly. **To protect your hearing and the hearing of others:**

1. Make sure the volume is turned down before putting on the earphone or headphone before adjusting the volume to a comfortable level.
2. Set the volume level at the minimum setting that you need to hear.
3. If you experience feedback (a squealing or howling sound), reduce the volume setting and move the microphone away from the earphone or headphone.
4. Do not allow children **or other unauthorized persons** to have access to this product.

Battery Safety and Disposal:

1. Open the battery compartment door. Using your thumb, apply firm pressure on the ridges of the door and slide it down and away from the POCKETALKER® ULTRA
2. Press 2 AAA disposable batteries into place over the black ribbon, being careful to observe correct placement of (+) and (-) terminals.
3. Close the battery compartment door: align the door on the back of the unit and slide it upwards until it snaps into place.

