

## HI Form –Companion

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Instructions: Check **Unaided** if you do not wear hearing aids, or select **Aided** if you wear either one or two hearing aids. It is assumed that your responses to the questionnaire relate to your perceptions of your hearing under the specific condition indicated.

Unaided                       Aided

Finally, select **No**, **Sometimes**, or **Yes** in response to each question. If you do not engage in a particular activity, respond according to the way you feel you would respond in that situation.

1. Does a hearing problem cause you to feel embarrassed when you meet new people?  
 NO             SOMETIMES     YES
2. Does a hearing problem cause you to feel frustrated when talking to members of your family?  
 NO             SOMETIMES     YES
3. Do you have difficulty hearing or understanding co-workers, clients, or customers?  
 NO             SOMETIMES     YES
4. Do you feel handicapped by a hearing problem?  
 NO             SOMETIMES     YES
5. Does a hearing problem cause you difficulty when visiting friends, relatives, or neighbors?  
 NO             SOMETIMES     YES
6. Does a hearing problem cause you difficulty in the movies or in the theater?  
 NO             SOMETIMES     YES
7. Does a hearing problem cause you to have arguments with family members:  
 NO             SOMETIMES     YES
8. Does a hearing problem cause you difficulty when listening to TV or radio?  
 NO             SOMETIMES     YES
9. Do you feel that any difficulty with your hearing limits or hampers your personal or social life?  
 NO             SOMETIMES     YES
10. Does a hearing problem cause you difficulty when in a restaurant with relatives or friends?  
 NO             SOMETIMES     YES