

Audiometric Testing Consultants

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Marietta, GA 30060
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Professional Health Services
83 S. Eagle Rd.
Havertown, PA 19083
1-(800)B833-3005
[mobile service]

Hearing & Speech Center, Inc.
9900 La View Cir.
Roswell, GA
(770) 992-0509

Industrial Health, Inc.
1000B Lake Street
Ramsey, NJ 70446
1-(800)-221-1330
[mobile service]

Vallen Occupational Health Services
314 Center Street
Deer Park, Texas 77536
(281) 476-5870
<http://www.fittest.com>

Employee Health & Safety Corporation
630 S. Parkway
Broomall, PA 19008
1-(800)-554-8864
<http://www.hearingtesting.com>

**Industrial Hearing Testing
IHHA, Inc.**
19 Midstate Dr., Suite 220
Auburn, MA 01501-1865
(508) 832-8484
<http://www.industrialhearing.com>
[mobile service]

Environmental Technology Corp.
Attention: Mr. Bill Wolfe
P.O. Box 1027
Roswell, GA
(770) 475-2055
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OHR/Medical Dimensions
1901 Montreal Rd., Suite 110
Tucker, GA 30084
(770) 939-8983
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St. Marys Hospital
Employee Health
Athens, GA
(706) 354-3115
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TK Group, Inc.
Stewart Square, Suite 250
308 West State Street
Rockford, Illinois 61101
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Lamb Associates, Inc.
P.O. Box 638
Lumberton, NC 28359
(910) 739-3181
<http://www.lambgroupllc.com>

This is only a partial list of audiometric testing services and is provided for informational purposes only. Inclusion on this list does not constitute an endorsement of the company or product by the Georgia Tech Research Institute. All companies providing these services are encouraged to contact the Safety and Health Consultation Program to be included on this list.

Questions for Selecting an Audiometric Testing Service

1. **Does the audiometric testing service (audiologist) provide on-site audiograms or use mobile vans to conduct the hearing tests?**
2. **Are the audiograms conducted so that they meet the requirements in Appendices C, D, and E of the OSHA Noise Standard in 29 CFR 1910.95?**
 - The audiometric testing group should be familiar with OSHA's Hearing Conservation Standard and be in compliance with the requirements for audiometric measuring instruments, audiometric test rooms, and acoustical calibration of audiometers.
3. **Does the audiometric testing service have a computer program, database, and/or software used to input the audiometric results? If yes, is this database/software made available to the company?**
 - Your company is responsible for maintaining records of all employees' audiometric results. To do this, it is best if you acquire the computer software/database used for inputting the audiometric results by the audiologist.
4. **Does the audiometric testing service have a method for accepting audiometric data from a previous audiometric service?**
 - It is essential that a company be able to compare the most recent audiometric tests to the original baseline audiogram, even if another audiometric testing service was used.
5. **Does the audiometric testing service determine if there is a standard threshold shift (STS) by comparing the most recent audiometric results to a baseline audiogram?**
 - It is essential that the audiometric testing service compare the audiograms to determine if hearing loss has occurred.
6. **Does the audiometric testing service notify an employee with a problem audiogram, and provide recommendations for further evaluation?**
 - It is good practice for an audiometric testing service to provide any additional information for an audiogram that indicates hearing loss. Qualitative data, such as whether there is noise exposure occurring at home or whether the employee has an ear infection, could be collected by the audiologist or technician.