

# Audiology Services

## Including but not limited to:

- ✓ medical case history,
- ✓ otoscopic examination,
- ✓ appropriate diagnostic hearing tests,
- ✓ counseling related to findings

## When to refer -

### • Patient complaints:

- Blocked ear(s)
- Drainage from ear (s)
- Ear pain
- Hearing loss
- Tinnitus
- Vertigo or dizziness



### • Observed:

- Family/caregiver notes patient having hearing difficulty
- Evidence of imbalance
- Failed hearing screening



### • Question of medical issues:

- Recent fall
- Recent trauma to the head
- Rule out infection of inner ear
- Rule out infection of ear canal
- Rule out ear drum perforation
- Rule out Otitis Media
- Rule out Meniere's Disease



### • History of:

- Diabetes Mellitus with question of or observed Hearing Difficulty
- Meniere's Disease
- Meningitis with question of or observed Hearing Difficulty
- Middle Ear Pathology