



Free hearing advice offers compensation hope to shropshire workers

Help is now available for industrial workers who are suffering with hearing difficulties caused while working in industry.

Thousands of UK workers and pensioners suffer Tinnitus and other hearing problems because of exposure to repeated loud noise in the workplace.

Industrial compensation experts, Attwood Solicitors, are helping 100's of workers across the Midlands and North West get the compensation they deserve for industrial deafness.

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“We have been able to help many workers in heavy industry and manufacturing” said Principal Solicitor Ashley Attwood. “Our clients include workers in similar manufacturing environments to the aluminium and steel industry in Bridgnorth.”

Attwood Solicitors work with audiologists to offer free hearing advice. The next in a series of Hearing Days are being held on the 28th January and 11th February, and a further day is set for 25th February at the Swan Inn, Highley Road, Bridgnorth.

Mr Attwood said: “Bridgnorth workers are welcome to come along. You will get free legal advice and a free check-up with an audiologist.”

People can book a place by telephoning 0800 587 3231.

Attwood Solicitors has won compensation for a wide range of workers, from North Staffordshire potters to Cumbrian ship builders and Cheshire truck makers.

In one recent case a Cheshire plater welder received £12,000 in compensation after making a claim through Attwood Solicitors.

Despite major advances in hearing protection, experts say many people working in heavy industry are subjected to excessive noise.

But many workers suffer in silence long after retirement believing it is too late to seek help – leaving thousands of pounds of potential compensation unclaimed,

Many former workers also wrongly fear it is too late to make a claim.

Mr Attwood explained: “We are currently handling cases from a far back at the 1960 and 70s”.

“Compensation can be sought up to three years after hearing loss is diagnosed – it doesn't matter that the damage may have been caused years earlier

“Evidence from many clients shows that people were often not advised to wear hearing protection and just put up with the noise.

“We have been able to help well over 100 people with more claims in the pipeline,” said Mr Attwood. “We are not simply seeking compensation we are working to give clients the help they deserve and need to put their lives back on track.”

To find out more contact telephone Attwood Solicitors on 0800 587 3231 or log on to www.attwoodsolicitors.co.uk

