

# Ear Care Pathway

## New patient form



AUDIBEL

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Street: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

(if retired, please list occupation while working)

Primary Physician (First & Last Name): \_\_\_\_\_ Physician Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn about us: ☐ Referral ☐ Friend ☐ Newspaper ☐ Google ☐ Social Media ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### Hearing Checklist

**YES** **NO** \*Please answer how well you hear.

- |                          |                          |  |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | You can hear, but have difficulty understanding.   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | You have difficulty understanding children or those with high-pitched voices.  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | You find yourself complaining that some people mumble or slur their words.   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | You have difficulty understanding what's being said unless you are facing the person speaking.                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | You are continually asking certain people to repeat themselves, even though they feel they are speaking loud enough.       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | You prefer the TV or radio louder than others do.  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | You have difficulty understanding conversation within a group of people.   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | You avoid group meetings, social occasions, public facilities, or family gatherings where listening may be difficult.      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | You have trouble hearing at places of worship or other public gatherings—especially where sound sources are at a distance. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | You experience ringing, hissing, buzzing, whistling, roaring, or even chirping noises in your ears.                        |

### INDEX OF SOCIAL IMPAIRMENT

Total YES Answers: \_\_\_\_\_ X 10 = \_\_\_\_\_ % Social Impairment Index

How can I serve you today? \_\_\_\_\_

### Needs Assessment

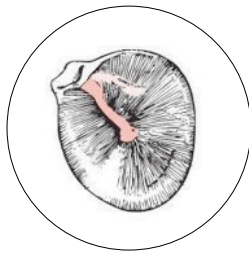
Rate	Environmental Struggles Tell me about an environment where you are struggling to hear?	Quality of Life Impact/Emotion Help me understand. / Tell me more.

Is the summary correct? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Just so we are on the same page, what are we hoping to accomplish today? \_\_\_\_\_

## Otoscopy & FDA Questions

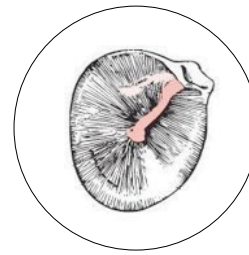
LEFT EAR



Cerumen: ☐ Light ☐ Moderate ☐ Heavy

Cerumen Management: ☐ Yes ☐ No

RIGHT EAR



Cerumen: ☐ Light ☐ Moderate ☐ Heavy

Cerumen Management: ☐ Yes ☐ No

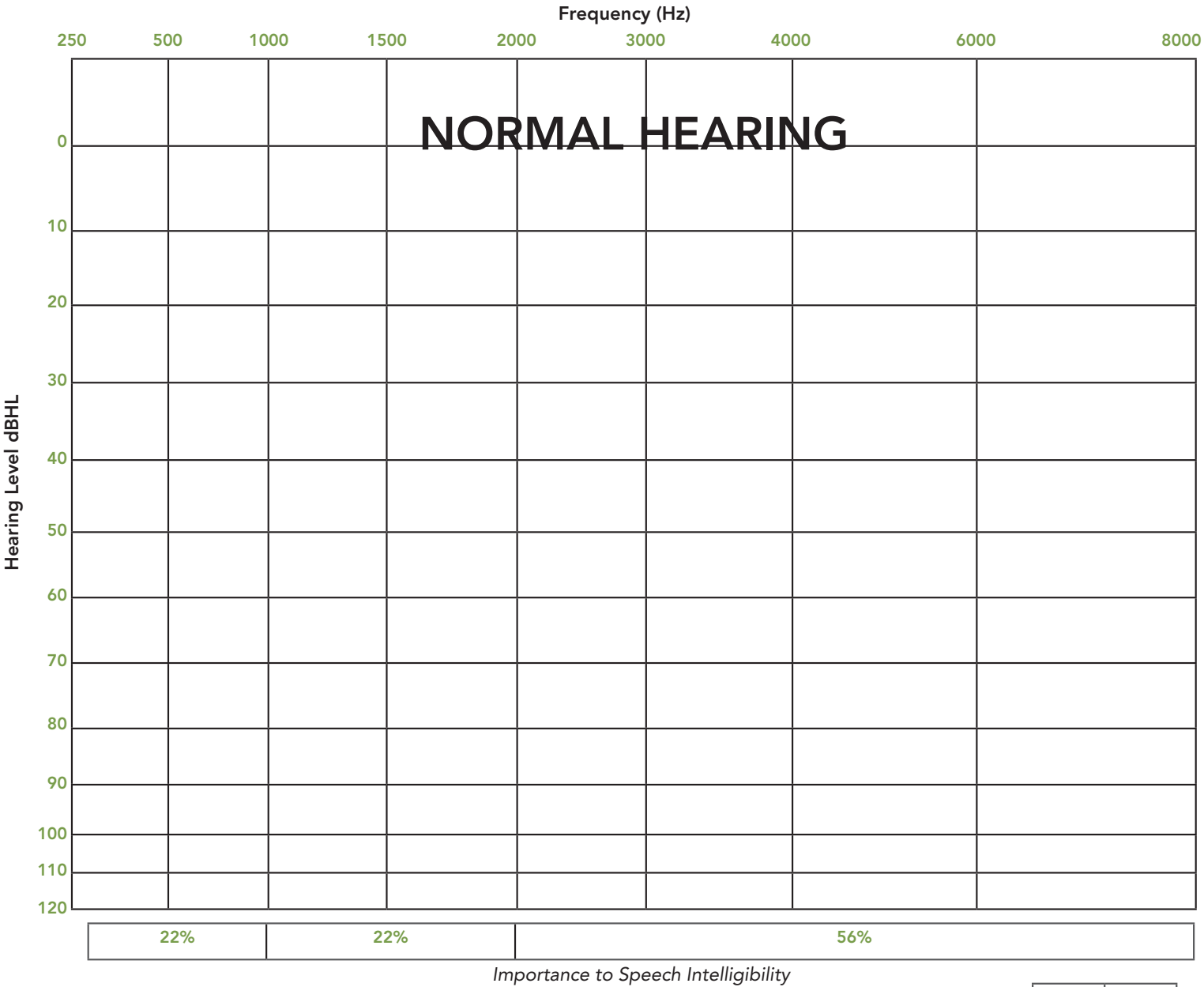
- |  |                              |                             |
|--|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. Visible congenital or traumatic deformity of the ear? .....                                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2. Visible evidence of significant cerumen accumulation or a foreign body in the ear canal? .....  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 3. Any history of, or active drainage from, the ear within the previous 90 days? .....             | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 4. Any history of sudden or rapidly progressive hearing loss within the previous 90 days? .....    | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 5. Have you experienced any acute or chronic dizziness? .....                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 6. Is there a unilateral hearing loss of sudden or recent onset within the previous 90 days? ..... | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 7. Have you experienced any pain or discomfort? .....  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 8. Any ringing or other noises in the ears? .....  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Notes:

Hearing Examination

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Today's Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Examiner: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_ License #: \_\_\_\_\_



	SRT	UCL	MCL	WORD DISCRIMINATION	
RIGHT					
	dB	dB	dB	dB	%
LEFT					
	dB	dB	dB	dB	%
BINAURAL					
	dB	dB	dB	dB	%

SYMBOLS	LEFT	RIGHT
Unmasked AC	X	○
Unmasked BC	>	<
Masked AC	□	△
Masked BC	└	┐
No Response	↘	↙

- ☐ Insert Phones
- ☐ Headphones
- ☐ Sound Field

## Unaided Speech/Current Hearing Device Assessment

Check the CORRECT words. For incorrect words, write exactly what patient said on the line.

<input type="checkbox"/> Sick _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Voice _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Tax _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Spit _____
<input type="checkbox"/> See _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Chair _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Ticks _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Leaf _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Shout _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Chicks _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Lease _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Cheap _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Thick _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Hits _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Week _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Fixed _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Leap _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Licked _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Fist _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Kicks _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Care _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Cheese _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Sipped _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Share _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Sheep _____	

Total CORRECT Answers: \_\_\_\_\_ X 4 = \_\_\_\_\_ % of Current Ability

## New Device Aided Assessment

Have the companion stand 5 feet behind the patient and have them ask 3 questions. Have the companion move back a few steps with each question - "What did you have for breakfast today? What are you having or what did you have for lunch? What will you have for dinner tonight?"



## Professional Recommendation:

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