

Audiology Evaluation

Children's on 3rd Outpatient





I am going to Children's on 3rd.
This story will teach me about my visit.



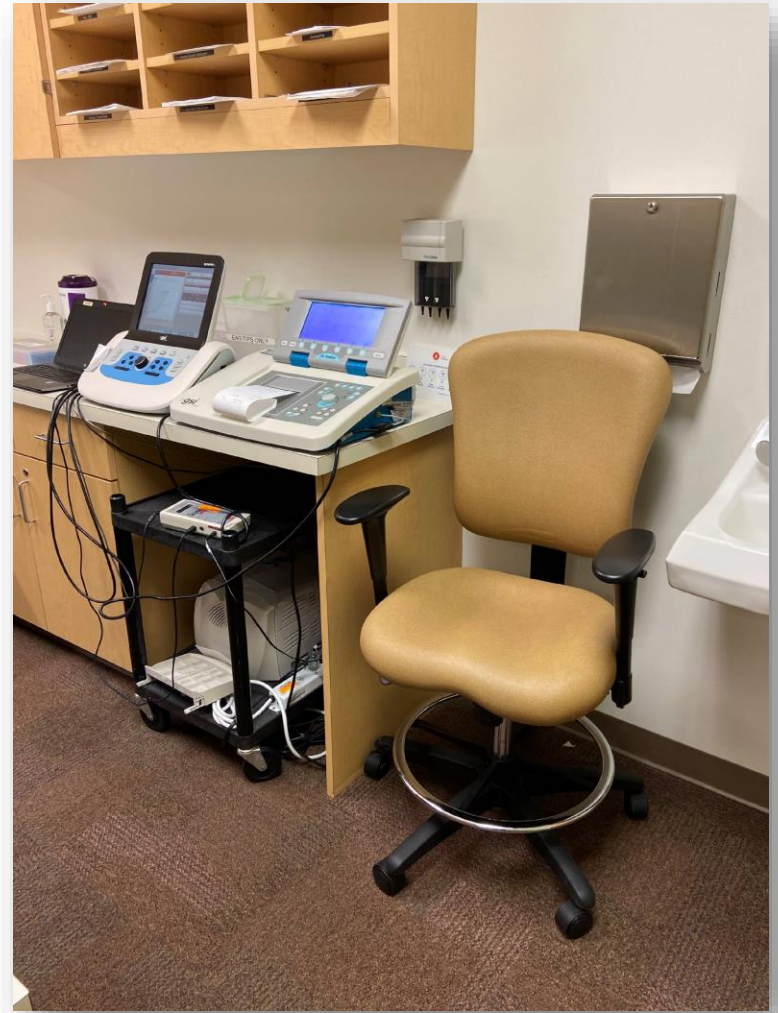
When I arrive, my family and I will check in at the desk.



I will get a bracelet with my name.
I will wear this bracelet on my wrist.



I will wait calmly in the waiting room until my name is called.



When my name is called, my family and I will walk down the hall to a room like this.



The audiologist will look in my ears like this.



Then, he/she will place the soft earbud in my ear.

I will feel a puff of air or tickle in my ear.



The audiologist will place the soft earbud in my other ear.

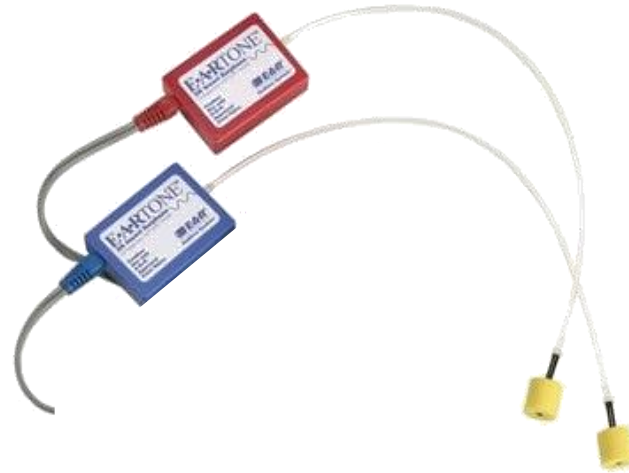
Again, I will feel a puff of air or tickle in my ear.



Last, is my hearing test.

My family and I will walk to a different room for my hearing test.

In this room I can sit by myself or in someone's lap.



During my hearing test, I will listen to different sounds through headphones, soft earbuds, or a speaker.



Some sounds I hear may sound like birds chirping.

While I listen to these sounds I can watch TV, play on an ipad, or with a toy.



I may also play a game with the audiologist.

The audiologist will tell me how to play the game.



After my hearing test, the audiologist will talk to my family about my hearing.

All done



Then, my visit will be all done.

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