1.2 Loud Music and Hearing Loss Worksheet

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Video – Loud Music and Hearing Loss

A. Listen to the Health Report and take notes below.
Use your notes to answer questions B and C below.

B. Mark below statements as true or false. If they are true, write T. If they are false, write F and correct the answer.

1. _______ One billion teenagers and young adults around the world risk losing their hearing by listening to loud music.
2. _______ Many people like to listen to loud music especially hip hop.
3. _______ Dr. Shelley Chadha is a specialist on physical damage for the WHO.
4. _______ Unsafe sound could be 85 decibels for 8 hours or 100 decibels for just 15 minutes.
5. _______ She adds that people can protect themselves from unsafe videos by wearing earplugs during concerts.
6. _______ The WHO also advises young people to limit use of such devices to less than one hour a week.
7. _______ It notes all of the cases of hearing loss can be avoided.

C. Choose the best answer for each sentence from the multiple choices below.

1. This is according to WHO, the ____________________________Organization.
   a. World Heat
   b. World Health
   c. Word Health
   d. Warm Heat

2. The damage the people are doing cannot be reversed, or ________________.
a. fixed
b. faxed
c. foxed
d. thixed

3. Really loud music can have a serious effect on your _____________________.
   a. listening
   b. looking
   c. hearing
   d. earing

4. They are listening to music on all of these but not on _____________________.
   a. personal audio devices
   b. concerts
   c. nightclubs
   d. movie theaters

5. Dr. Chadha says when the intensity of sound increases by three decibels, safe
   listening time goes down by _____________.
   a. half
   b. one
   c. two
   d. three

6. Another common sense suggestion is to turn down the ________________ on your
   personal audio devices.
a. volume
b. music
c. noise
d. voice

6. The U.N. agency estimates 360 million people suffer from hearing loss
______________________ to many causes.

a. cause
b. reasoned
c. connected
d. made

Listen to the Health Report again to check your answers.