

Early Hearing Detection & Intervention Program Pathway

All Infants born or registered in Alberta

Transitioned from EHDI Program



Information and Offer

Families offered information about newborn hearing screening and EHDI Program participation

during pregnancy and after birth



Newborn Hearing Screening

Hearing screened in hospital prior to discharge or in screening centre with information and support for families

by 1 month of age



Diagnostic Hearing Assessment

Upon referral, hearing assessment to rule out or confirm permanent hearing loss with information and support for families

by 3 months of age



Intervention Services

Upon referral, early hearing loss services and intervention options coordinated with families*

by 6 months of age

* may include amplification, family education, medical evaluation, speech language therapy



Transition of Care

Families offered coordinated transition to ongoing child development services

as required