# MADE JUST FOR YOU

These are your own personal dB Blockers®. Proof that the people you work for really care about your hearing. Made expressly for you, dB Blockers give protection no disposable off-the-shelf ear plug can match. They can however take a little getting used to. Like a fine car, they take a little breaking in.

# FITRIGHT™ OR WE WILL ADJUST

Your protectors have a 90 day FitRight™ Warranty. We'll correct any discomfort or inadequate performance within this period. Call toll free 1-800-520-0220 to arrange for an adjustment or a replacement.

There's also a 3 year warranty on your dB Blockers in case of manufacturing defect.

- > CORDS AND ANCHORS NOT COVERED UNDER THIS WARRANTY.
- > PROPER CARE SIGNIFICANTLY EXTENDS THE LIFE OF YOUR PROTECTORS.

# WHY CAN I HEAR SO MUCH?

You may think your blocker is not working properly. dB Blockers (vented models only) are designed to let you hear conversation, alarms, safety signals, etc., and be very effective at removing high and low frequency sound at the same time. This gives the impression of hearing more sound. Your voice may sound different to you. Don't worry, you are experiencing "occlusion." You'll get used to this quickly.

### **GET YOUR EARS ONLINE**

Get updated on new information about our dB Blockers, new product info,special offers (like "Sleeper" dB Blockers for your spouse in case you sometimes snore), hearing news and the latest in sound advice

Questions or problems? Just call or email and we will assist you in any way we can.

Contact us at: 1.800.520.0220 Canada Inquiries: hear@protectear.com USA Inquiries: hearus@protectear.com www.protectear.com

#### EARS CHANGE

DUE TO PRESSURE CHANGES, DO NOT USE NON-VENTED dB Blockers® WHEN FLYING OR SCUBA DIVING. We have models for this and since we have your fitting, contact us to order.

#### FOR REMOVAL

Gently break the seal by removing the helix
(B) and rotating forward. CAUTION: DO NOT PULL ON CORD TO REMOVE BLOCKERS.

Your dB Blockers® will expire after 5 years at which time you must be refit. Refit also if your weight changes more than 10 lbs.



 Lubrication: Lubricate your dB Blockers™ before insertion the first ten times you wear them with the handy package of lubricant provided.



2. Which one goes in which ear? The right dB Blocker™ is identified by a dB Blocker™ symbol or logo.
Hold the dB Blocker™ so the tip (A) faces your right ear.

To view a video on this process visit www.protectear.com/howtowear.







- 4. Twist: Rotate backwards until the helix (B) slips into the pocket at the top of your ear, and is flush with the outside of your ear.
- 5. Test: Grip the outer part of the ear with your other hand and wiggle it a bit while holding the dB Blocker™ in place. This confirms and fine tunes the blockers into place. Repeat these steps for the left dB Blocker.™

# **USE, CARE AND CLEANING**

There's a break-in period. The first ten times you wear them, apply a light coating of lubrication prior to inserting. The Hearing Protection Device should only be worn for 2 hours the first day. This time may be increased by two hours each day for the following week.

Follow the step-by-step diagrams for a comfortable, secure fit. You may need to alternate between your new custom dB Blockers and your old ear plugs during this limited period until the fit is comfortable.

- Take care of them and they will take care of your hearing. To clean them, wash with warm water and mild soap and let them air dry.
- · Lubricate after washing.

# REPLACEMENTS AND ADDITIONAL dB BLOCKERS®

 Replace a lost dB Blocker® for up to 5 years by simply calling 1-800-520-0220 (free call) and quoting your name and serial number on your pouch tag.

We have your ear measurement on file so we can replace your lost dB Blocker or tailor other ones for you. Check out www.protectear.com for Blockers perfect for sleeping, airplane trips or listening to music.