Assessment

NOISE INDUCED HEARING LOSS

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1. How is permanent noise induced hearing loss repaired?
   a) It can’t be repaired
   b) By surgery
   c) With personal protective equipment
   d) By the ageing process

2. Permanent noise induced hearing loss can result from ongoing or repeated exposure to high noise levels, and from ____.
   a) Short term exposure to very high noise levels
   b) Exposure to very low noise levels
   c) Hearing tests
   d) Exposure to radiation

3. If exposure to unsafe noise levels continues, the effects of permanent noise induced hearing loss will ____.
   a) Stay the same
   b) Improve
   c) Get worse
   d) Disappear

4. What does the hearing test measure?
   a) How loud a noise is
   b) The ability to hear the human voice
   c) The effectiveness of ear muffs
   d) The size of a person’s ears
5. Which of these is not a use of the hearing test?

a) Showing deterioration in hearing ability  
b) Identifying whether one has a hearing problem  
c) Fixing defective hearing  
d) Comparison with others who have been exposed to similar noise levels

6. Which of these is not an example of a noise control measure?

a) Use of sound-proof barriers  
b) Reducing the time individuals are exposed to a particular noise hazard  
c) Regular maintenance of machinery  
d) An audiogram

7. Hearing protection should be sufficient to ____.

a) Completely eliminate noise  
b) Reduce noise to an acceptable level  
c) Protect from protrusion hazards  
d) Squash the ears

8. What would be rolled into a cylinder before use?

a) An ear plug  
b) Ear muffs  
c) A muffler  
d) All of the above

9. When putting on ear muffs, run your finger around the cushion to check the ____.

a) Volume  
b) Plug  
c) Hairs  
d) Seal

10. Temporary hearing loss should be regarded as ____.

a) A warning signal  
b) Irrelevant  
c) Permanent  
d) Encouraging