Has your Child been Diagnosed as Deaf or Hard of Hearing?

Resources to contact for assistance:

- **Infant Hearing Program**
  (Arkansas Department of Health)
  501-280-4740
  [www.arhealthyhearing.com](http://www.arhealthyhearing.com)

- **Guide By Your Side**
  (Arkansas Chapter of Hands and Voices)
  501-492-9162
  [www.arhandsandvoices.org](http://www.arhandsandvoices.org)

- **First Connections**
  (Department of Human Services)
  1-800-643-8258
  [https://dhs.arkansas.gov/dds/firstconnectionsweb](https://dhs.arkansas.gov/dds/firstconnectionsweb)

- **ASD Outreach Services**
  (Arkansas School for the Deaf)
  501-324-9522 or 501-246-8452 Video Phone
  [http://www.arschoolforthedeaf.org](http://www.arschoolforthedeaf.org)

- **Early Intervention Providers**
  (Various Agencies)

How they can help:

- Supply information for parents on hearing screening and next steps if your baby did not pass a hearing screen.

- Connect a parent guide (a parent of a deaf or hard of hearing child) to other parents of children with hearing loss to provide support, share real life experiences and help them utilize a network of available services.

- Help families with a child with developmental delays to secure services that will help the child reach their fullest potential, and to enhance the abilities of the family to assist their child.

- Offer outreach services to children who are deaf and hard of hearing, their families and service providers.

- Provide services to help with hearing and speech delays in children.

For more information, call the Arkansas Department of Health Infant Hearing Program at 501-280-4740.