## CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING (CO)

## Can't be seen > Can't be smelled > Can't be heard

## **BUT CAN BE STOPPED**



**DON'T** use your stove or oven for heat. See <u>https://bit.ly/energyhlp</u> for help paying heating bills.





**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.



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