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# Dudley Fire Department

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DUDLEY, MASSACHUSETTS 01571



Established 1960

## "CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTOR ACTIVATION NOTICE OF FINDINGS"

Carbon Monoxide is an odorless, tasteless, colorless gas that is **DEADLY**. It is a by-product of a fuel burning process. It can cause symptoms that can mimic flu, unconsciousness and even death. Many appliances around the home are capable of producing Carbon Monoxide when a faulty or unusual condition exists. Since the source may be transient in nature, the source may not always be detectable.

The Dudley Fire Department responded to investigate a possible Carbon Monoxide problem at: **LOCATION:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**TIME:** \_\_\_\_\_ hours, on **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_.

CARBON MONOXIDE ( ) was ( ) was not found by our instruments. This does not mean that this was a false alarm. Our instrument found the highest interior level of CO to be \_\_\_\_\_ p.p.m. (parts per million)

### "WHAT DOES THIS READING MEAN"

**9 P.P.M. or LESS** Our instrument did not detect elevated levels at this time. However, this does not mean that higher levels did not exist prior to our arrival nor that higher levels will not accumulate after our departure. Check your CO detector per the manufacturer's recommendations. Call the manufacturer for additional information. Replace or rest the detector as directed by the manufacturer.

**9 P.P.M. or MORE** Our instrument has detected potentially dangerous levels of CO. We recommend that you leave this building until the CO levels are below 9 P.P.M. We feel that it is unsafe to re-occupy this building until it is ventilated, repairs are made and your detector is replaced or reset according to manufacturer's specifications.

**35 P.P.M.** Maximum allowable concentration for continuous exposure in any 8 hour period according to OSHA Law.

**100 P.P.M. or GREATER** We have detected a potentially lethal level of carbon monoxide in your home. Leave the building **IMMEDIATELY!** It is not safe until repairs are made or the source is found and corrected. Have your sources of CO examined and if necessary repaired by a qualified repair technician. Replace or reset your detector according to manufacturer's specifications.

Carbon Monoxide affects individuals differently depending on the size, age and medical history of the occupant(s). Therefore, families with young children or members with medical conditions, or aged individuals, should take extra precautions in the event that Carbon Monoxide is detected.

**Issued By:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Received By:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_