CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING (CO)

Can’t be seen  >  Can’t be smelled  >  Can’t be heard

BUT CAN BE STOPPED


DON’T use a generator or other gasoline or charcoal-burning device INSIDE your home, basement or garage or outside close to any window, door or vent. Keep your generator at a safe distance by using an extension cord that is over 20 feet long.

DON’T run a car or truck inside an attached garage, even if you leave the garage door open.

PROTECT YOURSELF AND YOUR FAMILY. Install a battery-operated CO detector in your home and remember to check or replace the batteries.

For more information call the Occupational and Environmental Epidemiology Branch at (919) 707-5900.