How to Help Our Communication:

Please:
- Note on my medical records that I have a hearing loss.
- Get my attention before talking.
- Face me - I need to see your face to lipread.
- Speak clearly - don't over emphasize or shout.
- If possible, turn off background noise.
- Don't cover your mouth.
- Rephrase if misunderstood.
- Write down important information.
- Ask me to repeat vital facts to be sure I understand correctly.

Thank you!
Without my hearing aid / cochlear implant

**I CAN’T HEAR YOU!**

**Left ear:**
Type: _____________________
Settings: __________________
To turn on: __________________
To turn off: __________________

**Right ear:**
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Settings: __________________
To turn on: __________________
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In addition to wearing my listening devices I also need:
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To wake me:
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