

UNDERESTIMATORS	ACCURATE	OVERESTIMATORS
Provision of information		
This test shows you hear better than you think you do.	You accurately assess your hearing ability.	This test shows you overestimate how well you can hear.
Suggested Explanation		
High expectations, cautious, reluctant to take risks, lack of confidence, not want to fail		Denial to self and others, slow onset of HL, over confident
Subject Exposition		
Response to above, other explanations?	Response to above, comments?	Response to above, other explanations?
Discussion/Ramifications		
Fearful of social interaction, withdrawal, dependency	Accepting of hearing loss and of the limitations it imposes.	Frustrate others, appear unintelligent or arrogant, misunderstandings or wrong information
Solutions		
Try guessing, take risks, assume you heard correctly, rephrase to clarify and boost confidence, use communication strategies.	NA. Discuss use of communication strategies.	Ask for clarification, admit to difficulties to self, use communication strategies.