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Service Code Definition:

(A) A regional center shall classify a vendor as a provider of audiology services if the vendor is:

1. An audiologist who is validly licensed as an audiologist by the Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology and Hearing Aid Dispensers Board of the California Department of Consumer Affairs; and

2. Uses techniques to identify and evaluate hearing disorders and to develop methods of improving hearing disorders involving speech, language, auditory behavior, and other aberrant behavior related to hearing loss.

(B) A vendored audiologist shall not dispense hearing aids to consumers, or be additionally vendored as an audiology center or hearing aid dispenser.