



# CARBON MONOXIDE (CO) ALARMS SAVE LIVES

## HomeSafe

### 1 INSTALL/MAINTAIN CO ALARMS

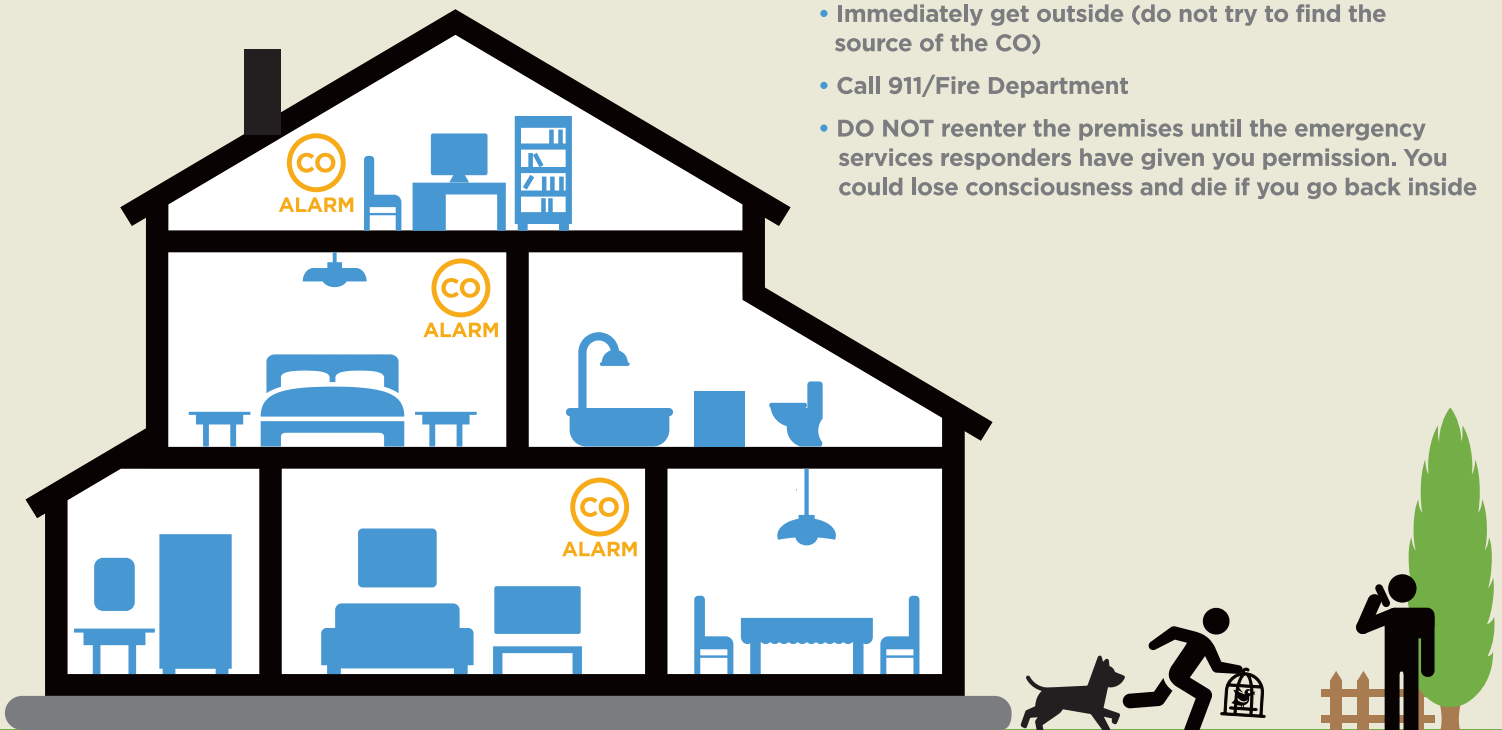
- Install alarms on every level of your home and in/near sleeping areas
- For best protection, interconnect all CO alarms in your home so when one sounds, they all sound. Follow the manufacturer's instructions for placement and mounting height
- Sensors in CO alarms have a limited life. Be sure to test your alarms monthly and replace them according to manufacturer's instructions

### 2 KNOW SOUND OF ALARM

- Know the sound of your alarm when it's alerting to CO (4 beeps)
- Know the difference between the alert tones for a smoke alarm (3 beeps) and a CO alarm (4 beeps)
- Practice your family's home escape plan, including meeting at a designated place outside

### 3 IF YOUR ALARM SOUNDS

- Immediately get outside (do not try to find the source of the CO)
- Call 911/Fire Department
- DO NOT reenter the premises until the emergency services responders have given you permission. You could lose consciousness and die if you go back inside



CO is a colorless, odorless & tasteless gas  
It's undetectable without an alarm and, in high concentrations, can be deadly within minutes



See other side for ways to stay CO safe away from home

