Identify the Components

Clothing Clip
The clothing clip keeps the headset properly seated and free from the cord's weight. Attach the clothing clip at a comfortable level.

Quick Disconnect™ Connector
This feature allows you to place a call on hold and move away from the phone without removing the headset. When you separate the Quick Disconnect, you place an ongoing conversation on hold. Before using your headset, join the Quick Disconnect to the mating connector of the modular adapter cable. To put your call on hold, grasp Quick Disconnect, as shown, and pull straight apart. To resume your conversation, reconnect the two halves.

The Convertible Process (171 and 171N models only)

Adjusting the Headset

Over-the-ear: To put on headset, move earloop away from receiver and place earloop over your ear. The over-the-ear configuration allows further control by adjusting the flexible earloop as shown.

Over-the-head: Adjust headband length so stabilizer bars rest above your ears. If necessary, to increase or decrease tension on your head, bend the metal part of headband inward or outward for desired comfort. Push receiver close to your ear until it feels comfortable and you can hear the sound from the telephone clearly.

In both configurations: The end of the boom should be placed a distance of two fingers from the corner of your mouth.

Left Ear Conversion

3.1 To convert the headset for the left ear, first pull out the front part of the microphone boom (on noise-canceling models) then rotate it downward facing the opposite direction. Voice tubes simply rotate.

3.2 Then rotate the headset receiver downward to the opposite direction. It only rotates in one direction.

3.3 For over-the-ear headsets, place earloop on opposite side of headset receiver. For over-the-head headsets, remove cable from cable notch, rotate the pivot pin holder as shown and replace cable in cable notch.
**Maintenance/Troubleshooting**

**Maintenance for Optimum Performance**
- Replace voice tube every 6-9 months.
- Replace ear cushion every six months.
- Clean cable with a moist cloth once a month.

**Troubleshooting**

**Callers cannot hear me**
- For Voice Tube models 151, 161, or 171 determine if the voice tube is clogged or positioned improperly. Plantronics recommends replacing the voice tube every 6-9 months. For a temporary solution to a clogged voice tube, gently rinse warm water through the voice tube for a minute then manually swing or shake it dry. Make sure the voice tube is completely dry before reattaching. For Noise Cancelling models 151N, 161N, or 171N make sure the microphone is facing your mouth and positioned properly.
- Verify that the transmit volume control of the modular adapter is set properly.

**I cannot hear callers**
- Verify that the Quick Disconnect™ is connected.
- Make sure the headset is positioned properly.
- Make sure the modular adapter, if used, is installed correctly.
- Turn up the volume control on the modular adapter, if used.

**Fit is uncomfortable**
- For over-the-ear configurations, determine if the earloop is properly positioned on your ear.
- For over-the-head configurations, make sure the headband length is correct so the stabilizer bars rest gently just above the ear.
- Try all possible adjustments for the receiver in the over-the-ear or over-the-head configuration.

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**Parts & Accessories**

- H171/PT171
- H176/NT176
- NT173/NT176
- H151/N
- H161/N
- H151N/P151N H161N/P161N

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**Warranty and Service**

**Limited Warranty**
- What does this warranty cover?
- This warranty covers any defects in workmanship or materials in this product purchased in the U.S. or Canada. For warranty information in other countries, contact your local distributor.
- How long does the coverage last?
- This warranty runs for two years from the date of purchase.
- What will Plantronics do?
- If the product is found defective, we will exchange it at no charge.

**What does this warranty NOT cover?**
- Damage caused by accident, abuse, misuse, or an act of God (such as a flood) are not covered. Implied warranties, including those of merchantability, fitness for a particular purpose and non-infringement shall (a) have no duration greater than one year from the date of purchase, (b) terminate automatically at the end of that period, and (c) to the extent permitted by law, be excluded. Consequential and incidental damages, including without limitation, loss of property and those arising from breach of any express or implied warranty, are not the responsibility of Plantronics, and to the extent permitted by law, are excluded. Some states do not allow exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above exclusion may not apply to you.

**How Do You Get Service?**
- To obtain service in the U.S. contact Plantronics at (800) 544-4660 and in Canada call (800) 540-8363.

**How Does State Law Apply?**
- This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights, which vary from state to state.