

By Standard Number / 1926.101 - Hearing protection.

- **Part Number:** 1926
 - **Part Number Title:** Safety and Health Regulations for Construction
 - **Subpart:** 1926 Subpart E
 - **Subpart Title:** Personal Protective and Life Saving Equipment
 - **Standard Number:** 1926.101
 - **Title:** Hearing protection.
 - **GPO Source:** e-CFR
-

1926.101(a)

Wherever it is not feasible to reduce the noise levels or duration of exposures to those specified in Table D-2, Permissible Noise Exposures, in 1926.52, ear protective devices shall be provided and used.

1926.101(b)

Ear protective devices inserted in the ear shall be fitted or determined individually by competent persons.

1926.101(c)

Plain cotton is not an acceptable protective device.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Occupational Safety & Health Administration
200 Constitution Ave NW
Washington, DC 20210
☎ 800-321-6742 (OSHA)
TTY
www.OSHA.gov

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

White House
Severe Storm and Flood Recovery
Assistance
Disaster Recovery Assistance
DisasterAssistance.gov
USA.gov
No Fear Act Data
U.S. Office of Special Counsel

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY & HEALTH

Frequently Asked
Questions

A - Z Index

Freedom of Information
Act (FOIA)

Read The OSHA
Newsletter

Subscribe to the OSHA
Newsletter

OSHA Publications

Office of Inspector
General

ABOUT THIS SITE

Freedom of Information Act (FOIA)

Privacy & Security Statement

Disclaimers

Important Web Site Notices

Plug-ins Used by DOL

Accessibility Statement