

# The Sound of Music – Designing with Sound

A vital part of resident satisfaction within their community is to set the right tone – literally. Sound conveys information but also, caring and connection. Music, a stress reliever and mood elevator, is also a kind of communication, enhancing interiors and indicating welcome and relaxation.

Craft sound in your design for low distortion and total clarity. From the reception area to meeting rooms, private telemedicine spaces to shared dining areas, here are six points to think about when considering sound sculpting, amplification, and enrichment.

- **Music heightens a community's identity and creates a welcoming environment.** Add an underlying layer of music to enhance the experience of a potential resident, a new resident, family, and visitors as they enter the reception area.
- **The sound component is crucial to any virtual interaction, in whatever room a resident uses to engage and connect.** From participating in a family event live from states away, to chapel visits, virtual tours, and online meetings, sound and volume are absolutely critical.
- **Your design includes rooms for meetings, media, presentations, concerts, and more.** Don't wait until the last minute to include sound sculpting in the spaces where residents gather for club activities, hobbies, forums, speakers, and celebrations.
- **Consider the hard and soft surfaces – plates, glasses, forks, and more within shared dining areas.** Whether it's a casual bistro/coffee spot, the lunchroom with seats inside and out, or an elegant, upscale dining room, arrange the background ambiance to enhance resident experience.
- **Yoga and kickboxing. Open swim and spa services.** Sound levels in the fitness center may vary more than in any other area of the community. Solutions to big acoustic challenges are readily available.
- **Adding a soundtrack to activities – tennis and pickleball courts restive courtyards and patios are like a dream come true.** You can make it happen by including reliable speakers and durable low-maintenance electrical equipment in your design.

Tazergy has inspired solutions for sound technology systems and essential low voltage design. Its expertise extends to working in concert with Bose Professional, a company renowned for delivering clear, enhanced sound for over fifty years.

With experience in construction, integrating, and retrofitting, Tazergy is adept at working with architects, designers, and general contractors on senior living projects and more. Working with owners, operators, and residents, Tazergy creates a unified technology ecosystem that serves the community and residents' needs.

**Contact Tazergy about integrating solutions to attain the highest quality sound, space by space, into your community.**



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