

Rapid Assessment of

Carbon Monoxide Poisoning

for Emergency Services and First Emergency Responders



Features:

- Instant breath results in %COHb
- Instant breath results in PPM
- Warning traffic lights for immediate visual display
- Rapid response time

Carbon Monoxide is a colourless and odourless gas, making its presence difficult to detect. CO Screen has been designed to enable emergency service responders to carry out a simple breath test to establish carbon monoxide levels in a subject's blood.

When dealing with CO, time is critical. In the blood stream Carbon Monoxide has an affinity with haemoglobin some 200 times greater than Oxygen. When this happens, the blood is no longer able to carry oxygen, and this lack of oxygen causes the body's cells and tissue to die.

Symptoms of CO poisoning can include severe headaches, pulsating temples, weariness, dizziness, vomiting, weak respiration and possible death. CO Screen is supplied in a portable carry case with SafeBreath filtered mouthpieces.

SafeBreath mouthpieces allow measurements to be made simply and without the worry of potential cross infection as the filter prevents transmission of more than 99% of bacteria and viruses.



Specifications:

Gas Detected
Concentration Range
Detection Sensor Used
Sensitivity
Accuracy (repeatability)
Operating Temperature
Storage Temperature
Storage Humidity
Hydrogen cross-sensitivity
Sensor Life
Sensor Drift
Display

Electrochemical fuel cell
1 % COHb
±2%
5-35 degrees Celsius
-20 to + 700 C
10% to 90% RH
<12% at 20° C
2 - 5 years, 2 years warranty
<2% per month
128 X 64 pixel Graphic LCD
Single 9V PP3 battery
160g including battery
135mm x 65mm x 60mm
Green 0 – 9.9 %COHb

Yellow 10 – 19.9 %COHb Red 20 – 29.9 %COHb Flashing red 30+ %COHb

Carbon Monoxide

0-60 %COHb (375 PPM)

The CO Screen is part of an extensive range of breath analysis devices available from MD Diagnostics

Product
CO Screen
CO50
SafeBreath Filtered Mouthpieces
FM200
12 litre can 100ppm CO balance air
Control valve for 12 litre can
CV20
Bacterial cleansing wipes (125 per tub)
TDW01

Distributed By:

Bibliography

Power Supply Weight (approximate)

Dimensions

Indicator levels

Rapid Estimation of Carboxyhaemoglobin Level in Fire Fighters Carbon Monoxide and Fire Fighters Evaluating and Treating Carbon Monoxide Poisoning 2008 The Silent Killer

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