



ACCIDENTAL DEATH FROM CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING OR OTHER FUEL-RELATED TOXINS e.g. heavy metals, Nox, Benzene

(not suicide or CO poisoning during accidental fire, e.g. burning furniture)

1. Surname of Deceased:.....
2. Forename(s) of Deceased:.....
3. Age at time of death:.....
4. Date of Incident:.....
5. Date of Death (if different):.....
6. Address or location where incident occurred, including postcode if possible:
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7. Property type (e.g. house, flat, bungalow, shed, tent, vehicle, office block, workshop etc.)
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8. Tenure (e.g. owner occupied, Housing Association, private rental, workplace, etc.)
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9. Was a CO alarm (as opposed to a detector) present? YES / NO
If Yes, was alarm to EN 50291? YES / NO Did the alarm activate? YES / NO
Was a CO detector present? YES / NO

Please supply any other information you have regarding the alarm and/or detector, such as manufacturer, quality standard (e.g. UL or BS), age, battery or mains operated, whether it has been tested or not since the death etc. (of interest as we know of at least one death where an EN 50291 alarm sounded but was ignored)
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10. Had there been a recent exchange of the meter? YES / NO
If Yes, when? Date:
Who by:

11. Is meter a smart meter? YES / NO.....

12. Fuel concerned (e.g. mains gas, bottled propane gas, solid fuel, petrol, oil, BBQ fuel etc.)
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13. Appliance concerned (e.g. central heating boiler, water heater only, fire/room heater, cooker (oven, grill or hob), kiln, generator, engine, BBQ, etc.)

Ideally, please provide manufacturer & serial no. If boiler; condensing or non-condensing?
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Approximate age of appliance, if known:

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14. Had the appliance been serviced within a year before the incident? YES / NO
15. Date of last service, if known:
16. If serviced, was the person Gas Safe Registered? (or CORGI reg'd pre April 2009): YES/NO
If yes, please state name and Gas Safe Registration No of firm/individual:
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17. Cause of accident, if known (e.g. blocked flue, faulty or clogged-up appliance, lack of ventilation, dangerous fitting, weather conditions, combination of some/all of these etc.)
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18. Did the victim have underlying health issues or illness before the incident? YES/NO
Please give details:
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19. **Blood CO level %:**
20. Were other products of combustion tested for? e.g. NOX, Benzene, heavy metals etc.
See <http://www.epa.gov/ttn/chief/ap42/ch01/final/c01s04.pdf> and our website,
www.co-gassafety.co.uk, under 'Other toxins': YES/NO
If yes, please give details:
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21. Was the victim found deceased at the scene, or taken to hospital for treatment (if so, please state which hospital and give details of treatment given)?
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22. Was anyone else killed or injured in the same incident? YES / NO
If so, please state who, and what their injuries/symptoms/treatment were (If there was another fatality, please complete a separate form):
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23. **Can you confirm that CO was the: PRIMARY CAUSE / CONTRIBUTARY CAUSE?**
24. Are you able to attach a copy of the Certificate of Inquisition for this case? YES / NO
If no, Inquest Verdict: Inquest Date:
Name of Coroner that concluded this case:
- Signed by H.M. Coroner Date:
- Email address of Coroner/Coroner's Office:

Please return to: Jenny Wood CO-Gas Safety Database Officer
By post: 2 Tidwell Close, Budleigh Salterton, Devon, EX9 6SH
Or by email: jenny@co-gassafety.co.uk Mobile: 07811 704105 (between 10 and 2.30 is best)
Thank you very much indeed for filling in this form. Your work is much appreciated.

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