



- This is a list of accessible mobile phones targeting the needs of persons with a vision impairment and blind persons.
- This information is provided by FITA as an indication of available technology at time of compilation. It neither represents product endorsement nor a recommendation to purchase any of them.
- Unless otherwise indicated, please make sure these devices are compatible with Malta's telecom company and radio frequency standards, prior to purchase. FITA could not always obtain relevant feedback in this regard.



### **Dual sim phone with talking voice keypad**

This heavy duty phone in yellow is water, dust and mud resistant with large keys that can be used with gloves. The display is 2 inches in full colour.

Complete with SOS emergency button for added security, this phone also has a IP67 rating, meaning it has been tested to withstand water immersion for up to 30 minutes between 15cm and 1 metre.

This phone is dual SIM (SIM card not included) and features Bluetooth, camera VGA, handsfree, phonebook with 1000 entries, MMS and GPRS (General Packet Radio Service), a torch, FM radio and more.

Please note, this phone works in EU countries only and requires a dual sim (not included.) This phone only works on 2G networks; it will not work on "3" network and other 3G networks.

[https://www.alibaba.com/product-detail/2016-dual-sim-phones-talking-voice\\_60460578769.html](https://www.alibaba.com/product-detail/2016-dual-sim-phones-talking-voice_60460578769.html)

or  
<http://shop.rnib.org.uk/accessible-technology/telephones-and-mobiles/heavy-duty-mobile-phone.html>  
RRP: GBP60



**Loudly Speaker&unlock talking voice keypad / buttons senior mobile phone**  
[https://www.alibaba.com/product-detail/Loudly-Speaker-unlock-talking-voice-keypad\\_60440773606.html](https://www.alibaba.com/product-detail/Loudly-Speaker-unlock-talking-voice-keypad_60440773606.html)



**Snapfon ezTWO Big Button Cell Phone with Talking Keypad and Emergency Dialing**  
big buttons, talking keypad, speed dialing, easy-to-use menus, enhanced sound, Bluetooth® connectivity, and hearing aid compatibility. An exclusive SOS button allows for emergency dialing when needed. Up to 5 emergency contacts can be programmed.  
The ezTWO is unlocked and 3G GSM compatible! All in all, the ezTWO is a great phone for seniors or just about anybody who's not very technologically inclined! One-year manufacturer's warranty.  
<https://assistech.com/store/blind-and-low-vision-cellphones/ez2>

RRP: USD 110



**ALTO 2 phone**

This slide type mobile phone provides exceptional readability (big screen, high contrasts), clear sound (up to 60dB amplification) and a voice guide to help the user when accessing mobile phone functionalities. The internal keyboard has been tailored for readability and accessibility (bigger keys). An easy access alarm can automatically launch a call to close relatives or care givers. Alto II is also featuring improved autonomy together with a simple and robust cradle for easy docking operation.

Despite its great features, FITA has found this phone not be durable and seldom survives two years of regular use.

<http://www.goldgmt.com/nos-mobiles/alto-ii/>



RRP: USD169

**Mobile phone with talking keypad for people with disabilities**

W59 multifunctional seniors phone:(bluetooth,dual sim,quadband,sos

[https://www.alibaba.com/product-detail/blind-people-mobile-phone-with-talking\\_60268618512.html](https://www.alibaba.com/product-detail/blind-people-mobile-phone-with-talking_60268618512.html)



## Phone accessibility enhancements

<https://www.maxiaids.com/low-vision-telephones>



## Doro Secure 580 Mobile Phone

<http://shop.rnib.org.uk/accessible-technology/telephones-and-mobiles/doro-secure-580-mobile-phone.html>

It has a simple key layout with only four dedicated speed dial buttons for your outgoing calls so is simple to use. You can also receive incoming text messages. Label each of the four buttons with names so that it is quick to call family and friends. On the back there is an emergency button, which once pressed will send a text message to your recipients as well as text your location and call the first number on your list. This simply gives peace of mind to you and others. The large screen enables you to adapt the display settings and increase the font size and background colour ó making it more suited to you to read. Hearing aid compatible up to T4/M4 for 3G and T3/M3 for GSM it also has a maximum ringing volume at 1 meter to >87. The Doro Secure 580 also has a

visual ring indicator, a vibrating ringer, 7 ringer volume settings and 20 ringtones.

RRP: GBP 130



### ***Mobile phone with vocalised features and SOS bracelet***

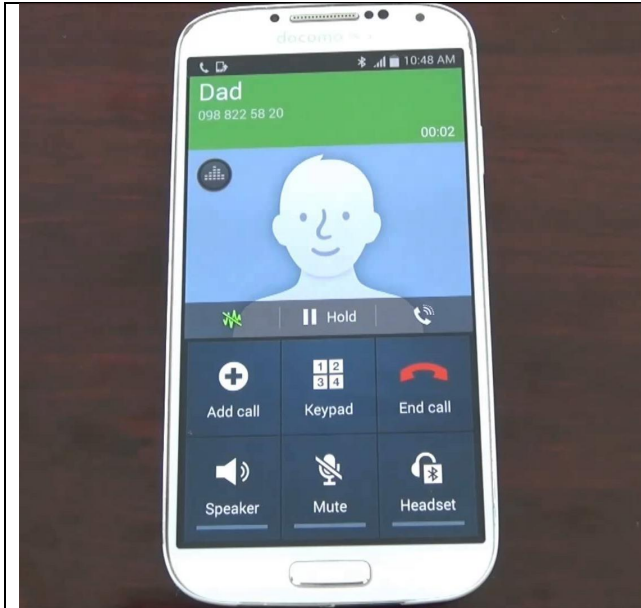
<http://shop.rnib.org.uk/accessible-technology/telephones-and-mobiles/mobile-phone-with-vocalised-features-and-sos-bracelet.html>

This mobile phone with 1.8 inch LCD colour display includes a wireless SOS bracelet. There is an SOS button on the back of the phone which, when pressed, automatically calls 5 contacts of your choice. The SOS bracelet provides the same benefits of the emergency button on the phone ó calling emergency services or your loved ones with a single button click up to 20m (indoors), or 100m (open space) from your phone.

In addition to the SOS function, the phone features talking Caller ID - record a name and assign it to a contact, size adjustable fonts for menus and messaging, Bluetooth, GPRS (General Packet Radio Service), a micro SD slot (SD not included), 7 quick dial numbers with 300 phonebook entries, speakerphone and much more.

Please note, this phone works in EU countries only and requires a mini sim (not included.) This phone only works on 2G networks; it will not work on "3" network and other 3G networks.

RRP: 90



***Android mobile (version 4.2 and above)***

To be used in combination with Talkback and optional launchers and theme settings, plus varied APPs.

FITA provides consultancy and set up sessions specifically targeting the required customisation.