

Centre for Hearing and Balance Disorders

The Paediatric Hearing Test Pathway

Your child has been referred by a medical or health professional for a hearing assessment. This leaflet explains the pathway that your treatment will follow in most cases.

The University Hospitals Coventry and Warwickshire NHS Trust is a teaching centre and there may be a health professional trainee present in the clinic. If you do not wish for them to attend then please inform the clinic staff when you arrive.

The hearing test appointment

Hearing test shows satisfactory hearing

If the hearing test shows that your child has satisfactory hearing then you will be discharged from the Audiology Clinic and we will write a letter to you and the health professional that referred you explaining the test results. You can always ask for another referral from your GP if you suspect your child has hearing problems in the future.

Hearing test shows reduced hearing

If the hearing test shows that your child's hearing is reduced then we will arrange a repeat test at a later date. At the repeat test, if there are ongoing problems with your child's hearing, then we will then discuss a referral to the Ear, Nose and Throat (ENT) Consultant for a medical opinion.



Patient Information

Further Information

If you need any further information please contact the Centre for Hearing on 024 7696 6444.

The Trust has access to interpreting and translation services. If you need this information in another language or format please contact 024 7696 6444 and we will do our best to meet your needs.

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