

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA HEARING IMPAIRMENT

Student Name:

Date:

Definition: Hearing impairment means an impairment, whether permanent or fluctuating, that adversely affects a child's educational performance but that is not included under the definition of deafness.

Checklist for Determining Eligibility:

1. Identification of Disability

Documentation of hearing impairment, with or without amplification

Documentation that hearing impairment prevents child from adequately processing spoken language, with or without amplification (must have both):

Understanding spoken language

Developing spoken language

2. Documentation of adverse effect on educational performance

3. Determination of need for special education and related services

The student meets criteria for Hearing Impairment:

Yes

No