

East Midlands

NG24

Deadly gas explosion

A man and a woman died when a gas explosion destroyed a terraced house. Two children and two adults were also injured. Around 100 people were evacuated from their homes.

<http://www.standard.co.uk/panewsfeeds/man-killed-in-house-gas-explosion-8622911.html>

NG8

Gas explosion causes major damage to home

A couple were caught in an explosion at their home. Windows were blown out and large cracks were left in the brickwork outside.

<http://www.nottinghampost.com/neighbour-came-rescue-house-gas-blast/story-14344232-detail/story.html>

DN21

Elderly couple killed by CO at home

An elderly couple died from carbon monoxide poisoning after fumes leaked into their house. Investigations revealed pipe work for a combined gas boiler and fire was not properly connected.

<http://www.thisislincolnshire.co.uk/Carbon-monoxide-fumes-killed-elderly-couple-watched-television/story-11212362-detail/story.html#axzz2ZxJVAQMq>

DE7

Carbon monoxide fatality

A tenant died from carbon monoxide poisoning after he reconnected a faulty gas boiler that had previously been condemned.

<http://www.nottinghampost.com/Gas-boiler-safety-check-prevented-man-s-death/story-17215712-detail/story.html>

LN5

Faulty boiler causes CO fatality

A woman was killed by poisonous fumes from a boiler. Previous problems with the boiler led to carbon monoxide leaking out of it.

<http://www.thisislincolnshire.co.uk/Poisonous-fumes-killed-woman-bath/story-11221551-detail/story.html#axzz2ZxJVAQMq>

East of England

NR33

Family suffered carbon monoxide poisoning

Family of four had a lucky escape after they were rushed to hospital following a carbon monoxide leak at their home.

http://www.edp24.co.uk/news/update_father_speaks_of_lucky_escape_after_carbon_monoxide_poisoning_leak_at_carlton_colville_home_1_3395873?usurv=skip

CO15

Gas explosion in Clacton

Ten people were injured in a gas explosion that flattened two houses.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-essex-26046430>

CO12

Gas fire poisons family

Faulty gas fire leaking deadly carbon monoxide, poisons a mother and her three children.

http://www.gazette-news.co.uk/news/3855536.Harwich_Poisoned_by_gas_fire/

PE3

Carbon monoxide fatality

Man killed by deadly carbon monoxide fumes caused by a blocked flue.

<http://www.peterboroughtoday.co.uk/news/local/slapdash-builder-turned-boiler-into-deathtrap-1-97457>

WD6

Couple poisoned over five years

Poorly installed boiler sees couple suffer low levels of carbon monoxide poisoning for five years, experiencing symptoms including nausea and dizziness.

http://www.thisislocallondon.co.uk/whereilive/northwest/borehamwood/9822235.Faulty_gas_flue_left_couple_exposed_to_carbon_monoxide_say_homebuilders/?ref=rss

London

TW

Fatalities from gas explosion

Two people died after three properties collapsed from a gas explosion.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-london-24702806>

E10

Unsafe gas work caused fatalities

Elderly couple killed by unsafe work undertaken by a builder in their home, resulting in carbon monoxide poisoning. The builder worked on the garage which consequently blocked the gas flue.

<http://www.hse.gov.uk/press/2012/rnn-ldn-13812.htm>

DA17

Carbon monoxide fatality

A teenage girl died and a man in his twenties was left partially deaf with poor eyesight after suffering carbon monoxide poisoning. Fumes from a faulty gas heater to blame.

http://www.croydonguardian.co.uk/archive/2011/08/26/9219089.Father_s_job_prospects_shattered_after_carbon_monoxide_poisoning/

HA8

Deadly gas explosion

Two people were injured and 20 evacuated following a gas explosion at a house in a quiet cul-de-sac.

http://www.richmondandtwickenhamtimes.co.uk/archive/2007/03/07/1243060.House_is_destroyed_after_gas_explosion/

SW19

Carbon monoxide fatality

A six-year-old girl died after being poisoned by fumes from a faulty boiler. The landlord was fined £55,000 and costs after forgetting to carry out a gas safety check.

<http://www.hse.gov.uk/press/2008/hselon01.htm>

North East

SR5

Gas explosion kills pensioner

Pensioner died from gas explosion in her home.

<http://www.sunderlandecho.com/news/local/all-news/pensioner-dies-after-gas-explosion-1-3538283>

NE34

Family poisoned

A mother and son suffered from carbon monoxide poisoning after repair men left them living in a home filled with the lethal gas.

<http://www.chroniclive.co.uk/news/north-east-news/mam-son-claim-boiler-poisoned-1395113>

NE32

Gas explosion injures six

Six people were injured in a gas explosion which blew out windows and doors of a semi-detached property.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-tyne-23019830>

YO11

Gas explosion blinds father

A father was left blind in one eye after an explosion in his house that was caused by a bungled repair to a gas fire.

<http://www.hse.gov.uk/press/2011/coi-yh-4711.htm>

E64

CO from boiler poisons family

Family suffered suspected carbon monoxide poisoning from a potential boiler gas leak.

<http://www.chroniclive.co.uk/news/north-east-news/gas-leak-horror-forces-family-1454771>

North West

Wearside, Sunderland

Gas Explosion injures pensioner

Pensioner suffered severe burns during an explosion in her home due to a build of gas.

<http://www.sunderlandecho.com/news/local/all-news/pensioner-fighting-for-her-life-after-gas-explosion-in-sunderland-1-6585685>

Blackburn, Blackburn with Darwen

Family poisoned by carbon monoxide

Six members of the same family suffered carbon monoxide poisoning after a leak at their home.

http://www.thisislancashire.co.uk/news/11063490.Carbon_monoxide_fumes_leave_Blackburn_family_close_to_death/

Middlewich, Cheshire

Carbon monoxide poisoning

Two people collapsed and four other people were taken to hospital following a carbon monoxide leak.

http://www.middlewichguardian.co.uk/news/10818701.Family_taken_to_hospital_with_suspected_carbon_monoxide_poisoning/

CH

Dog saves couple

Dog saves Stoke City midfielder and girlfriend from carbon monoxide poisoning, after the animal suffered the effects of carbon monoxide poisoning. The couple's AGA was leaking the deadly gas.

<http://www.thisisstaffordshire.co.uk/Stoke-City-footballer-says-girlfriend-owe-lives/story-17412080-detail/story.html#axzz2ZxWADTWX>

PR2

Deadly gas explosion

Man killed in an explosion caused by a faulty gas boiler.

<http://www.lep.co.uk/news/local/house-blast-victim-is-named-1-129167>

Scotland

Inverclyde

Two hospitalised after Gas explosion

A man and woman were taken to hospital following a gas explosion.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-scotland-25524762>

Preston

Family suffers from carbon monoxide poisoning

Four family members were taken to hospital with carbon monoxide poisoning after a chimney fire caused fumes to gather in the house.

<http://news.stv.tv/scotland/239239-family-taken-to-hospital-with-carbon-monoxide-poisoning-after-duns-blaze/>

FK17

Gas explosion injures elderly couple

An elderly couple are injured following a gas explosion at their home. The severity of the blast led to nine surrounding properties being evacuated.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-scotland-tayside-central-21964686>

EH21

Caravan heater kills and injures

A man is killed by carbon monoxide (CO) poisoning from to an incorrectly fitted heater in a caravan. A woman was also CO poisoned but survived.

<http://www.scotcourts.gov.uk/opinions/B3509.html>

EH28

Carbon monoxide fatality

A woman is killed by carbon monoxide fumes from a suspected faulty appliance at her home. Her husband was also poisoned but survived.

<http://www.scotsman.com/news/scotland/top-stories/woman-dies-at-home-after-being-overcome-by-gas-fumes-1-804100>

South East

Chatham, Kent

Family suffers from carbon monoxide poisoning

A family of three taken to hospital after falling ill from a gas leak from their boiler.

http://www.kentonline.co.uk/medway_messenger/news/three-people-needed-hospital-treatment-13182/

Hurstpierpoint, West Sussex

Carbon monoxide fatality

Two pensioners died in their home after inhaling toxic carbon monoxide fumes from a generator used during a power cut.

http://www.theargus.co.uk/news/10916988.Tributes_paid_to_Ken_and_Dorothy_Swallow_thought_to_have_died_from_carbon_monoxide_poisoning/

Chilton, Buckinghamshire

Carbon monoxide kills pensioner

Pensioner died from carbon monoxide poisoning after years of ash and soot built up in the boiler flue.

http://www.oxfordmail.co.uk/news/yourtown/didcot/11190627.Pensioner_died_from_carbon_monoxide_poison_in_boiler/

Woolston, Southampton

Gas explosion causes property damage

Fire crews were called out to a blaze involving a gas boiler that caused an explosion.

http://www.warringtonguardian.co.uk/news/11224068.Boiler_blaze_causes_small_explosion_in_Woolston/?ref=var_0

Milton Keynes, Buckinghamshire

Gas leak causes explosion

A woman was hospitalised following an explosion caused by a gas leak.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-beds-bucks-herts-25117909>

South West

Clovelly, North Devon

Woman suffers carbon monoxide poisoning

A woman was hospitalised after suffering from headaches and dizziness following a carbon monoxide leak at her property.

<http://www.northdevonjournal.co.uk/Woman-hospitalised-following-carbon-monoxide-leak/story-20730309-detail/story.html>

Easton, Bristol

Carbon monoxide fatality

A man died from carbon monoxide poisoning.

<http://www.bristolpost.co.uk/Recluse-died-oven-warm/story-20346888-detail/story.html>

PL32

Long-term harm from CO

Woman suffers prolonged affects of low-level carbon monoxide poisoning, which was leaking from her gas cooker and fire, and has to use a wheelchair for the rest of her life.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-cornwall-14878714>

BA1

Carbon monoxide fatality

A woman died from carbon monoxide poisoning caused by fumes leaking from an incorrectly secured boiler flue.

<http://www.thesun.co.uk/sol/homepage/news/2861654/Horror-as-bride-Katie-Haines-is-gassed-in-bath.html>

BH16

Deadly gas explosion

A gas cooker explosion at a holiday park causes damage to pipework and cabling, and smoke damage, but lucky residents escape harm.

<http://www.blackmorevale.co.uk/Family-escape-gas-explosion-Lytchett-Minster/story-19103585-detail/story.html>

Wales

Bargoed

Woman hospitalised

A woman has been taken to hospital with possible carbon monoxide poisoning after a suspected gas leak at her home.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-wales-south-east-wales-25820178>

SA7

Baby suffers CO poisoning

Baby poisoned by carbon monoxide caused by a faulty gas boiler in the family's council home.

<http://www.thisissouthwales.co.uk/Swansea-family-say-leaky-boiler-baby-drip/story-16401735-detail/story.html>

CF64

Boiler poisons family

Charlotte Church and her two children had a lucky escape after nearly being poisoned by a faulty boiler in their home.

<http://www.dailymail.co.uk/tvshowbiz/article-1355096/Charlotte-Church-children-gassed-death-faulty-boiler.html>

NP44

Carbon monoxide fatalities

Two teenagers died from carbon monoxide poisoning after lighting a portable gas heater in a garden summer house where they slept.

<http://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/uknews/wales/5050102/Teenagers-die-of-carbon-monoxide-poisoning.html>

NP4

Gas explosion injures three

Three brothers suffered injuries and burns from gas explosion in their home.

http://www.southwalesguardian.co.uk/archive/2008/10/28/3765781.Three_hurt_in_gas_explosion/

West Midlands

ST3

Carbon monoxide fatalities

Retired couple found dead at their home, after being poisoned by carbon monoxide from a poorly maintained gas boiler.

<http://www.thisisstaffordshire.co.uk/Couple-dead-home-poisoned-faulty-gas-boiler/story-14055107-detail/story.html#axzz2ZxWADTWX>

WR1

Shoddy installation

Woman survives gas leak after calling out the gas emergency services. An illegal gas fitter, claiming to be registered fitted a gas hob incorrectly, causing a gas leak.

<http://www.hse.gov.uk/press/2013/rnn-wm-7213.htm>

CV2

Fire causes blaze

A family manages to escape a blaze in their home after a faulty gas fire set on fire and leaked carbon monoxide throughout the home.

<http://www.coventrytelegraph.net/news/coventry-news/family-taken-hospital-after-walsgrave-3047707>

B73

Boiler poisons family

Two women were taken to hospital after feeling unwell and being alerted by their CO alarm to a build-up of carbon monoxide in their home, caused by a faulty boiler.

<http://www.birminghammail.co.uk/news/local-news/mother-and-daughter-in-law-taken-to-hospital-160861>

WV10

Six poisoned

Six people, including a young child, were taken to hospital after suffering carbon monoxide poisoning in their home.

<http://www.birminghammail.co.uk/news/local-news/six-overcome-by-carbon-monoxide-fumes-305265>

Yorkshire and Humber

Beighton, South Yorkshire

Faulty gas heater lead to fatality

A man died following a faulty gas heater that started a fire in his house.

<http://www.sheffieldtelegraph.co.uk/news/local/faulty-gas-fire-may-have-caused-fatal-blaze-in-city-1-6481006>

S9

Deadly gas explosion

Gas explosion destroys one home completely and damages surrounding properties.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-south-yorkshire-22701234>

HD2

Carbon monoxide fatality

A 10-year old boy suffocated in his home from poisonous carbon monoxide fumes caused by a faulty boiler in the neighbour's house.

<http://www.yorkshireeveningpost.co.uk/news/latest-news/top-stories/tragedy-of-boy-killed-by-fumes-from-next-door-1-2135652>

YO17

Deadly gas explosion

Man trapped in his home and rescued by firefighters following a gas explosion caused by a faulty boiler.

http://www.yorkpress.co.uk/news/ryedale/9301382.Man_27_injured_in_Sherburn_house_gas_explosion/

BD20

Carbon monoxide fatality Man found dead in his home after suffering carbon monoxide caused by poorly maintained gas fire.

http://www.cravenherald.co.uk/news/1046112.inquest_into_carbon_monoxide_poison_case/