



# Carbon Monoxide (CO) Alarm

## What is it?

The Carbon Monoxide (CO) alarm is a wireless, indoor sensor which detects the build up of potentially lethal CO gas and raises an alarm to request help and support.

## Who is it for?

Anyone with gas and/or solid fuel appliances at their home. It can be beneficial to households with small children, those living with limited mobility or Learning Disabilities plus older people and individuals experiencing long-term health conditions.

## How does it work?

CO is a potentially lethal gas that is emitted from faulty appliances such as boilers, cookers or fires. It has no taste, smell or colour so it is very difficult for individuals to detect a problem. The Carbon Monoxide alarm links to a Lifeline unit or telecare enabled system to provide an accurate and reliable warning if dangerous CO levels are detected within the home.

The Carbon Monoxide alarm provides an immediate alert when dangerous CO emissions have been detected, due to a blocked flue or fault in a fuel burning appliance, raising an alarm call to a scheme manager or monitoring centre. The alarm will provide repeated detection without needing to be replaced and has a sealed battery with a 7 year life. The memory function records the last CO alarm level, and the alarm also features a Test/Hush button. The alarm is officially approved and kitemarked to the European standard for domestic Carbon Monoxide alarms, EN 50291.

## Features

- ✓ Audible CO detection alarm to protect for leaks
- ✓ Automatic CO alert sent to a monitoring centre
- ✓ Small and compact radio sensor unit
- ✓ Reliable transmission to Class 1 radio receiver
- ✓ Dedicated and reliable radio signals for linking to telecare enabled systems

## Benefits

- ✓ **Protects people in their home** from harmful effects of carbon monoxide
- ✓ **Reduces risks** from using gas and solid fuel appliances
- ✓ **Round the clock support** 24 hours a day, 365 days a year when linked to a Lifeline unit

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