Who can attend this seminar?
• Occupational Health professionals
• Factory Medical Officers
• Safety Officers
• Environmental Executives
• Officers working in HSE department.
• NGO representative
• Representative from hospitals

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INTRODUCTION

Sound is a common part of everyday life that we rarely appreciate all of its function. It permits us enjoyable experiences - listening to music or to the singing of birds. It permits spoken communication with family and friends. It alerts us or warns us - with ringing of telephone or a knock on the door or a wailing siren. And sound permits us to make quality evaluations and diagnoses - the chattering valves of a car - a squeaking wheel, or a heart murmur. Yet too often, sound annoys us. Many sounds are unpleasant and unwanted. Hence, we call them noise. However, how much noise annoys depends not only on its quality, but our attitude to it. Worst of all, sound can damage and destroy. More of unwanted sound is produced due to industrialisation causing nuisance & annoyance posing a threat to industrial worker.

Auditory damage from excessive noise was known hundred years ago but only few people were exposed to excessive noise. The position changed rapidly with the advent of power-driven machinery. Today, noise has become omnipresent. The world health organization (WHO) estimates that 120 million people worldwide have hearing difficulties. Noise is the most common occupational hazard constituting 16% occupational diseases. In India noise pollution is growing day by day. Indian cities are pretty noisy. According to one estimate, our cities on earth are battered day and night by cars, taxis, auto rickshaws horn, factory noise, construction work etc.

About IAOH, Vadodara

Indian Association of Occupational Health, Vadodara (IAOH) is nonprofit, non-governmental organization working in Vadodara since last three decades with a mission to promote

Occupational Health and Safety in Industries of Gujarat.

Vadodara branch of IAOH has 229 members from various industries of Gujarat. The prime objective of IAOH is to study problems and spread awareness and knowledge thru various training so that people can know the causes, treatment, monitoring and prevention. IAOH Vadodara conducts a variety of training and teaching programs in its endeavor to promote occupational health in Gujarat.

IAOH Vadodara initiated and pioneered a 40 hours training program known as Medical Assistant Course for Occupational Health Services. Objective of this training course is to equip and enhance skills, knowledge and attitude of Medical Assistant to perform efficiently and effectively in various industrial health centers. IAOH has conducted 46 batches of Medical Assistants courses training 950 students from 130 industries of Gujarat. For its variety of activities and programs, IAOH Vadodara was awarded thrice, the Best Branch Award for its performance. In January 2013 Dr RC Saxena, Senior Occupational Health Physician, Vadodara was awarded with oration trophy at National conference of IAOH held at Bangalore.

OBJECTIVE

• To educate and to create awareness in industries about the impact of Noise in Health of workers.
• To impart realistic and scientific approach of Hearing Conservation program so as to preserve human hearing.

CONTENTS

Industrial noise and legislation, The ear- anatomy and physiology, Physics of sound, Sound Level Monitoring, Control measures of noise Audimetry and audiograms – interpretation Hearing conservation program