







# WHAT IS A CO TEST? 😐

CARBON MONOXIDE IS A **POISONOUS GAS** FOUND IN CIGARETTE SMOKE. YOU CAN'T SEE, SMELL OR TASTE IT.



A BREATH TEST SHOWS **HOW MUCH CO** YOU HAVE BEEN EXPOSED TO.

## MY CO RESULT IS

-  **20 AND ABOVE? HEAVY SMOKER**  
Consistent high levels cause long-term damage.
-  **10-19? REGULAR SMOKER**  
Dangerous levels of CO in your blood and lungs.
-  **5-9? LIGHT/PASSIVE SMOKER**  
CO levels are starting to harm you.
-  **1-4? THIS IS WHERE YOU NEED TO BE**  
Less than 1% CO. This is normal, not harmful.

**DID YOU  
KNOW?**



**YOU CAN REDUCE YOUR CO  
LEVELS BY HALF JUST 8 HOURS  
AFTER QUITTING SMOKING**

**THE BEST WAY TO QUIT SMOKING IS  
WITH FREE NHS HELP AND SUPPORT**

**HELPA FFI  
STOPIO  
HELP ME  
QUIT**



Phone: 0800 085 2219



Request a call back online:  
[helpmequit.wales/quit-now](http://helpmequit.wales/quit-now)



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