## Special Child Health Services Case Management Fee-for-Service Hearing Aid Checklist & Application Process

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B. **Socio-Economic Form (CH-9)** 1. -Not more than 1 year old and signed by parent/legal guardian) \**Physical & electronic signature accepted* **Income verification** 2. -3 most recent consecutive pay stubs, 1040 (current), or letter from employer. No W-2's. **Child's Insurance Coverage** -Letter from insurance denying coverage of device(s). 3. -Letter from employer stating no coverage is provided. Vendor's Estimate 4. -Current- not over 6 months old **ENT/Medical Clearance** 5. -Current- not over 6 months old **Audiological Report** -Current- not over 6 months old. 6. -If SCH-13 not available, report must be on audiologist's letterhead

## **Application Process:**

- 1. Send all completed documents above to your Special Child Health Services (SCHS) Case Manager.
- 2. Once a determination is made by the FFS program, a Letter of Determination will be mailed to the family and shared electronically, such as by email, via their SCHS Case Manager.
- 3. If found eligible for the FFS program, the family must make an appointment with the state approved hearing aid vendor for the fitting (SCHS Case Managers maintain a list of state approved vendors).

<u>NOTE:</u> Financial assistance is determined based on a sliding scale factoring monthly income and family size. If found eligible, the maximum amount of Family Cost Participation will not exceed 50% of the total cost of the device(s).

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- 4. If families have Family Cost Participation, they will be responsible for paying that amount to the vendor directly.
- 5. Once device(s) are fitted and obtained, the FFS program will ensure vendor payment.