


Remote Microphone (RM) Daily Set-up Procedures for MLxi Baha with Oticon Ponto Pro

Processor: Oticon Ponto Pro Receiver: Phonak MLxi Baha
Transmitter: Phonak classic inspiro, inspiro Premium or Roger Inspiro



Every Morning:

1. Remove the Ponto Pro processor from the abutment and turn it off by opening the battery door slightly.
2. **Inspect the three prongs of the MLxi Baha receiver. Align the receiver prong marked by MULTIPLE CIRCLES with the RED DOT on the Oticon Ponto Pro sound processor, and insert.**
3. Turn on the processor by closing the battery door and connect it to the abutment.
4. Press the push button to the FM/DAI program (check with your clinic audiologist if unsure which program).
5. Teacher wears the inspiro transmitter and positions the microphone to within 20 cm from the lips.
6. Turn on transmitter.
7. *Hold the transmitter within 10cm of the receiver(s) and press Sync or Connect (the right soft key  under the screen). For Roger inspiro users the message "No Roger devices found. FM channel set to ___" will appear on the screen. As the MLxi Baha is an FM receiver, this message does NOT indicate any malfunction. As long as the student hears three beeps, the connection between the transmitter and receiver is established.
8. Perform *Behavioral Check*.
→ From approx. 3-4 metres away from student, speak with a normal conversational voice into the mic and confirm student's understanding, e.g. "Can you point to the window?", NOT just "Can you hear me?".

*Step 4 only needs to be performed when confirming RM integrity, or when changing to a channel other than the default.

At Recess, Lunch and In-Between Classes:

1. Turn OFF the transmitter. Please note, the display screen will turn off, but transmitter will remain ON unless switch is moved at the top of the inspiro, so no green visible.

When class (group instruction) resumes:

1. Turn transmitter back ON.
2. Behavioural check to confirm RM signal transmission.

During non-Instruction times (quiet study, speaking to individual students, etc):

1. Teacher to *MUTE* microphone on the transmitter.
2. Please remember to *UNMUTE* the mic when instruction resumes.



End of the Day:

1. Turn OFF transmitter.
2. Remove MLxi Baha receiver(s) from Oticon Ponto Pro processor.
3. Charge transmitter (2 hours for a complete charge; can leave it charging overnight).
4. Store the rest of the RM system (receivers, cables, etc...) in a safe, dry place.



Tips about RM:

- Remember to turn OFF the transmitter and leave it in the classroom during non-instruction times.
- Only turn ON the RM transmitter when the student is in the **same room** as the teacher.
- The transmitter microphone is **directional** and **highly sensitive**.
 - Position the microphone correctly first before turning the transmitter ON.
 - Microphone should maintain a vertical position under the teacher's mouth.
 - The two mic hole openings should always face out.



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