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Name

Period

Date

Lesson

Lesson focus

Audiogram interpretation

Key words and questions

Prepared details and student notes

Essential question
What is today's target?

Read an audiogram to describe the type and severity of a patient's hearing loss using decibel and frequency language. Big idea: How does a single graph translate invisible sound perception into clinical decisions?

My notes, examples, and questions

Key words
What vocabulary unlocks the lesson?

- cochlea
- hair cell
- audiogram
- vaccine
- herd immunity
- adaptive immunity

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Must-know ideas

What should I understand by the end?

- Audiogram axes: frequency (Hz, low-to-high left-to-right) and threshold (dB HL, increasing downward).
- The speech banana spans roughly 500-4000 Hz at 25-65 dB, covering most conversational sounds.
- Severity classifications: normal (<25 dB), mild (26-40), moderate (41-55), severe (56-70), profound (>70).

My notes, examples, and questions

Process notes

What happens during class?

- 0-8: Axis labeling guided practice on blank audiogram
- 8-20: Trace right- and left-ear thresholds from data table
- 20-35: Mark speech banana; identify which phonemes patient misses
- 35-50: Classify loss severity; write evidence sentence
- 50-70: Partner check: swap audiograms, verify each other's plots
- 70-80: Submit labeled audiogram and classification; preview Wednesday lab

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Steps and evidence What do I do and turn in?

- Label the two axes of a blank audiogram: frequency in hertz across the top, loudness in decibels down the side.
- Trace one patient's right-ear and left-ear thresholds onto the chart from the data table in the shell.
- Mark the speech banana region and decide which sounds this patient would and would not hear.
- Classify the loss as mild, moderate, severe, or profound, and write one sentence of evidence for your call.
- Submit your labeled audiogram and classification as your daily evidence.

Evidence: Data table - Labeled audiogram with threshold plots, speech banana marked, and one-sentence severity classification.

My notes, examples, and questions

Checks for understanding How do I know I got it?

- You'll be able to plot and read thresholds on an audiogram.
- You'll be able to classify a hearing loss by severity from the data.

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Lab or safety notes
What must I handle carefully?

Supplies:

- Sample audiogram charts
- Ear anatomy diagram
- Disease-model dataset or simulation
- Graphing tool or graph paper
- Calculator
- Lab notebook

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Summary

Today's lesson focused on Audiogram interpretation. The main target was: Read an audiogram to describe the type and severity of a patient's hearing loss using decibel and frequency language. The evidence of learning is Data table: Labeled audiogram with threshold plots, speech banana marked, and one-sentence severity classification.. In my own words, the most important idea from today is:

My summary

My final question or connection