

Beacon Medical Services Group

**Patient Information Leaflet**  
Your Audiology Fitting appointment

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If you have any questions about your appointment or if you have any individual requirements such as the need for a chaperone, you can contact us by phone or email

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Clinic opening hours: Monday-Friday 9:30am-5:30PM.  
Parking is available at the rear of the building

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**YOUR HEARING AID  
FITTING APPOINTMENT**



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## HOW LONG WILL THE APPOINTMENT TAKE?

The appointment for a hearing aid fitting will last approximately 1 hour.

## WHO WILL BE PRESENT DURING THE APPOINTMENT?

The Appointment will be undertaken by a qualified Audiologist. You are more than welcome to bring a family member or friend to the appointment.

## WHAT WILL HAPPEN DURING THE APPOINTMENT?

The Audiologist will explain the nature of the appointment to you and will examine your ears. The Audiologists will then select the correct hearing aid for you based on your hearing loss and programme the hearing aid using your hearing test.

The Audiologist may undertake a hearing aid verification test called Real Ear measurement to ensure that your hearing aid output matches the hearing test as much as possible.

Once the Audiologist has programmed the hearing aids to your hearing test, He or she will make sure that you are happy with the comfort of the Hearing aids and the sound quality.

The Audiologist will then show you how to look after your hearing aids, Change the batteries and insert the hearing aids into your ear/s correctly.

At the end of the fitting appointment, The Audiologist will book a follow up appointment in 3-6 weeks. This could be a face to face or a telephone appointment depending on your choice.

## RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH APPOINTMENT

There are no invasive procedures undertaken in this appointment. Your consent will be asked prior to any procedures being performed. You have the right to give or withhold consent.

## LARGE PRINT AND OTHER LANGUAGES

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