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Habinteg
Housing Association (Ulster) Ltd

GAS SAFETY ADVICE

Habinteg inspects and services all appliances annually. We only use Gas Safe registered contractors for repair or installation of gas appliances.

Carbon monoxide alarms

We encourage tenants with a gas supply to invest in a carbon monoxide monitor. These alarms cost from £15 and can be purchased in most DIY stores. Ensure the alarm carries a British or European approval mark, such as a Kitemark.

Safety precautions

To help avoid the build up of carbon monoxide never block ventilation and ensure that flues are kept clear at all times.

What are the danger signs to look out for?

- Staining, soot or discolouration around a gas fire or around the top of a water heater or central heating boiler.
- A yellow or orange flame in a gas appliance.
- Onset of symptoms such as tiredness, headache, nausea, giddiness, pains in the chest and stomach.

If you suspect an appliance is unsafe:

Turn the appliance off and do not touch it until it has been checked by a Gas Safe Registered engineer. Contact Habinteg.

If you suspect there is a gas leak Call **NI Gas Emergency** on **0800 002 001**
Open all / windows and shut off the gas supply at the meter control valve.

