

## **One Page Plan**

Project title: Building empathy

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Notes	



## NOW

Back working in earnest in the hearing space

While having an annoying mild hearing loss and more annoying tinnitus, don't really have a FEELING of how difficult it would be to have a significant hearing condition

I need this to be more real, authentic and better at my work being leadershipful in this space

WHERE	What does success look like (measure	By (date)
Short-term Short-term		
A greater sense of empathy	A good set of experiences	July 2020
Some feelings and experience of what it like to navigate life with a hearing condition	A good number of conversations	
Greater understanding of what others think and feel when 'confronted' by openness about hearing condition		
Longer-term (The Ultimate WHERE)	Empathy	
A really strong and clear understanding and experience of the feeling and consequences of living with a hearing condition	Heightened understanding	

## **How** Strategies for getting there... (the approach)

- Run a number of 'thought experiments.
- Be vocal about my own hearing loss and (perhaps over-) state my needs so that I can be fully included in conversations etc.
- Monitor others' responses. Reflect. Learn.
- Get into discussions about my hearing loss and explore with whoever will participate. Learn!

Actions		Who?	By (date)
1.	Be alert to opportunities to apply strategy		
2.	Reflect on the experiment with buddy and anyone who will engage with it		
3.			
4.			
5.			
6.			

The team				
Role	Responsibility (who?)	Accountable for		
Accountability buddy	Anna (wife)	Keeping me honest, helping to reflect		



