

ANSWER KEY

PROTECT YOUR HEARING

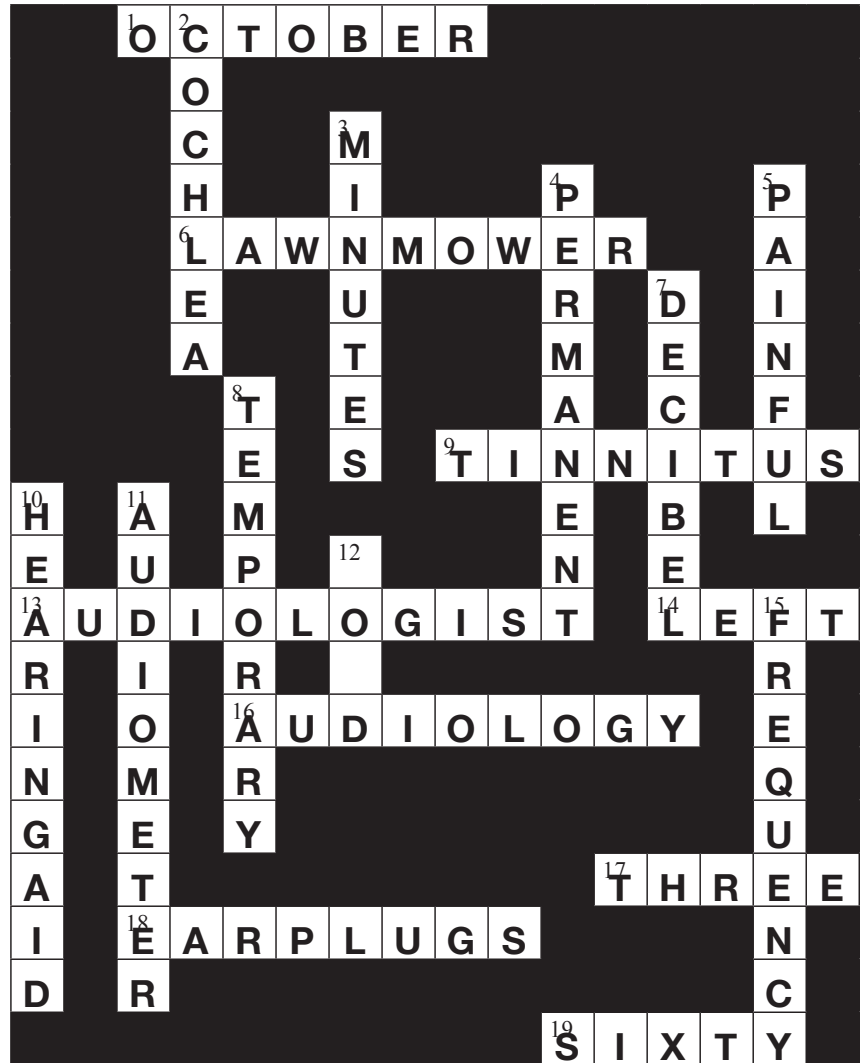
WALK AWAY FROM THE NOISE | TURN DOWN THE VOLUME | WEAR EAR PROTECTION

ACROSS

- 1 This month is National Protect Your Hearing Month.
- 6 Using this machine for your yard work, without earplugs, can be harmful to your hearing.
- 9 What is the term for ringing in your ears?
- 13 Who is the health-care provider for hearing problems?
- 14 When music is too loud, you should turn the volume to the _____.
- 16 _____ is the study of hearing and balance.
- 17 How many parts of ear are there?
- 18 If you are going to be around loud noises, it is best to put in a pair of these?
- 19 Normal conversation typically occurs at _____ dB.

DOWN

- 2 What is the organ responsible for your sense of hearing?
- 3 Listening to concert music at 110 dB for 30 _____ can be dangerous to your hearing.
- 4 Repeated exposure to loud noise (above 85 dB) will cause _____ hearing loss.
- 5 Sounds above 130 dB are _____ and dangerous.
- 7 Sound is measured in what unit?
- 8 After you come home from a concert, you can have tinnitus and _____ hearing loss.
- 10 If you have hearing loss and need to hear better, what device would you use? (2 words)
- 11 This instrument is used to test your hearing.



- 12 If someone says that he or she can hear the music while you are listening to your mp3 player, it is too _____.
- 15 Another term for pitch is?

October Is National Audiology Awareness Month.

For more information on audiology and hearing loss, visit www.HowsYourHearing.org.