



HARVESTING & EUTHANASIA PERSONNEL SAFETY PROTOCOL FOR USE OF CARBON MONOXIDE (CO)

Employees are told that CO is colorless, tasteless and has no odor. The employees are told to report any signs of over exposure; low exercise tolerance, headache, shortness of breath, nausea, and/or dizziness.

1. CO cylinders are stored with the valve covers in place
2. CO tanks are secured while in storage
3. A CO alarm monitor is in the storage area
4. CO warning sign is in storage area
5. Only designated employees are to handle the CO tanks
6. The chamber is only to be charged in the shed area and unloaded outside the processing area.
7. Any malfunction of the chambers is to be reported immediately.