HEARING CONSERVATION TRAINING FOR EMPLOYEES

REVIEW QUIZ

Name___________________________________ Date_________________________________

The following questions are provided to check how well you understand the information presented during this program.

1. Damaged cilia in the ear do not repair themselves and we cannot grow more.
   a. true
   b. false

2. OSHA requires a hearing conservation program be established when sound levels average _______ decibels over an eight-hour time-weighted period.
   a. 65
   b. 85
   c. 105

3. A standard threshold shift has occurred when a hearing test indicates hearing loss of at least five decibels when compared to an employee’s baseline audiogram.
   a. true
   b. false

4. According to the OSHA Noise Exposure Standard, the maximum permissible noise exposure for sound levels at 97 decibels is ____________ hours.
   a. three
   b. six
   c. eight

5. Hearing protection devices with higher noise reduction ratings offer less protection than those with lower ratings.
   a. true
   b. false

6. ________________ ear plugs do not require compression when you insert them into your ear.
   a. Disposable
   b. Reusable

7. In extremely noisy environments, you may be required to wear both ear plugs and ear muffs.
   a. true
   b. false

8. Which of the following is a symptom of hearing loss?
   a. having difficulty understanding what others are saying
   b. increasing the volume of your television to levels uncomfortable to others
   c. having trouble hearing in high-frequency ranges
   d. all of the above
e. none of the above
ANSWERS TO THE REVIEW QUESTIONS

1. a
2. b
3. b
4. a
5. b
6. b
7. a
8. d