TO THE POINT ABOUT PREVENTING HEARING LOSS

REVIEW QUIZ

Name___________________________________Date_________________________________

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

1. The cochlea is filled with ______ and is shaped like a coiled tube.
   a. blood  
   b. air  
   c. fluid

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

3. OSHA’s Noise Exposure Standard limits the maximum permissible sound level for an 8-hour exposure at _______ decibels.
   a. 90  
   b. 97  
   c. 105

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

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

6. Which of the following is a disadvantage of wearing ear muffs?
   a. they may be uncomfortable  
   b. they may cause sweating in hot environments  
   c. they may interfere with other protective equipment  
   d. all of the above

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

8. Employees enrolled in the hearing conservation program will have their hearing tested once a year.
   a. true  
   b. false

9. A standard threshold shift has occurred when a hearing test indicates hearing loss of 5 decibels when compared to an employee’s baseline audiogram.
   a. true  
   b. false
ANSWERS TO THE REVIEW QUESTIONS

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