



Information for Parent – Referral for Hearing Screening Test

As of 15th Oktober 2008

Dear Parent(s),

We have carried out a hearing screening test on your child.

The results of this hearing test revealed that your child requires more detailed, specialist screening.

This does NOT mean that your child has impaired hearing.

These test results are by no means a conclusive medical diagnosis. Very few of the children who show irregularities at this stage go on to be diagnosed with impaired hearing.

However, we recommend that you make an urgent appointment, within the next four weeks, at one of the institutions named overleaf. The specialist staff there will be able to carry out a more in-depth hearing test.

Please make this appointment as soon as possible as efficient and healthy hearing from an early age is essential for future speech development.

Do not put any oils or creams on your baby when attending this appointment. If possible try to keep your baby awake. Only breastfeed or bottle-feed your baby on arrival (if possible), so that s/he sleeps during the hearing test. Please remember to bring along your yellow examination record book.

If you have any questions, contact your local baby clinic (address can be found below on the stamp) or contact the offices at the Westphalia-Lippe Screening Centre on 02 51-83-55931 (Monday to Friday, 9.00am to 12.00pm) or via e-Mail: info@hoerscreening-wl.de).

Your Newborn Hearing Screening Team



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