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About a year ago, I provide a submission to www.CanadianAudiologist.ca looking at the impact of noise and the decibel. Last week, my colleague at work mentioned that he was at the Blue Jays playoff game and during one of the louder moments he decided to get an estimate of how loud it was inside the Dome with an App on his phone. His comment to me was simply "it was loud", but he could not believe how loud. His comments got me thinking about patients with NIHL and the shape of the NIHL audiogram. I have had this question several times over my career and often struggle with a tidy answer. Below are two blogs that help and a few more on NIHL.