

# Sound Beginnings

## Questions I have about my child with hearing loss

- How can hearing loss affect my child's development?
- What caused my child's hearing loss and will it change?
- How does the ear work and what part is not working in my child's ear?
- What does my child's audiogram tell us about what my child can and cannot hear?
- How is hearing tested?
- How often will my child need to see the audiologist and what will happen at these visits?

- How will hearing aids help my child?
- How do hearing aids work?
- How do I care for my child's hearing aids?
- How do I keep hearing aids on my child's ears?
- What is a cochlear implant and does my child need one?

- How do I talk to my baby with hearing loss?
- What can I do to help my child learn to communicate?
- What are different ways to communicate with a child with hearing loss and what is the best match for our family?
- How can I tell when my child hears a sound?
- How do I help my child learn to listen?

- I am interested in meeting other families with children with hearing loss.
- I want to talk about how this is affecting our family.
- Who are the professionals that will be involved with my child and our family?
- I am interested in resources that I can read or watch on my own

More questions I have:

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My child's name: \_\_\_\_\_

