

I am a blind user and have had difficulty trying to purchase an accessible cell phone. AT&T is allowed to offer discounts to users for the screen reader, Mobile Speak, on only a few cell phone models. This means I am limited to only a narrow choice of phones and features if I want to pay \$89 for Mobile Speak vs. \$295 for the screen reader on a phone which AT&T happens not to support with this discount program.

This is very patronizing by AT&T and should not be allowed. The discount is a great idea, but it should be available on any phone which supports the Mobile Speak software.

If Apple can build in speech into the phone and have it work with the web browser and email, other manufacturers should also do the same. People with disabilities shouldn't have to pay for a screen reading program and then with the screen reader, you may not always get good results.