## **Early Hearing Detection and Intervention (EHDI)**

## Patient Checklist for Pediatric Medical Home Providers

Birth	Hospital-based Inpatient Screening Results (OAE/AABR) (also Home Births)	DATE:/	
	Left ear: $\square$ Missed $\square$ Incomplete $\square$ Failed Screen <sup>a, c</sup> $\square$ PassRight ear: $\square$ Missed $\square$ Incomplete $\square$ Failed Screen <sup>a, c</sup> $\square$ Pass		
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	□ Pediatric Audiology Evaluation <sup>b</sup>	//	
Before 3 months	<ul> <li>☐ Hearing Loss</li> <li>☐ Normal Hearing</li> <li>☐ Document child and family auditory history</li> <li>☐ Report to State EHDI Program results of diagnostic evaluation</li> <li>☐ Refer to Early Intervention (IDEA, Part C)</li> <li>☐ Advise family about communication options and assistive listening devices (hearing aids, cochlear implants, etc.)</li> <li>☐ Medical &amp; Otologic Evaluations to recommend treatment and provide clearance for hearing aid fitting</li> <li>☐ Pediatric Audiology for hearing aid fitting and monitoring</li> </ul>		
Before 6 months	☐ Enrollment in Early Intervention (IDEA, Part C) (transition to Part B at 3 years of age)	/	
	<ul> <li>☐ Medical Evaluations to determine etiology and identify related conditions</li> <li>☐ Otolaryngology (required)</li> <li>☐ Ophthalmologist (recommended)</li> <li>☐ Geneticist (recommended)</li> <li>☐ Developmental pediatrics, neurology, cardiology, and nephrology (as needed)</li> </ul>	//	
	☐ Ongoing Pediatric Audiology Services	/	

(a) In screening programs that do not provide Outpatient Screening, infants will be referred directly from Inpatient Screening to Pediatric Audiologic Evaluation. Likewise, infants at higher risk for hearing loss (or loss to follow-up) also may be referred directly to Pediatric Audiology.

(b) Part C of IDEA\* may provide diagnostic audiologic evaluation services as part of Child Find activities.

(c) Even infants who fail screening in only one ear should be referred for further testing of both ears  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

(d) Includes infants whose parents refused initial or follow-up hearing screening.

OAE	= Otoaco	oustic	1- mis	ssions

**AABR** = Automated Auditory Brainstem Response

**ABR** = Auditory Brainstem Response

IDEA = Individuals with Disabilities Education Act

**EHDI** = Early Hearing Detection & Intervention

Ongoing Care of All Infants <sup>d</sup> Provide parents with information about hearing, speech, and language milestones  Identify and aggressively treat middle ear disease Vision screening and referral as needed Ongoing developmental surveillance/referral Risk indicators for delayed-onset hearing loss:		Patient Name:
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(If risk factors are present, refer for audiology evaluation at least once prior to age 30 months)

Pediatri	c Audiolo	gist:			
Early Int	tervention	Service (	Coordinato	r:	
Other:					
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