

Provincial Notice of Birth/Stillbirth EHDI Program – Completion Guidelines

Newborn hearing screening through the Early Hearing Detection and Intervention (EHDI) Program is indicated in Section 5 under “Follow-up Consultations”.

Hearing Screening (EHDI) <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required <input type="checkbox"/> Required

Completion Guidelines:

√ *Not Required* if: hearing screening was completed in hospital; parent refused screening; or, a “missed screen” referral to community audiology/screening site was already submitted. Infants born with aural atresia or presenting with meningitis are not eligible for screening. These infants will bypass hearing screening and be referred directly to audiology services for diagnostic assessment.

√ *Required* if: the infant is eligible for hearing screening, but screening was not completed in hospital (either screening not offered at the birth site or a “missed screen” referral was not made to community audiology/screening site).