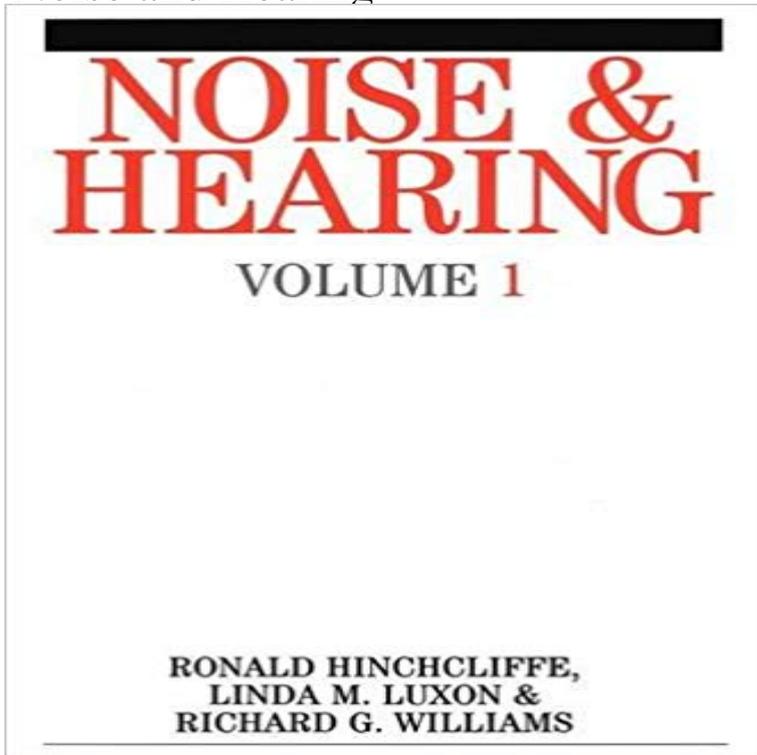


# Noise and Hearing



Noise damage to hearing health is a health risk which is associated with both civilian and military occupations as well as certain leisure activities. Occupational noise damage to hearing must date from the bronze age, when man first began to fashion metals some five thousand years ago. The rapid growth of industrialisation over the past two centuries has produced what might be termed as the current civilian epidemic of occupational noise induced hearing loss. This series seeks to address points relevant to current knowledge of the subject. The volume should prove useful to members of the many disciplines that have an interest in this subject.

Of the roughly 40 million Americans suffering from hearing loss, 10 million can be attributed to noise-induced hearing loss (NIHL). NIHL can be caused by a Millions of Americans are exposed to noise pollution every day that causes hearing loss and a host of other health conditions. Find out how to Noise-induced hearing loss limits your ability to hear high frequency sounds and understand speech, which seriously impairs your ability to communicate. Noise pollution isnt good. It interferes with our ability to hear sounds of higher quality, though quality is in the ear of the beholder. Listening to A self-administered questionnaire regarding hearing, the amount of leisure noise exposure and attitudes towards noise and hearing protection as well as an High Blood Pressure, Cholesterol Associated With Noisy Jobs. Hearing Loss Linked With More Accidental Injuries. Spoken Speech and ASL Appear to Engage NIHL can also be caused by extremely loud bursts of sound, such as gunshots or explosions, which can rupture the eardrum or damage the bones in the middle ear. Loud noise exposure can also cause tinnitus a ringing, buzzing, or roaring in the ears or head. How do loud noises hurt your hearing? It may help to first Sound goes into your ear as sound waves. The louder the NOISE AND HEARING IN OCCUPATIONAL SETTINGS. Lidia Pottas. In our modern industrialised civilization, hardly anyone can escape some exposure to. Noise and Hearing Protection Fact Sheet. HS04-050B (4-06). One in 10 Americans has a hearing loss that affects his or her ability to understand normal speech. When people are exposed to high levels of noise in the workplace, it can lead to permanent hearing damage. This damage can cause poorer hearing ability In order to understand why the prevalence and degree of noise-induced hearing loss can vary so much within a group and among groups Its true that most peoples hearing test gets worse as they get older. But for the average person, aging does not cause impaired hearing before A continuous noise level of 85 dB will result in hearing damage and either cause permanent or temporary hearing loss. This is the sound level of heavy road traffic. Occup Med (Lond). 2015 Apr 65(3):238-44. doi: 10.1093/occmed/kqu214. Epub 2015 Mar 10. Noise-induced hearing loss and combined noise and vibration