

FIRST RESPONDER INITIAL CERTIFICATION/LICENSURE OR RE-LICENSING PRACTICAL EVALUATION

3.15 Carbon Monoxide Poisoning

Key Performance Outcomes

- Manage a patient with carbon monoxide poisoning

Patient Instructions

C/C:	"I have a bad headache and I feel nauseous"
HxC/C:	Your next door neighbour came over to see why you were running your generator in your attached garage. He found you in your house confused and complaining of a headache and nausea.
Pain Assessment (PQRST)	Headache, dull throbbing, does not radiate, 3/10 for severity, you can't remember when it started
Relevant symptoms:	You feel nauseated and fatigued
Relevant past Med Hx:	None
Medications:	You think you have taken some Tylenol for your headache
Allergies:	Shellfish
Other:	You are portraying someone in their 40's

Scenario Information

Dispatch Information

Dispatched to a residence for a sick person

Scene Information

You are met at the front door by the neighbor who tells you he came over to see why his neighbor (the patient) was running his generator in his attached garage. He states he found his neighbor very confused and not himself so he called for help. You can still hear the generator running in the garage. You are told the patient is sitting in the kitchen.

Witnessed or Secondary Information (as required)

As you approach the patient, you see a man who appears to be in his 40's sitting at the kitchen table.

Criteria	Relevant findings	Required actions
RSE	Generator running in an attached garage	Shut off generator, ventilate house, and remove patient
LOC	Confused	
D	None	
A	Open and clear	
B	Present and adequate	
C	Radial pulse present and regular	
RBS	No injuries found	
Critical Interventions	Possible CO poisoning	Oxygen via a non-rebreather mask
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HX C/C	The next door neighbour came over to see why you were running your generator in your attached garage. He found you in your house confused and complaining of a headache and nausea.	
Med Hx	None	
Medication	You think you have taken some Tylenol for your headache	
Allergies	Shellfish	
Vital Signs	Initial Set	Second Set (if applicable)
	LOC Confused	LOC Alert
	PULSE 80 regular	PULSE 76 regular
	RESP 20 regular	RESP 20 regular
	SKIN Normal	SKIN Normal
Other/Misc.		