

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF HEARING LOSS

KEEP AN EAR (AND EYE) OUT FOR SOME OF THESE SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF HEARING LOSS IN BABIES AND KIDS:

- 1 Bub should be startled at loud noises from 0-4 months.
- 2 Does your bub smile when you speak to them from 4-9 months?
- 3 Does your bub make babbling sounds from 9-15 months?
- 4 Does your bub use lots of simple words from 15-24 months?
- 5 Does your child struggle to understand what people are saying?
- 6 Does your child speak differently to other kids their age?
- 7 Does your child struggle to follow simple instructions?
- 8 Does your child have to turn up the TV volume or sit very close to the TV to hear?
- 9 Does your child have speech or language delays?
- 10 Is your child always tired or fatigued at the end of the day?

WANT MORE INFORMATION?

Reach out to your local Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Community Controlled Health Service or get in touch with our Hearing Health team.