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Do you know

Approximately 30 % of employees are at risk of NIHL in workplace

Prolonged exposure to noise of 90dB for >8 hrs can lead to NIHL

NIHL is 100% preventable, if preventive measures are taken

Use of appropriate HPDs can save your hearing

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About Mysuru

Mysuru is known as cultural capital of Karnataka. Mysuru is well known for its palaces, museums and art galleries and the festivities that take place here during the period of Dasara attract a worldwide audience.

Certain places to visit in Mysuru are as follows,

- ❖ **Mysore Palace:** It hosts a most significant building located in the heart of city. You can also experience spacious halls in this palace, which is beautifully decorated by paintings and architectural beauty.
- ❖ **Chamundeshwari Temple:** Is a beautiful temple located on the hills near Mysuru.
- ❖ **Ranganthittu Bird Sanctuary:** Is a nesting and breeding center for birds of all kind. It is a small island at the bank of Cauvery River.
- ❖ **Brindavan Gardens:** One of the most beautiful gardens in Mysuru built below Krishnarajasagar Dam, across the Cauvery River.
- ❖ **Srirangapatnam Fort:** Is a Tippu Sultan's palace, which is a most popular monument in India



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National Seminar on

Harmful Effects of Noise on Hearing: A Propagative Guidance for Initiation of Hearing Conservation Program

In association with
Regional Occupational Health Centre, Bengaluru



Tentative Date

22nd September, 2017

Venue

AIISH, Mysuru



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About us

The All India Institute of Speech and Hearing, Mysuru was established in the year 1966 as an autonomous institute fully funded by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India. The major objectives of the institute are to impart professional training, render clinical services, conduct research and educate the public on issues related to communication disorders such as hearing impairment, mental retardation, voice, fluency, phonological and language disorders. For further details visit www.aiishmysore.in

Department of POCD

The Department of Prevention of Communication Disorders (POCD) at the All India Institute of Speech and Hearing is an outreach department providing clinical services to the unreached population. The Department has been conducting several screening/ evaluation programs to identify communication disorders from birth to geriatrics through newborn screening for communication disorders, screening of pre-school & school children, industrial workers, elderly citizens, conducting camps and so on. This will facilitate in identifying the population with communication disorders as early as possible their by providing appropriate rehabilitation at the earliest.



About the Seminar

Noise, or unwanted sound, is one of the most pervasive occupational health problems. Prolonged exposure to such high noise levels over a period of time gradually causes permanent damage to ear structures and hearing leading to Noise induced hearing loss (NIHL). Fortunately, NIHL can be reduced, or often eliminated, through the successful implementation of Hearing conservation programs.

The objectives of the seminar:

- ❖ To facilitate understanding the risks associated with NIHL and its impact on hearing mechanism, thereby promoting prevention, early detection and management of NIHL among the industrial employees.
- ❖ To educate and update the industrial employers, Occupational Medical officers/Health specialist and Industrial audiologist on the need for periodic hearing assessment of the employees, noise measurements in industries and the use of hearing protection devices.
- ❖ To decipher knowledge on the importance of hearing conservation among the industrial sectors and enforce implementation of HCP in industries.



Program Schedule

Topics

- Current status of NIHL across the countries and need for control measures
- Acoustics of noise and its measurement
- Brief overview of anatomy of ear & Pathophysiology due to Occupational health hazards
- Noise Standards, Regulation laws and Guidelines (Noise/Chemicals/Music related)
- Audiological indicators of Noise/Music induced hearing loss
- Hearing Conservation program
- Strategies for Prevention of Noise - Induced Hearing Loss
- Selection and fitting of Hearing protection devices
- Demonstration of Noise measurement, Audiometry test tools and noise attenuation using HPD's

Seminar useful to

- ❖ Medical officers
- ❖ Occupational Medical Specialist working in industrial sectors
- ❖ Industrial Audiologist
- ❖ Managers/Supervisors primarily involved in health management system