

Hearing Conservation Resource List

HEARING CONSERVATION PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN

Crank it Down! (National Hearing Conservation Association)
www.hearingconservation.org

Dangerous Decibels (Oregon Hearing Research Center and Oregon Museum of Science and Industry)
www.dangerousdecibels.org

Hearing Education and Awareness for Rockers (H.E.A.R.)
www.hearnet.com

It's How you Listen that Counts (House Ear Institute)
www.earbud.org

It's a Noisy Planet
www.noisyplanet.nidcd.nih.gov

Jolene Cookbook
www.hearingconservation.org/docs/Jolene.pdf

Operation BANG: Be Aware of Noise Generation (Military Audiology Association)
www.militaryaudiology.org/bang/index.html

SafeEars (Sertoma International)
www.sertoma.org

Sound Sense (The Hearing Foundation of Canada)
www.soundsense.ca

WISE EARS! (National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders-NIDCD)
www.nidcd.nih.gov/health/wise

“5.2 million 6-19 year olds have hearing loss directly related to noise exposure”.¹

HEARING CONSERVATION EDUCATION RESOURCES

Aero/EAR Hearing Protection Sound Samples
www.aero.com

American Academy of Audiology
www.audiology.org

American Academy of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery
www.ent.net

Better Hearing Institute
www.betterhearing.org

The EAR Foundation
www.earfoundation.org

Canadian Association of Speech Language Pathologists and Audiologists- Noisy Toys
www.caslpa.ca/english/resources/noisytoys.asp

Howard Hughes Medical Institute
www.hhmi.org/biointeractive/animations/cochlea/cochleaWeb.mov

Howard Leight Industries
www.howardleight.com

“...over the last 10 years, the percentage of 2nd graders with hearing loss has increased 2.8 times; hearing loss in 8th graders has increased over 4 times.”²

HEARING CONSERVATION EDUCATION RESOURCES (continued)

It's About Time, Inc.

www.lts-about-time.com

League for the Hard of Hearing

www.lhh.org

NASA Central Operation of Resources for Educators

<http://core.nasa.gov>

National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH)

www.cdc.gov/niosh/topics/noise

National Institutes of Health/National Institute on Deafness and Other Communicative Disorders

<http://science.education.nih.gov/supplements/nih3/Hearing/default.htm>

Noise Pollution Clearing House

www.nonoise.org/resource/educat/soundhyg/soundhyg.htm

Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA)

www.osha.gov/SLTC/noisehearingconservation

Perry Hanavan/Augustana College

<http://ctl.augie.edu/perry/ear/hear mech.htm>

Teachers Net

<http://teachersnet/lessons/posts/1726.html>

Worker's Compensation Board of British Columbia

www.worksafebcstore.com

Widex Canada Ltd.

www.widexconnect.ca

**“Emphasis should be on
improving the appreciation of
the value of good hearing.”³
(World Health Organization, 1997)**

HEARING PROTECTION

Aero/EAR Hearing Protection Products

www.aero.com

Earplug Superstore

www.earplugsuperstore.com

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MTV and Harvard Study:

www.hno.harvard.edu/gazette/2005/04.07/15-hearing.html

¹3rd National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey, Niskar, et.al, 2000

²Montgomery and Fujukawa, 1992

³World Health Organization, from “Strategies for Prevention of Deafness and Hearing Impairment, Part III, Prevention of Noise-Induced Hearing Loss”. Geneva, Oct. 1997.