

QUICKTIP

Pro Fit Fitting Protocol

Pro Fit will guide the hearing care professional through three fitting session types: Preparation, Fitting, and Follow-Up.

Wireless Initial Setup

NOTE: To power on rechargeable 2.4 GHz hearing aids for the first time, briefly insert them into the appropriate charger for 3 seconds then remove.

- 1 2.4 GHz hearing aids can only be programmed wirelessly via NOAHlink Wireless programmers. Rechargeable hearing aids will ship with enough battery life to complete initial hearing aid programming, but not enough for a full day of use. Place hearing aids in the charger prior to the initial fitting to ensure there is enough battery life for use.

NOTE: If the hearing aid battery charge is too low, a low battery warning will appear when reading devices. If this occurs, the fitting session can proceed, but a firmware update (if available) cannot. A turbo charge using the StarLink chargers is enough to proceed with a firmware update.

- 2 Attach SnapFit 2.0 receivers to RIC hearing aids.
- 3 If programming the Zn-Air CIC 312 or RIC 312, insert batteries into the hearing aids.
- 4 If fitting CROS/BiCROS hearing aids, the 2.4 GHz wireless CROS Receiver and Transmitter must be paired and programmed together at the initial fitting. Receivers can be programmed with or without the Transmitter present after the initial fitting. If a Transmitter is ordered separately, the hearing care professional must pair the Transmitter and Receiver as a set within Pro Fit. Streaming from the Transmitter is available during the fitting session.

Zn-Air Non-Wireless Initial Setup

- 1 Non-wireless hearing aids can only be programmed via programming cables and the SpeedPort, HiPro, or NOAHLink programmers.
- 2 Insert orange programming flex strips into the hearing aids and connect to programming cables.
- 3 Insert batteries into the hearing aids.

Rechargeable CIC Non-Wireless Initial Setup

NOTE: To power on rechargeable CIC NW hearing aids for the first time, briefly insert them into the appropriate charger for 3 seconds then remove, or press the push button user control (if available).

- 1 Rechargeable CIC NW hearing aids can only be programmed wirelessly via the NOAHlink wireless 1.0 or 2.0 programmer. Hearing aids will ship with enough battery life to complete initial hearing aid programming, but not enough for a full day of use. Place hearing aids in the charger prior to the initial fitting to ensure there is enough battery life for use.

NOTE: If the hearing aid battery charge is too low, a low battery warning will appear when reading devices. If this occurs, the fitting session can proceed, but a firmware update (if available) cannot. A turbo charge using the StarLink Charger 2.0 or StarLink Premium Charger 2.0 is enough to proceed with a firmware update.

Pro Fit Minute Fit

- 1 Select the hearing aid(s) to be programmed. [Fig. 1]
- 2 Select **Connect** to begin a new fitting or for a follow-up fitting session using the current settings in the hearing aids.
- 3 Review and verify selections. Select **Apply Best Fit**. [Fig. 2]

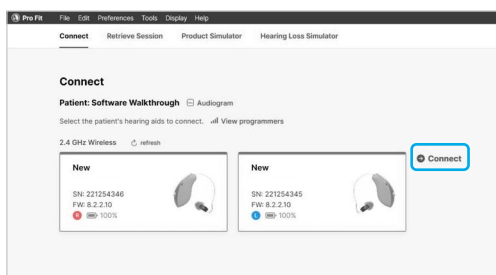


Figure 1

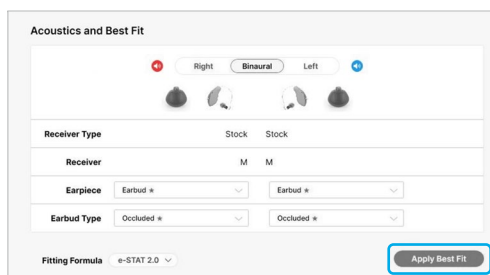


Figure 2

Preparation

Pro Fit advances to the Preparation session automatically when programming new hearing aids. [Fig. 3]

- 1 Set up new hearing aids.
 - A. Assign the **Experience Level**.
 - B. Select **Programs** and enable hearing aid programs, if desired.
 - C. Select **User Controls**. Drag any user control you wish to enable from the left and drop it on a gesture on the right. [Fig. 4]

NOTE: Rechargeable hearing aids do not have battery doors. To provide patients with the ability to power off their hearing aids while not in use, the Push & Hold user control will be configured as "Sleep Mode" when shipped.

NOTE: Double Tap is only available for wireless products. Double Tap Sensitivity may be adjusted by selecting the dropdown arrow under the user control options.

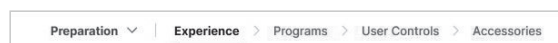


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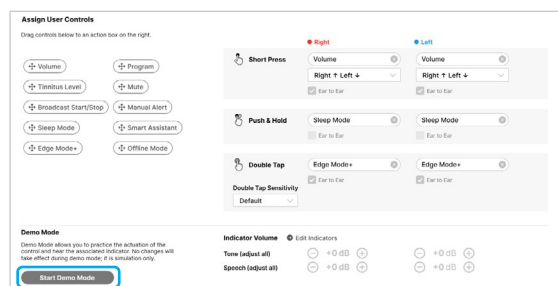



Figure 4

Preparation (Continued)

D. Select **Accessories** to pair and configure accessories, if desired.

See **How to Pair Accessories** for information on the pairing process.

Once paired, adjust the **Hearing aid mic while streaming, Streaming sound** for the streaming accessories and the **Favorite Button** configuration for the Remote. Adjust the **Hearing aid mic while streaming phone** and **Streaming sound** for phone use.

- Utilize the **Flyout Menu**  and the **Left Menu Bar** to access additional screens and help features. [Fig. 5]

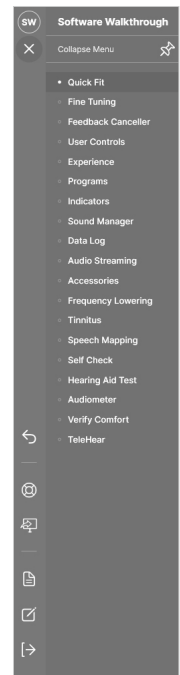


Figure 5

Fitting

Following the Preparation session, Pro Fit will advance to the Fitting session automatically. [Fig. 6]

- Insert the hearing aids into the patient's ears, reduce all sources of noise, then select **Begin Test** to run the **Feedback Cancellor** initialization.
- If the hearing aid model is updated based on measurements from the feedback canceller test, choose **Target Match/Yes** to accept the measured response or choose **Do Not Target Match/No** to continue with the initial predicted response. [Fig. 7a/7b]

NOTE: The model is updated based on measurements obtained during the feedback canceller test. The updated model reflects the measured acoustics of the ear canal with the hearing aid in the ear.


- Select **Quick Fit** to make global fitting adjustments. Select **Fine Tuning** on the bottom of the Quick Fit screen or from the **Flyout Menu**  to make detailed fitting adjustments of individual channels and input levels.
- Select **Sound Manager** to make adjustments to environmental sound management features and directionality.
- If needed, select **User Controls**. Drag any user control you wish to enable from the left and drop it on a gesture on the right. If desired, click **Start Demo Mode*** and have the patient practice the actuation of the control and hear the associated indicator. No changes will take effect during demo mode; it is simulation only. [Fig. 4]



Figure 6

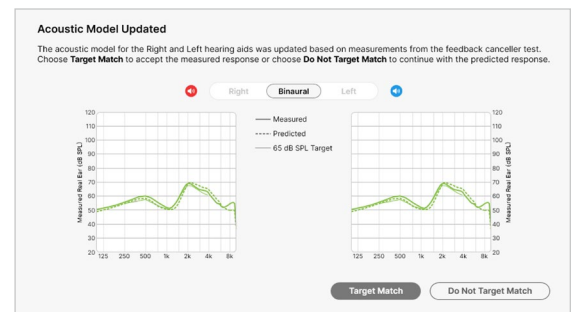


Figure 7a

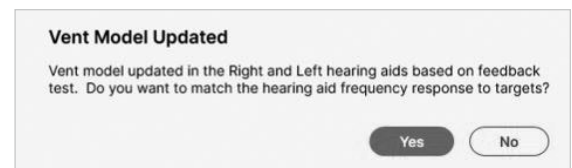


Figure 7b

Fitting (Continued)

- 6 Select **Indicators**. Click the check boxes to enable or disable indicators. [Fig. 8]
- 7 Adjust **All Indicators** or individual indicators to increase or decrease volume level for all Tone or Speech indicators in 5 dB increments. Select the hearing aid icon to play the indicators directly through the hearing aids or the computer icon to play them through the loudspeaker.
- 8 Utilize the **Flyout Menu** ≡ and the **Left Menu Bar** to access additional screens and help features. [Fig. 5]

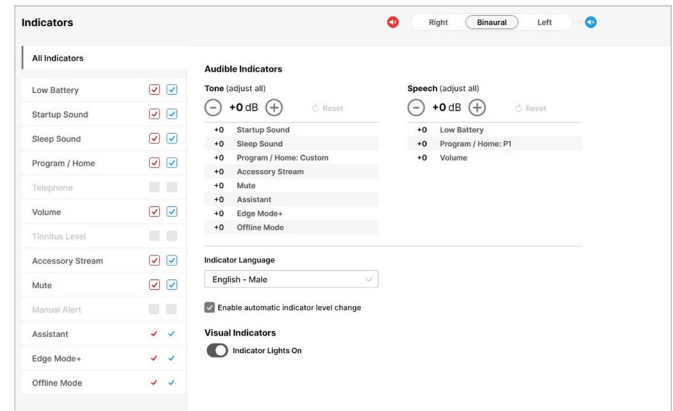


Figure 8

Follow-Up

Following the Fitting session, Pro Fit will advance to the Follow-Up session automatically. [Fig. 9]

- 1 Review **Data Log**, if desired.
- 2 If needed, select **Fine Tuning** to make detailed adjustments of individual channels and input levels.
- 3 Select **Sound Manager** to make adjustments to environmental sound management features and directionality.
- 4 If needed, select **Indicators** to adjust the volume level and stimulus type for indicators. [Fig. 8]
- 5 If needed, select **User Controls**. Drag any user control you wish to enable from the left and drop it on a gesture on the right. If desired, click **Start Demo Mode** and have the patient practice the actuation of the control and hear the associated indicator. No changes will take effect during demo mode; it is simulation only. [Fig. 4]
- 6 Utilize the **Flyout Menu** ≡ and the **Left Menu Bar** to access additional screens and help features. [Fig. 5]



Figure 9

Audio Streaming Demo

Audio Streaming* is available on the **Flyout Menu** ≡ and allows you to demonstrate streaming audio from a paired phone or accessory and adjust the frequency response with Quick Fit or Fine Tuning controls. [Fig. 10]

- 1 Select Audio Streaming from the **Flyout Menu** ≡ [Fig. 5].
- 2 Start streaming from the paired phone or accessory (Bluetooth® must be turned on).
- 3 Select **Start Demo Mode**. Once the stream is detected, “Now Streaming” displays [Fig. 10].
- 4 Select **Mute stream (talk to patient)** if desired, then select **Unmute stream** to start the stream again.

NOTE: If streaming from an Android phone or a device using the ASHA streaming protocol, the stream cannot be muted via Pro Fit. Select **Stop Demo Mode** to talk to the patient.

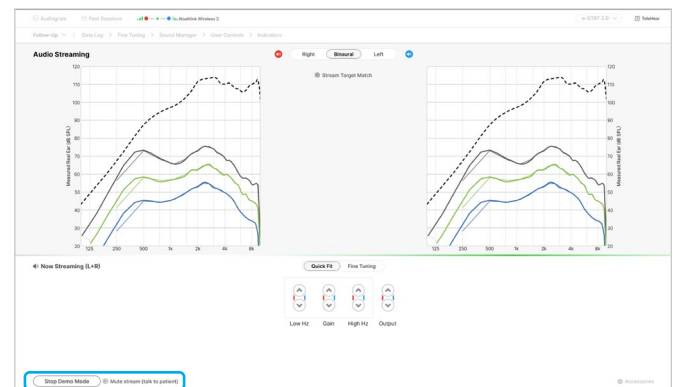



Figure 10

Audio Streaming Demo (Continued)

- 5 On the Audio Streaming screen, select **Quick Fit** to make global fitting adjustments.
Select **Fine Tuning** to make detailed fitting adjustments of individual channels and input levels.
- 6 Select **Stop Demo Mode** to stop the demo/stream.
- 7 To recalculate the frequency response to match the prescriptive target, select **Stream Target Match**.

Session Notes

Session Notes* tracks and saves adjustment history and allows you to enter detailed fitting comments that are saved with each session. Session Notes can be viewed for reference, ensuring continuity of care and facilitating future follow-ups or troubleshooting.

- 1 Select **Session Notes**  from the **Left Menu Bar**. [Fig. 5]
- 2 Enter individual topics that required fitting adjustments and select **Add** for each one. Each topic will display under **Today's Topics**. [Fig. 11]
- 3 Fitting adjustments will be tracked under **Today's Adjustments**. Drag and drop each adjustment to the corresponding **Today's Topic**. Select **Check at next session** or **Topic resolved**. [Fig. 11]
- 4 Use **Additional Notes** to add free-form notes.
- 5 Exit Pro Fit and enter a session title to save. Select **Yes**.
- 6 Saved fitting sessions with **Session Notes** will have an eye icon next to it on the Noah home screen. Click the eye icon to quickly display the **Report Viewer**.

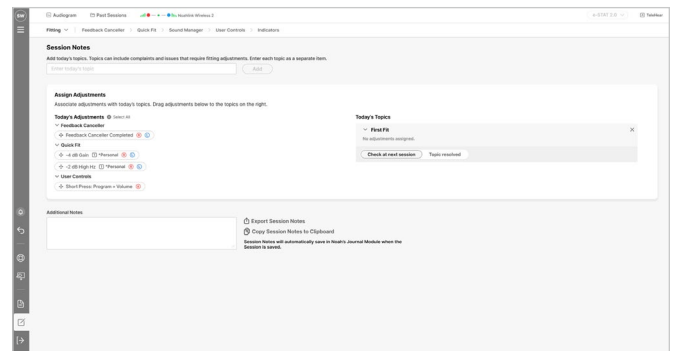


Figure 11

NOTE: If you select **Check at next session** the topic will display under **Session Notes** as **Last Visit's Topic** and you will be asked if the topic was resolved.

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