

# Nokia accessibility timeline

**1997**

First user-trials with Nokia Communicator and customers who are deaf

**1998**

Nokia launches LPS-1, an inductive loopset for telecoil-equipped hearing aid wearers

**1999**

Recognized as "Next Generation Employer" for promoting independence and accommodating people with disabilities

**2000**

Employee manual and module training added for all employees



LPS-3 with answer button released for Nokia 8200 and 8800 series mobile phones.

Phones include Vibrate function for call alert

SMS server for deaf community established in Malaysia

Accessibility considerations in product design added, one of only eight standard process requirements in product development

www.nokiaaccessibility.com debuts, offering product information and one-on-one customer assistance program

**2002**

Textphone (TTY) connectivity provided in handsets

**2003**

First video messages transmitting sign language on Nokia 3650 and Nokia 7650



**Nokia 3650**

LPS-4 released. New loopset powered by phone, eliminating need for batteries

**2004**

Nokia collaborates to provide text-to-speech applications for blind and low vision customers with S60 devices



**Nokia LPS-4**

**2005**

Graphics-based menu interface for customers requiring cognitive assistance available on Nokia 7710



**Nokia 7710**

Talking clock and alarm included on entry-level Nokia 1110 and Nokia 1650

Icon-based phonebook and menus

**2007**

Built-in text-to-speech for S60 3rd Edition phones

Pre-installed font magnifier on Nokia 6120 classic

Voice clarity included in select handsets

Message Reader available for Eseries devices



**Nokia E90**

**2008**

Kurzweil-NFB reading machine debuts on Nokia N82

Nokia Wireless Loopset launched, providing wire-free and hands-free communication for t-coil-equipped hearing aid wearers



**Nokia N82**



**Nokia Wireless Loopset**

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