



Our new and improved troubleshooting section was carefully constructed to put the power to repair your machine in your hands. As you can tell, we have put a great deal of time and effort into the process. All of this can save you the cost of a service call which is approaching \$150 in many markets and in many cases, we can save you the cost of parts since many parts are sold from factories unnecessarily (many parts cost over \$100 alone). With all of this said, if our troubleshooting tips help you out, please donate to keep this info on the web and so we can continue to add to it for your future use. As we get the funds, we will start to post video helps too. If this info helps you, please click on the donate button and donate to help us expand and maintain our troubleshooting help. Donations are NOT tax deductible.

Finding Bearing Noise in a Treadmill

We use an engine steth (how people started calling us treadmill doctors) to find a specific bearing that has gone bad in a treadmill but don't worry, you do not have to run out and buy one. If you don't have access to one, you can use a long handled screwdriver and touch it to a non-moving portion of the rollers and motor and then put your ear up to the handle and the screwdriver will amplify the noise of the part so you can find out which part is making the noise. If it is a bearing, it will be obvious which part is the problem because the grinding noise of the bad bearing will be amplified by the screwdriver or engine steth.

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