

Hearing Conservation

Time Required 1 Hr

Regulatory Requirement References

OSHA Standard 1910.25
 MIOSHA Standard Rule 325.60123 Part 380

Requalification Period 1 yr

Pre-Requisites

None

Minimum # Students 6

Maximum # Students 24

Additional Course Material None

General Overview

This course is designed to provide workers with information on occupational noise exposures and hearing impairment. The causes of hearing loss and loss prevention measures are discussed. This course also includes the advantages and disadvantages of various types of hearing protectors; their selection, fit, and care, and the purpose and process of audiometric testing.

Expected Outcomes

Upon completion of this course students will be familiar with noise reduction methods, be able to properly wear and care for hearing protectors, and recognize the types of noise hazards leading to hearing loss.

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Topics Covered

Regulatory requirements	Noise reduction methods
Audiometric testing	Causes of hearing loss
Types of hearing protectors	

Implementation Mechanism

Training shall consist of a lecture, discussion, and video presentation.

Client Supplied Equipment

DVD Player and corresponding viewing equipment, client specific hearing protection equipment for use in demonstrations.

Client Supplied Policies and Procedures

Client hearing conservation program