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*After Lexi's deafness was missed, I vowed to spend the rest of my life finding anyone else who cannot hear & help them.*

Jaime Vernon, SFS Founder,  
Mom of Lexi (deaf/cochlear implants)



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## GOT ANY QUESTIONS?

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## THE ANNUAL CHECKLIST

Vision ☒  
Dental ☒  
Hearing ☐

- ☐ Follow these instructions for ALL family members.
- ☐ Call Insurance & verify coverage of a full hearing test. See your doc, get referred.
- ☐ Visit our preferred clinic finder in the email we sent with your screening results. Make an appointment.
- ☐ Get your results or your family member's results; contact us if you have questions!
- ☐ If any results are severe or worse, insist on a referral to an ENT or Otologist/Neurotologist. (Kids should only refer to Oto/Neuro.) Additional tests need to be done to rule out underlying conditions.
- ☐ If a device is recommended, DO SOMETHING (ACTION). Contact us to talk through your options. We have affordability and tech advice.

**AWARENESS. ACCESS. ACTION.**

**See Contact info on reverse side**



## WHEN SOMEONE YOU LOVE IS STRUGGLING TO HEAR

**Be an advocate**

Your parent, your spouse, your friend,  
your child cannot hear well.

### **Warning signs:**

- ~ they say, "Huh?"
- ~ low speech performance (kids)
- ~ they turn their head one way to listen
- ~ they shy away from social settings

### **Possible outcomes if UNTREATED:**

- ~ cognitive decline, low brain function
- ~ social withdrawal, depression
- ~ joblessness, low wages
- ~ low academic performance (kids/students)