Earplugs Fitting Instructions

Keys to Successful Hearing Protection with Earplugs

DISCLAIMER: If the above-mentioned recommendations are not followed, the protection and function afforded by the earplugs may be severely impaired. This may cause consequences for the user for which Honeywell Safety Products and its affiliated entities, can not be held responsible.

Honeywell Safety Products can not guarantee that any type of warning signals including communication with other people in the surroundings can be heard and understood by the wearer of this hearing protector. The sound level and the frequency content of the warning signals as well as of the background noise can vary in different situations.

WARNING: All hearing protection affords limited protection. The user is responsible for the proper selection, use, care and maintenance of this device. Improper selection (including under/over protection), use or maintenance may lead to serious hearing loss. If there are any questions concerning this product, contact your safety supervisor or Honeywell Safety Products.

DOs and DON'Ts of Howard Leight Earplugs

WEAR
• Read and follow all earplug fitting instructions.

SELECTION
• Avoid overprotection in minimal noise environments – in selecting the best earplug for your situation, consider noise levels and your need to communicate with co-workers or hear warning signals on the job.

MAINTENANCE
• Prior to fitting, inspect earplugs or ear tips for dirt, damage, or hardness. Discard & replace immediately if compromised.
• For proper hygiene discard disposable earplugs after use.
• With proper maintenance reusable earplugs should be replaced every 2-4 weeks.
• Push In Foam earplugs should be replaced every 5 days.
• Wash with mild soap/water, pat dry or air dry, and store in a case when not in use.
• Clean regularly and replace ear tip pods every 2-4 weeks on banded earplugs.

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Reusable

Pre-Molded Push-In SmartFit®

Position band under your chin as shown above. Use your hands to press the ear pods well into the ear canal using an inward motion.

Protection levels are improved by pulling your ear up and back when fitting as shown.

In a noisy environment, lightly press the band inward with your fingertips as shown. You should not notice a significant difference in noise level.

Reusable

Push-In Foam Trust Fit™

While holding the stem, reach a hand over your head and gently pull the top of your ear up and back.

Insert earplug so foam tip is well inside the ear canal. Use a gentle rolling motion while pushing earplug into ear canal to ensure a deep fit.

If properly fitted, the tip of the earplug stem may be visible to someone looking at you from the front.

Reusable

Push-In Foam MAX®

Reach over your head with a free hand, pull your ear up and back, and insert the earplug well inside your ear canal.

Hold for 30 – 40 seconds, until the earplug fully expands in your ear canal. If properly fitted, the end of the earplug should not be visible to someone looking at you from the front.

Disposable

Roll-Down Foam MAX®

With clean hands, roll the entire earplug into narrowest possible crease-free cylinder.

While holding the stem, reach a hand over your head and gently pull top of your ear up and back.

Insert earplug so foam tip is well inside the ear canal. Use a gentle rolling motion while pushing earplug into ear canal to ensure a deep fit.

If properly fitted, the tip of the earplug stem may be visible to someone looking at you from the front.

Disposable

Roll-Down Foam QB2® HYG

With clean hands, roll the entire earplug into narrowest possible crease-free cylinder.

Reach over your head with a free hand, pull your ear up and back, and insert the earplug well inside your ear canal.

Hold for 30 – 40 seconds, until the earplug fully expands in your ear canal. If properly fitted, the end of the earplug should not be visible to someone looking at you from the front.

Disposable

Pre-Molded Push-In MAX®

While holding the stem, reach a hand over your head and gently pull top of your ear up and back.

Insert earplug so all flanges are well inside your ear canal.

Protection levels are improved by pulling your ear up and back when fitting as shown.

In a noisy environment, lightly press the band inward with your fingertips as shown. You should not notice a significant difference in noise level.

Disposable

SmartFit®

With clean hands, roll the entire earplug into narrowest possible crease-free cylinder.

Reach over your head with a free hand, pull your ear up and back, and insert the earplug well inside your ear canal.

Hold for 30 – 40 seconds, until the earplug fully expands in your ear canal. If properly fitted, the end of the earplug should not be visible to someone looking at you from the front.

Disposable

Banded

Trust Fit™

Push-In Foam

While holding the stem, reach a hand over your head and gently pull top of your ear up and back.

Insert earplug so foam tip is well inside the ear canal.

Use a gentle rocking motion while pushing earplug into ear canal to ensure a deep fit.

If properly fitted, the tip of the earplug stem may be visible to someone looking at you from the front.

Banded

Push-In Foam

While holding the stem, reach a hand over your head and gently pull top of your ear up and back.

Insert earplug so all flanges are well inside your ear canal.

Protection levels are improved by pulling your ear up and back when fitting as shown.

In a noisy environment, lightly press the band inward with your fingertips as shown. You should not notice a significant difference in noise level.

Banded

Tension Fit

QB2® HYG

Position band under your chin as shown above. Use your hands to press the ear pods well into the ear canal using an inward motion.

Protection levels are improved by pulling your ear up and back when fitting as shown.

In a noisy environment, lightly press the band inward with your fingertips as shown. You should not notice a significant difference in noise level.