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As a mother of a child who was diagnosed with hearing loss at a young age, I can tell you from my lived experience that not having the financial resources to provide for your child the technology that so critical for their development is a hell like none other. The audiology, speech, and device specific to the child's hearing needs are critical to the health and development for each child. No child should be without these services regardless of financial status.