

# The Oxford Auditory Implant Programme

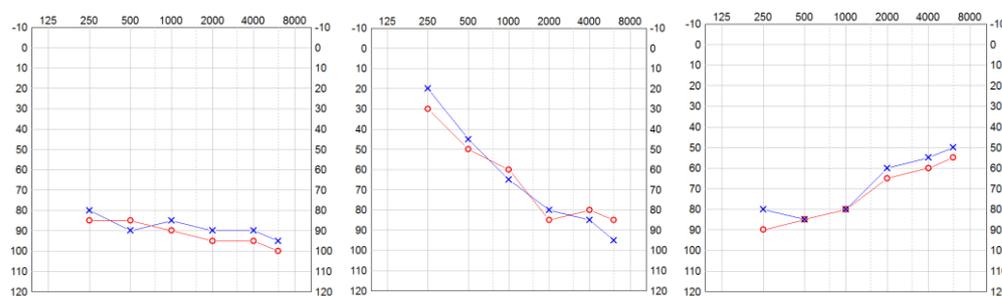
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## New referral criteria for Cochlear Implant assessments

### Adults

- PTA thresholds of 80dBHL or above at 2 or more out of 5 frequencies (500, 1Khz, 2kHz, 3kHz and 4kHz) in both ears.

These example audiograms all meet the new referral criteria.



- Speech discriminations score of less than 50% on AB word list at 70dBA.

### Paediatrics

- The same PTA thresholds apply, but for infants, please refer as early as possible following confirmation of a severe to profound hearing loss.

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