

ITEM 4.33.7 | ASSEMBLY AREAS - TYPES OF LISTENING SYSTEMS

Assistive listening systems (ALS) are intended to augment standard public address and audio systems by providing signals which can be received directly by persons with special receivers or their own hearing aids and which eliminate or filter background noise. The type of assistive listening system appropriate for a particular application depends on the characteristics of the setting, the nature of the program, and the intended audience. Magnetic induction loops, infrared and radio frequency systems are types of listening systems which are appropriate for various applications.

(“1991 Standards for Accessible Design”, 28 CFR 36 Appendix D)

