ININVOLVING YOUNG CHILDREN IN HEARING HEALTH CARE

Your child is capable of participating in their hearing healthcare. It can boost their confidence and help give them a voice. By age 3, most children can answer simple questions and tell you how they feel and what they want.

Give Choices:

- Should we look in mom’s ears or teddy bear’s ears first?
- What sticker do you want to put on your hearing aid?
- Which ear sounds better?
- How do your ears feel? 🎧 or 🎧
- How do your hearing aids sound? 🎧 or 🎧

Ask the Child:

- Teach the Child to tell Others:

  - Teacher, I can’t hear you....
  - I have a hard time hearing so I use hearing aids. This is what they look like...
  - There is too much noise so it is hard for me to hear...
  - Which ear sounds better?
  - How do your ears feel? 🎧 or 🎧
  - How do your hearing aids sound? 🎧 or 🎧

Learn more about how to involve children in their hearing care by scanning the QR code


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