Hearing instrument Use and Response Log

The form below is designed to help parents and caregivers observe the child's initial hearing instrument experiences. This is especially useful with young children being fitted with hearing instruments for the very first time. Your observations of your child's behavior and responses to different sounds in the home environment are very important for the audiologist or early intervention specialist. They can use this information to help determine how well your child is adjusting to hearing amplified sounds; the benefit and appropriateness of the amplification; and the need for any fine tuning.

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