

At Audiology I get my ears checked.
I will try to listen carefully.

Audiology is at outpatients, located at
Harrogate District Hospital.



We will go through the hospital and into Audiology reception and maybe say 'hello'.



We usually wait in the waiting room.
There might be lots of people waiting.



When its time to go and see the audiologist,
somebody will say my name.

Then we will walk down the corridor and look
for the Audiologist.

Here is Tony.
He is one of the Audiologists.

The Audiologist is the person
who will check my ears.

Tony likes to play listening games
and look in your ear.



This is the Audiology Room.
There is a table and some chairs.
There are some toys to play with.
It is very quiet in the Audiology Room.
The Audiologist will be really happy if I sit down at the table.

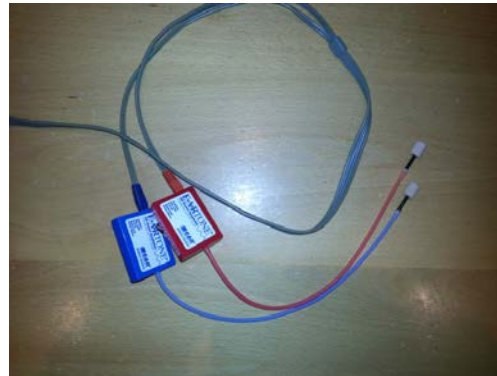


Now it is time to do some good listening.

Sometimes I may hear the noise “beep beep” and it makes the toys dance.



I might wear headphones or inserts so I can hear some sounds.



I will try to listen for the noise “beep beep”.

When I hear the noise the audiologist’s helper may ask me to put the people in the boat, throw a ball or build a tower.



This is an auroscope.
It is like an ear torch.



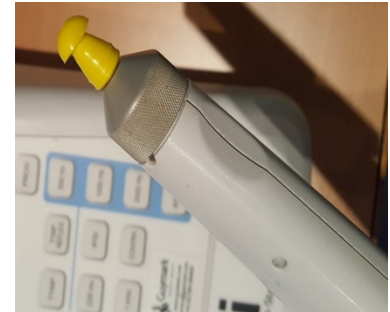
If I sit really still the audiologist can look in my ear.

This is ok.

This is a tympanometry machine.
The audiologist will hold a tube next
to my ear.



The tube has a soft, coloured tip
that goes into my ear to check my
ears are working properly.



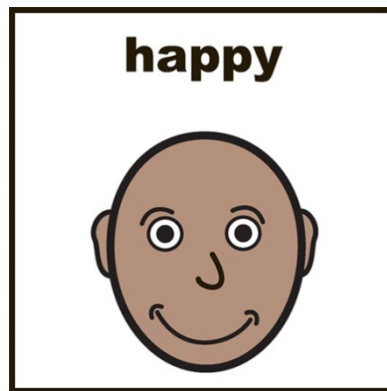
It feels a bit tickly but this is ok.

The audiologist will choose what
colour tip to use to check my ears.



Then it will be time to leave the hospital.

Everybody will be happy when I have listened well.



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