

Unmasked Air Conduction Audiometry Test Results

Client Name: Employer Name: Audiometric Officer Name: Date of Audiometric Test:

Here are the results of your hearing test and what they mean.

What is an audiogram? An audiogram shows the softest level at which a

person can hear a range of different pure tones.

Here is your audiogram:

Normal Hearing

Range of Conversational Speech

dB(A) SPL	Maximum Exposure Time
90	8 hours
102	30 mins
111	3 mins
114	2 mins

Normal hearing falls between 0dB and 20dB. If your O's and X's (representing your right and left hearing thresholds) are within this range you are said to have normal hearing. If the thresholds are below the 20dB line you have some degree of hearing loss - the further down the chart the greater the degree of hearing loss.

Degrees of hearing loss are defined as:

Mild Loss

Moderate Loss

45-65dB

Severe Loss

65-90dB

Profound Loss

>90dB

All the major sounds of speech are in the 20dB to 60dB range. If your own hearing thresholds show some degree of hearing loss you may have difficulty hearing some speech sounds some of the time (and other environmental sounds as well). See your doctor or an audiologist for more information about your hearing.