Case Study #3 – AT Category: Hearing (HAAT)

Human – A person who has moderate hearing loss, wears hearing aids.

Activity – Higher education setting. Must be able to work one on one, answer phones, communicate and collaborate with peers and participate in group meetings and advance trainings.

Assistive Technology – Does the employee already have access to tools? Employee has hearing aids; no other devices appropriate for work.

Low-Tech

Mid-Tech

High-Tech

Written Notes – Lip Reading – Personal Listening system – phone captioning– Portable Looping – Permanent Looping - CART

STEP 1: Based on S-E-T data, enter descriptors or functions needed by the student across the shaded top row - 1 descriptor per column

STEP 2: Enter promising tools in the shaded left column - 1 tool per row

STEP 3: Note whether each tool matches a descriptor by placing an "X" in each of the applicable white boxes

Descriptors	Portable	Provides Amplification	Requires additional equipment	Requires installations	Requires another person or contracted service	Requires electricity	Battery operated	Works with Tcoil in hearing aid
Personal Listening System i.e. Roger Mic and MyLink Receiver or Comfort Contego	Х	Х	Х				Х	Х
Portable Looping System	Х	Х				Х	Х	х
Permanent Looping System		Х		Х		Х		х
Phone Amplifier		Х		Х		Х		х