

Risk of sensory deficits drops with rising gestational age

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(HealthDay)—Compared to full-term children, there is an increased

incidence of hearing loss and visual impairment among moderately- and late-preterm infants, according to a study published online July 17 in *Pediatrics*.

Mikko Hirvonen, M.D., from the Central Finland Health Care District in Jyväskylä, and colleagues compared the incidences of sensory impairments among very-preterm (VP;

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