



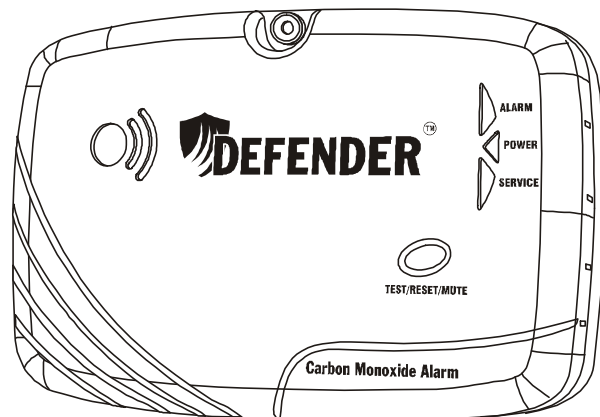
# Carbon Monoxide Alarm

## Owner's Manual

**Sealed Lithium Battery Powered**

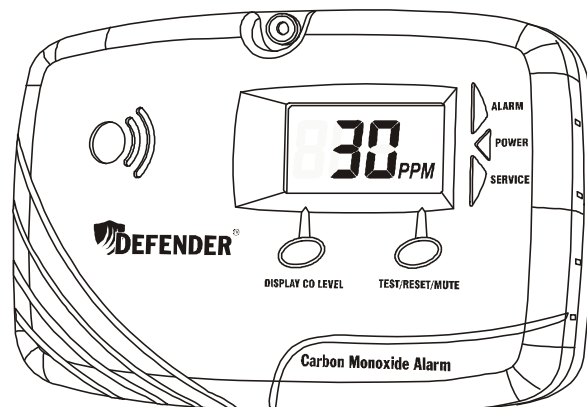
### CA6000

Sealed Lithium Battery  
Powered CO Alarm, Single  
Station



### CA6050

Sealed Lithium Battery  
Powered CO Alarm with LCD  
Digital Display and Peak Level  
Memory, Single Station




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## 1. IMPORTANT MESSAGE AND INSTRUCTIONS

**IMPORTANT!** READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE INSTALLATION AND SAVE THIS MANUAL FOR FUTURE REFERENCE. *Do not try to repair this CO alarm yourself. Refer to the instructions in Section 14 for service.*

 **CAUTION!** THIS ALARM WILL ONLY INDICATE THE PRESENCE OF CARBON MONOXIDE GAS AT THE SENSOR. CARBON MONOXIDE GAS MAY BE PRESENT IN OTHER AREAS. THIS CARBON MONOXIDE ALARM IS DESIGNED TO DETECT CARBON MONOXIDE GAS FROM ANY SOURCE OF COMBUSTION. IT IS NOT DESIGNED TO DETECT SMOKE, FIRE OR ANY OTHER GAS. THIS DEVICE IS DESIGNED TO PROTECT INDIVIDUALS FROM THE ACUTE EFFECTS OF CARBON MONOXIDE EXPOSURE. IT WILL NOT FULLY SAFEGUARD INDIVIDUALS WITH SPECIFIC MEDICAL CONDITIONS. IF IN DOUBT, CONSULT A MEDICAL PRACTITIONER.

 **CAUTION!** CO detection is best achieved by the installation of CO alarms in all rooms and areas of the residence.

**IMPORTANT!** Alarm should be replaced after 5 years from installation date. Write the replacement date onto the “REPLACE by” label affixed to side of alarm.

Add the telephone numbers of the local emergency service provider and a qualified technician to the self-adhesive labels provided. Place one label next to the alarm, and

the other label near a source of fresh air where you plan to gather when the carbon monoxide alarm signals are activated.

After installation is completed, **TEST** your alarm by pressing the **TEST/RESET/MUTE** button for at least 5 seconds. Detailed testing instructions are outlined in Section 9.

**DO NOT TRY TO TEST THIS ALARM IN ANY OTHER WAY:** If no alarm sounds, or low or erratic sound emits from the alarm during a test, the unit may be defective and should be returned for service. (See Section 14)

**CLEANING YOUR ALARM:** You can clean your alarm by using a vacuum cleaner brush to vacuum around the openings on the alarm. The outside of the alarm may be wiped with a damp cloth. After cleaning, confirm that the green power LED flashes once every 30 seconds (see Operation in Section 8), and test your alarm by operating the **TEST/RESET/MUTE** button.

**DO NOT PAINT YOUR ALARM:** The paint will block the vents and affect the alarm function.

**DO NOT SPRAY AIR REFRESHER, HOUSEHOLD CLEANER, OR INSECT KILLER ON OR NEAR YOUR ALARM:** Certain kinds of aerosol chemicals will damage the sensor and cause improper operation. The dwelling must be well ventilated when using household cleaning supplies or similar contaminants.

## 2. WARNING MESSAGES


### **WARNING!**

This product is intended for use in ordinary indoor locations of family living units. It is not designed to measure compliance with Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) commercial or industrial standards. Individuals with medical problems may consider using warning devices which provide audible and visual signals for carbon monoxide concentrations under 30 ppm.

 **WARNING!** Actuation of this device indicates the presence of carbon monoxide (CO) which can KILL YOU.

 **WARNING!** Test your CO alarm at least once a week

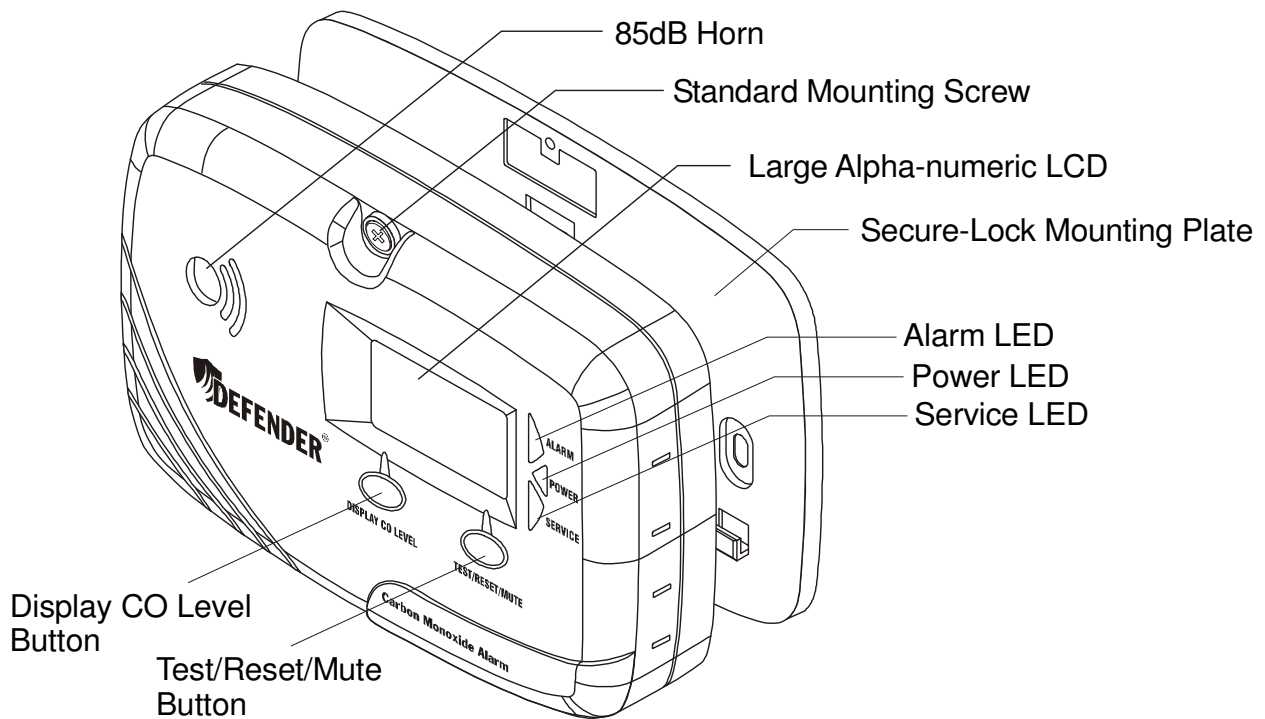
 **WARNING!** Test your CO alarm immediately after your home has been vacant.

 **WARNING!** The loudness of the alarm sound may cause you to feel uncomfortable. Cover the horn opening with the palm of your hand to reduce the volume while testing the alarm.

 **WARNING!** Constant exposures to high or low temperature, or high humidity, may shorten battery life.

### 3. FEATURES AND SPECIFICATIONS

- Factory Sealed Lithium Batteries with Soldered Connections
- Unique Battery Activation/Deactivation Switch
- Accurate and Reliable Water-Based Electrochemical Sensor
- Integrated Filter for Removing Nuisance Gases
- Samples for Carbon Monoxide (CO) Every 10 Seconds
- Optional Alpha Numeric LCD Readout with Memory
- Separate Test and Optional Memory Buttons
- Audible and Visual Alarm Signals
- Separate Alarm, Power and Service LED's
- Self Diagnostic Circuitry and Sensor Life Monitor
- Secure-Lock™ Mounting System
- Five Year Limited Warranty for Alarm and Batteries



## SPECIFICATIONS

### CO Response Times:

70 PPM: 60-240 minutes,  
150 PPM: 10-50 minutes,  
400 PPM: 4-15 minutes,

### Sensor Type:

Electrochemical

### Operating Temperature:

40°F (4.4°C) to 100°F (37.8°C)

### Audible Signal:

Buzzer Horn Sounds 85 dB at 10 feet

### Visual Signal:

- Green LED Indicates Power On
- Alarm Red LED Indicates CO Alarm
- Service Red LED Indicates Service Required

### Detection Frequency:

Samples for CO every 10 seconds

### LCD Display: Model CA6050

- Digital Read-Out of Current and Highest CO Levels Detected
- Peak Level Time Record (the total time Peak CO is detected within 10% of the peak level)
- Display Tolerance  $\pm 20\%$  from 70 to 400 PPM @ 50% RH, 72°F $\pm 5^\circ$  (22°C $\pm 3^\circ$ )

### Sensor Life Monitor

Activates sensor expiration signal after five years of operation

### Factory Sealed Lithium Batteries

Two non-replaceable, non-removable lithium batteries for minimum 5 years of operation under normal conditions

### Electrical Rating:

6VDC, 0.1 mWatts

## 4. INFORMATION ABOUT CARBON MONOXIDE

### WHAT IS CARBON MONOXIDE?

Carbon monoxide (CO) is a highly toxic, invisible, odorless, tasteless gas.

### HOW IS CO GENERATED IN THE HOME?

Carbon monoxide is generated through incomplete combustion of fuel in various home appliances. Faulty ventilation of furnaces, water heaters, fireplaces, wood burning stoves, and space heaters are the major cause of high CO levels in the home. Automobile and small engine exhaust are another source of CO.

### HOW DOES CO POISON PEOPLE?

The human body depends on oxygen for the burning of fuel (food) to provide us with the energy that allows our cells to live and function. Oxygen makes up approximately 21% of the atmosphere and enters our lungs when we breathe. In our lungs the oxygen combines with the hemoglobin in the blood (oxyhemoglobin), and is carried in the blood stream throughout the body where it releases oxygen to the cells.

Carbon monoxide is dangerous because it bonds more tightly to the hemoglobin (carboxyhemoglobin, COHb) than oxygen does. When CO combines with hemoglobin, the hemoglobin's ability to combine with oxygen is lost. As the COHb concentration rises, people become nauseous, unconscious and ultimately die (see below).

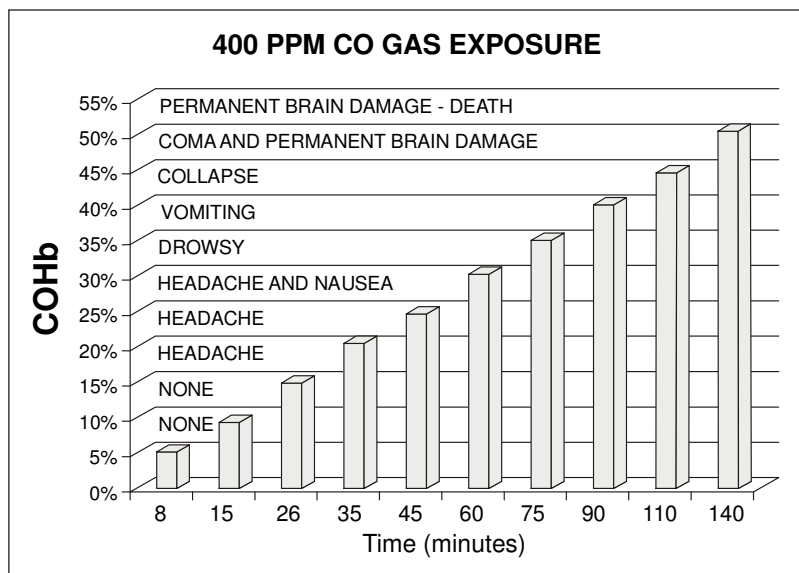
### WHAT ARE THE SYMPTOMS OF CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING?

Many people often confuse carbon monoxide poisoning with the flu; the initial symptoms being very similar. Different concentrations of CO over various lengths of time cause different symptoms.

The following symptoms may be related to *CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING* and should be discussed with ALL members of the household.

<b>MILD EXPOSURE:</b>	Headaches, running nose, sore eyes, often described as "flu"-like symptoms.
<b>MEDIUM EXPOSURE:</b>	Dizziness, drowsiness, vomiting.
<b>EXTREME EXPOSURE:</b>	Unconsciousness, brain damage, death

Many cases of CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING indicate that while victims are aware they are not well, they become so disoriented that they are unable to save themselves by either exiting the building or calling for assistance.



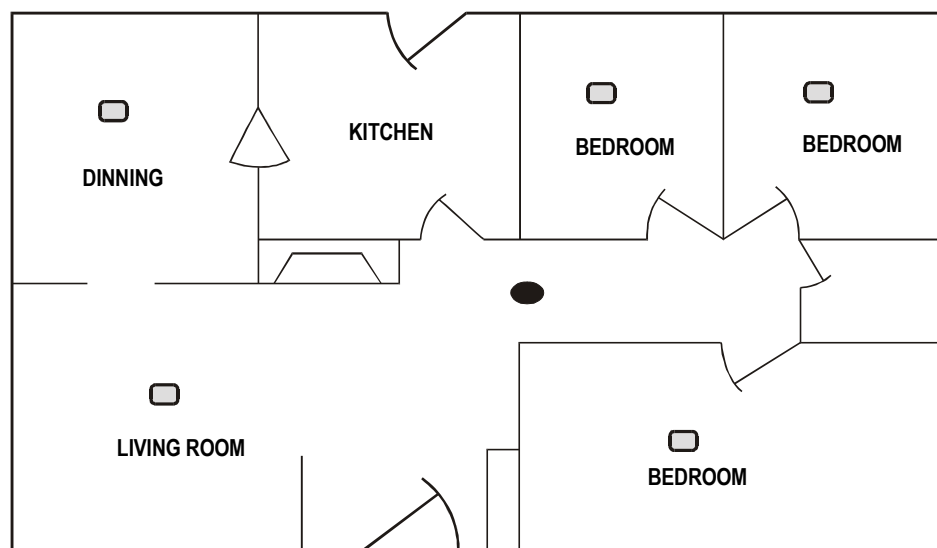
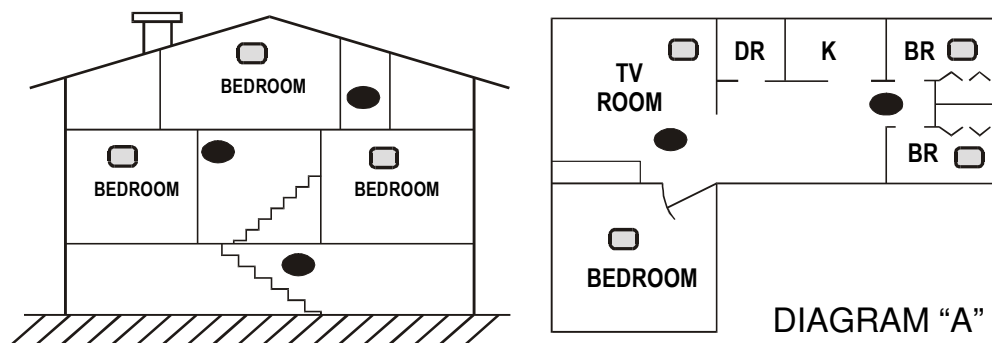
## 5. RECOMMENDED LOCATION OF ALARMS

The Consumer Products Safety Commission (CPSC) recommends the use of "at least one CO alarm per household located outside each sleeping area." (See diagrams "A" and "B").

CO poisoning can happen anywhere in the home, but because most CO poisoning cases occur while people are sleeping, the best location for the CO alarm is near the sleeping area in the home. If there is more than one sleeping area in the home or on a different floor, or if bedroom doors are closed during the night, you may need more than one CO alarm.

Carbon monoxide at room temperature [68°F (20°C)] is slightly lighter than air (density of 0.96716). CO alarms should be mounted five feet off floor, or at eye level, for best operation and to easily test alarm and view any display.

1. Locate the first alarm in the immediate area of the bedrooms. If more than one sleeping area exists, locate additional alarms in each sleeping area.
2. Locate an alarm inside every room where someone sleeps with a door closed. The closed door may prevent the alarm from waking the sleeper.
3. Locate an alarm on every level of the home. (See diagrams "A" and "B")



- Recommended location for minimum protection.    □ Additional CO alarm location for added protection.

## 6. LOCATIONS TO AVOID

**NEAR THE COOKING AREA:** Do not install the alarm within five feet of cooking appliances. CO may be generated in the cooking process and cause nuisance alarms. Also, cooking grease can build up on the alarm and cause alarm failure.

**WITHIN FIVE FEET OF A FURNACE, WATER HEATER, OR SPACE HEATER:** These devices often spill out small amounts of CO when they first turn on.

**IN GARAGES:** Automobile exhaust contains CO and will activate alarm.

**IN DUSTY AREAS:** Dust can build up on alarm and prevent it from working properly.

**IN CLEANING SUPPLY ROOMS:** Chemicals used in household cleaning and painting supplies may cause nuisance alarms.

**IN UTILITY OR BATH ROOMS:** Do not install the alarm inside or within three feet of a room with a bathtub, shower, spa or washer/dryer. Excessive moisture may cause nuisance alarms.

**IN VERY HOT OR COLD AREAS:** Do not install unit on any exterior wall or in areas which are below 40°F (4.4°C) or above 100°F (37.8°C).

**IN DEAD AIR SPACE:** Do not install alarm within one foot of where wall meets ceiling or floor.

**IN HAZARDOUS LOCATIONS:** This alarm is not suitable for installation in a hazardous location, as defined in the National Electrical Code.

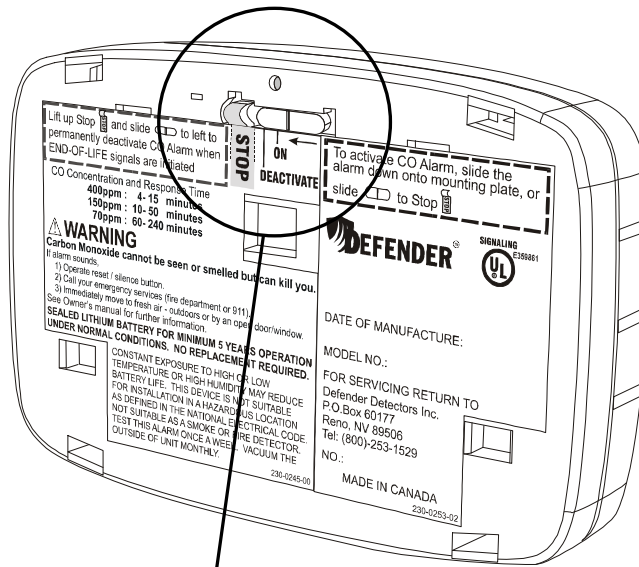
**NEAR WIRELESS DEVICES:** Do not install the alarm within one foot of wireless devices. Radio Frequencies (RF) may interfere with the CO alarm's proper operation.

## 7. INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

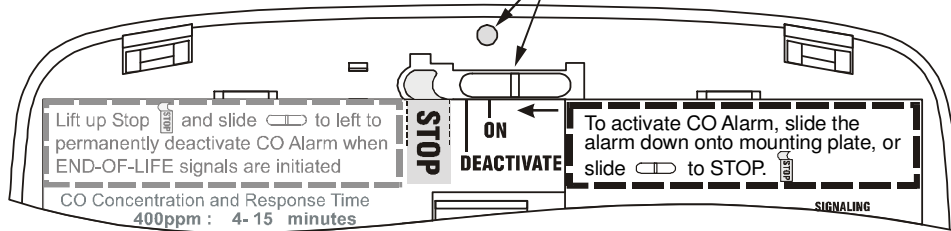
Follow these steps in this order to install your alarm:

1. Review Section 5, **RECOMMENDED LOCATIONS OF ALARMS**
2. Review Section 6, **LOCATIONS TO AVOID**
3. Fasten the mounting plate to the wall at eye level. Slide alarm down onto mounting plate. The alarm will be automatically activated.
4. It is important that you use the mounting plate provided. If the mounting plate is not used, you must slide the activation switch at the back of alarm to left until it meets the Stop, ON position, as in diagram (D).
5. Once activated, the CO alarm should operate for 5 years without battery replacement.
6. Press and hold test button until alarm starts to beep, then release. The alarm should beep 4 times, pause, then beep 4 times again. Alarm Red LED should flash at the same time.
7. Secure alarm to mounting plate, with Phillips head screw provided, through the mounting hole on top of alarm.
8. Be sure that the alarm is not obstructed by bedding, furniture, drapes, etc.



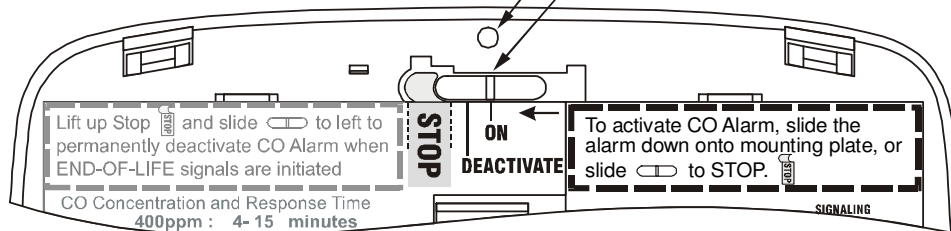


Mounting hole is closed when switch is in initial position



(C) Activation switch is not initially in ON position

Mounting hole is open when switch is in ON position





(D) Alarm is activated when switch is in ON position


If the activation switch is not set to ON position, as in diagram (D), the mounting hole at top of alarm will be blocked, and the CO alarm will not be activated.


The models CA6000 and CA6050 are a sealed lithium battery powered wall mounted alarm. Two lithium battery cells are permanently sealed with soldered connections, and cannot be removed. No battery replacement is required, and the factory sealed batteries will power the alarm for a minimum of five years under normal operation.

## 8. FUNCTIONS AND OPERATION




**OPERATION:** The CO alarm is operational once the activation switch is slid to ON position. The green LED will flash once every 30 seconds. The model CA6050 LCD will also continuously display  to indicate that the CO alarm's power is active.




**LOW BATTERY CONDITION:** When the battery voltage drops below an acceptable level, the alarm will chirp once per minute and the green LED will blink 5 seconds every minute. The model CA6050 LCD will also display  symbol. See Section 14 for information regarding service.

**SERVICE CONDITION:** An internal microcontroller continuously monitors the sensor function and other critical components. If an internal failure of any of these components should occur, the alarm will chirp twice (BEEP - BEEP) per minute and the **SERVICE** red LED will blink for 5 seconds every minute. The model CA6050 LCD will also continuously display . This malfunction condition indicates a problem with the unit. See Section 14 for information regarding service.

**END-OF-LIFE CONDITION:** The electrochemical sensor has a minimum five year life expectancy. Once the battery is activated, a microcontroller monitors the total time that the alarm is under power. After five years of service, the "End-of-Life" signal will be activated; the alarm will chirp once per minute and the **SERVICE** red LED will glow for 3 seconds at the same time. The model CA6050 LCD will also continuously display  to indicate that the sensor life has expired and the alarm should be replaced. See Section 14 for handling an End-of-Life alarm.


**ALARM CONDITION:** When the batteries are active, and CO gas is detected at a level and duration specified in Section 3 **CO RESPONSE TIMES**, the horn will sound and the **ALARM** red LED will light. The alarm signal will sound 4 short beeps every 6 seconds. The **ALARM** red LED will flash in sync with the beeping sound. The model CA6050 LCD will also display the current CO Level detected. After having alarmed for more than 5 minutes, the alarm signal will change to 4 short beeps every 60 seconds. The alarm signal is either manually or automatically reset. See Section 10 **WHAT TO DO WHEN THE ALARM SOUNDS**.

**TEST/RESET/MUTE BUTTON:** The **TEST/RESET/MUTE** button is used to check the alarm for proper operation, and to temporarily mute horn for 5 minutes when alarm is activated, for 24 hrs. during the first week of a "Low Battery Voltage" signal () activation, or for 60 hrs. during the first month of an "End-of-Life" signal () activation. The model CA6050 LCD will display the current CO level detected when alarm is being tested, or  when an alarm signal is muted. See Section 9 for Testing procedure.

**LCD DISPLAY FUNCTION (FOR MODEL CA6050):** When alarm is operating normally, the LCD will continuously display . If room temperature exceeds 120°F (48°C), the LCD will display  for 5 seconds every minute. If a CO level of 30 ppm or more is detected, or alarm is activated, the LCD will automatically display the current CO level detected. The LCD will display the  symbol if the battery has low voltage.


**DISPLAY CO LEVEL BUTTON (FOR MODEL CA6050):** To manually display the current and highest CO level detected, press the **DISPLAY CO LEVEL** button once. The LCD will display the recorded data in the following order:





1. The current CO level detected, and
2. The peak or highest CO level detected from 10-999 ppm.
3. The total length of time the alarm has detected the peak CO level, from 0-999 minutes.

Each reading will appear for five seconds. To erase the record in memory, press the **TEST/RESET/MUTE** button when the readings are displayed. The alarm will burst a long beep, and the display reads .


## 9. TEST AND MUTE ALARM

To test your alarm, press the **TEST/RESET/MUTE** button on the cover and hold it down for a minimum of 2 seconds or until the alarm starts beeping and **ALARM** red LED flashes, then release. This test will simulate a CO concentration of approximately 300 ppm CO gas. The alarm will sound 4 short beeps and LED will flash Red at the same time, followed by a 5 second pause, and then repeat 4 more short beeps with flashing Red LED if all of the electronic circuitry and buzzer are working correctly. The current CO level will also be displayed for model CA6050.

To mute the audible horn during an alarm signal, press the **TEST/RESET/MUTE** button. The ALARM red LED will flash 4 times, the model CA6050 will display  for 5 seconds, and the horn will be temporarily silenced. If a CO level of 70 ppm or more continues to be detected, the audible and visual alarm signals will be automatically reactivated within 5 minutes. See Section 10 **WHAT TO DO WHEN THE ALARM SOUNDS**.


To mute the audible horn during a low battery signal () condition, press the **TEST/RESET/MUTE** button. The green LED will blink for 5 seconds, the model CA6050 will display  at the same time, and the horn will be temporarily silenced for 24 hours. The low battery signal symbol  will be continuously shown in the CA6050 display. When the audible signal reactivates, you can continue to mute the horn for an additional 24 hour period by again pressing the **TEST/RESET/MUTE** button. The horn can only be turned off during the first 7 days of the low battery signal activation. After 7 days, the alarm will return to its normal low battery signal condition; 1 chirp per minute, green LED blinks for 5 seconds, and model CA6050 continuously displays .

To test your alarm during a low battery signal condition, press and hold **TEST/RESET/MUTE** button for minimum 2 seconds when the audible signal is not sounding.

To mute the audible signal during an “End-of-Life” condition, press the **TEST/RESET/MUTE** button. The **SERVICE** red LED will glow for 5 seconds, the model CA6050 will display  at the same time, and the horn will be temporarily silenced for 60 hours. When the audible signal reactivates, you can continue to mute the horn for an additional 60 hour period by again pressing the **TEST/RESET/MUTE** button. The horn can only be turned off during the first 30 days of the “End-of-Life” signal activation. After

30 days, the alarm will return to its normal “End-of-Life” condition; 1 chirp per minute, **SERVICE** red LED glows for 5 seconds at the same time, and model CA6050 continuously displays “End”.


To test your alarm during an “End-of-Life” condition, press and hold **TEST/RESET/MUTE** button for minimum 2 seconds when audible signal is not sounding.

The audible signal cannot be muted when alarm is in **SERVICE** condition; chirps twice (BEEP - BEEP) per minute, **SERVICE** red LED blinks for 5 seconds, and model CA6050 continuously displays . See Section 14 for information regarding service.

## 10. WHAT TO DO WHEN THE ALARM SOUNDS

If alarm signal sounds:

- 1) Operate test/reset/mute button;
- 2) Call your emergency services (tel. no. \_\_\_\_\_)  
[fire department or 911];
- 3) Immediately move to fresh air - outdoors or by an open door or window. Do a head count to check that all persons are accounted for. Do not re-enter the premises or move away from the open door/window until the emergency services responders have arrived, the premises have been aired out, and your alarm remains in its normal condition.
- 4) After following steps 1- 3, if your alarm reactivates within a 24 hour period, repeat steps 1-3 and call a qualified appliance technician (tel. no. \_\_\_\_\_) to investigate for sources of CO from fuel burning equipment and appliances, and inspect for proper operation of this equipment. If problems are identified during this inspection, have the equipment serviced immediately. Note any combustion equipment not inspected by the technician and consult the manufacturers' instructions, or contact the manufacturers directly, for more information about CO safety and this equipment. Make sure that motor vehicles are not, and have not been, operating in an attached garage or adjacent to the residence.

**MANUAL RESET:** You can temporarily silence an audible alarm signal by pressing the **TEST/RESET/MUTE** button. The **ALARM** red LED will flash 4 times, and the model CA6050 will display  for 5 seconds and then continue to display the current CO level detected from 30 to 999 ppm. If 70 ppm or more continues to be detected, the audible and visual alarm signals will be automatically reactivated within 5 minutes. Do not wait to see if the alarm is reactivated; follow above instructions immediately.

**AUTOMATIC RESET:** If a CO alarm activation is not manually reset, the horn will sound for at least 5 minutes. After 5 minutes, the alarm will automatically reset itself and return to normal operation if the CO which caused the alarm activation has cleared.

**IF YOU HAVE BEEN AWAY FROM HOME and you return to find your alarm(s) sounding, DO NOT ENTER YOUR HOME. Call the Fire Department from a neighbor's home. DO NOT RE-ENTER YOUR HOME FOR ANY REASON UNTIL YOU HAVE BEEN ASSURED THAT IT IS SAFE TO DO SO.**

**Conditions which can result in transient CO situations:**

- 1) Excessive spillage or reverse venting of fuel burning appliances caused by outdoor ambient conditions, such as:
  - i) Wind direction and/or velocity, including high gusts of wind. Heavy air in the vent pipes (cold/humid air with extended periods between cycles).
  - ii) Negative pressure differential resulting from the use of exhaust fans.
  - iii) Simultaneous operation of several fuel burning appliances competing for limited internal air.
  - iv) Vent pipe connections vibrating loose from clothes dryers, furnaces, or water heaters.
  - v) Obstructions in or unconventional vent pipe designs which can amplify the above situations.
  - vi) Poorly designed or maintained chimneys and/or vents.
- 2) Extended operation of unvented fuel burning devices (range, oven, etc.).
- 3) Temperature inversions which can trap exhaust gases near the ground.
- 4) Car idling in an open or closed attached garage, or near a home.

**If SERVICE or low battery signals are activated, see Section 14 for service and return instructions.**

## **11. LIMITATIONS OF CARBON MONOXIDE ALARMS**

Carbon monoxide alarms respond to the presence of CO. They do not detect smoke. If the alarm does activate, follow instructions in Section 10 **WHAT TO DO WHEN THE ALARM SOUNDS**.

Carbon monoxide alarms are devices that can provide an early warning of the presence of CO gas at a reasonable cost. However, alarms have sensing limitations and may not always sound a warning in the presence of CO. The alarm will not operate if the battery power is low or dead. CO alarms must be tested regularly to ensure that they are receiving power and operating properly. Carbon monoxide alarms cannot sense CO that does not reach the alarm, and therefore CO alarms may not detect CO which is in another area of the home. Furthermore, if the alarm is located on a different level of the home, or on the other side of a closed door, it may not waken a sound sleeper. The use of drugs and alcohol may impair ones ability to hear the alarm. If you have a multi-level home, install CO alarms on each level of the home. If the alarm is installed in a hallway and the bedroom doors are kept closed at night, install a CO alarm within each bedroom.

Although CO alarms can help save lives by providing an early warning to the presence of carbon monoxide, they are not a substitute for an insurance policy. Homeowners and renters should have adequate insurance to protect their health, lives and property.

## 12. GOOD SAFETY HABITS

### DEVELOP AND PRACTICE A PLAN OF ESCAPE:

Make a floor plan indicating all doors and windows and at least two escape routes from each room. Second story windows may need a rope or chain ladder.

Have a family meeting to discuss your escape plan, and show everyone what to do in case an alarm sounds.











Determine a place outside your home where you can all meet if an alarm sounds.

Familiarize everyone with the sound of the alarm and train them to leave the home when they hear it.

Practice a CO fire drill at least once every six months. Practice allows you to test your plan before an emergency. You may not be able to reach your children. *It is important that they know what to do.*

Discuss the symptoms related to *CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING* with all members of the household. (See Section 4 ***WHAT ARE THE SYMPTOMS OF CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING?***)

## 13. DESCRIPTION OF AUDIBLE AND VISUAL SIGNALS

Condition	LCD Readout	LEDs	Horn
CO alarm is operational	Displays  continuously	Green LED flashes once every 30 seconds	Silence
CO gas alarm	Displays current CO reading in PPM	<b>ALARM</b> red LED flashes 4 times in synchronous with horn	Beeps 4 times, pauses for 5 seconds. Repeats this pattern for first 5 minutes. Then pause time increases to 60 seconds.
Mute CO alarm audible signal	Displays  for 5 seconds	<b>ALARM</b> red LED flashes 4 times	Silence
CO gas alarm in Silence mode	Displays current CO level in PPM	Green LED flashes once every 30 seconds	Silence for 5 minutes
Testing alarm	Displays Current CO level detected	<b>ALARM</b> signals are same as CO gas alarm condition, and Green LED blinks once when testing complete	Beeps 4 times, pauses for 5 seconds, then beeps 4 times again
Display CO Level	Displays current and highest CO levels detected, and duration of peak CO level. Each readout lasts 5 seconds	Green LED blinks once when CO level display is completed	Silence
Clear Peak Memory	Displays 	Green LED blinks once when clear peak memory is completed	Bursts a long beep
Low battery voltage	Displays  symbol	Green LED blinks for 5 seconds every minute	Chirps once per minute
Mute "low battery voltage" audible signal	Displays  for 5 seconds	Green LED blinks for 5 seconds	Silence
Low battery in Silence mode	Displays  symbol	Green LED blinks for 5 seconds every minute	Silence for 24 hrs during the first week
"End-of-Life"	Displays  continuously	<b>SERVICE</b> red LED glows for 3 seconds every minute	Chirps once per minute
Mute "End-of-Life" audible signal	Displays  for 5 seconds	<b>SERVICE</b> red LED glows for 5 seconds, then Green LED blinks once	Silence
"End-of-Life" in Silence mode	Displays  continuously	<b>SERVICE</b> red LED glows for 3 seconds every minute	Silence for 60 hrs during the first month
Service required	Displays  continuously	<b>SERVICE</b> red LED blinks for 5 seconds every minute	Chirps twice (BEEP-BEEP) per minute

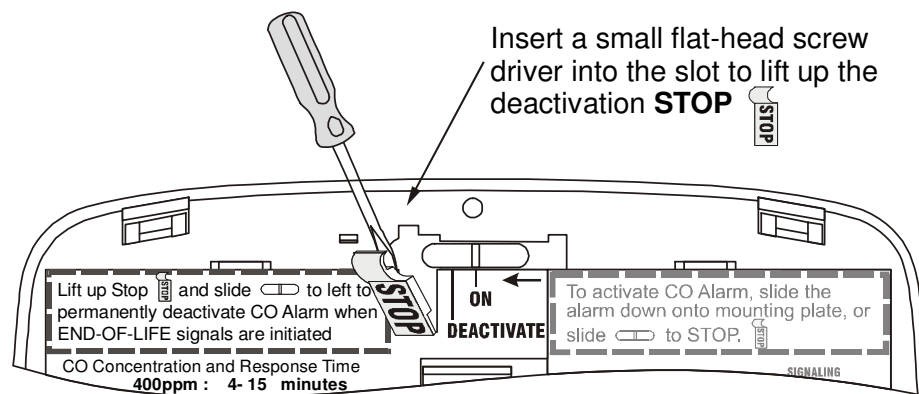
## 14. END-OF-LIFE AND SERVICE

After the alarm has been activated for 5 years, the alarm reaches the end of its life and emits the End-of-Life signal. The alarm will chirp once per minute, the **SERVICE** red LED will glow for 3 seconds at the same time, and the model CA6050 LCD will continuously display **End**. The alarm may still work, but the alarm should be replaced as soon as possible. See below procedures to remove and deactivate the alarm, and discharge the batteries. The alarm can be disposed of using the same method for disposing of discharged batteries.

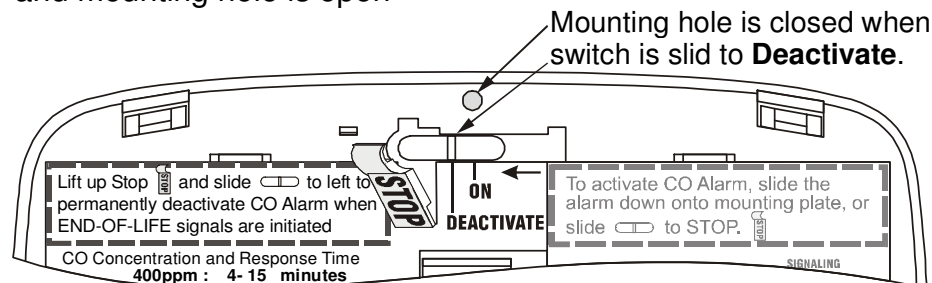
When the low battery voltage signal occurs in less than 5 years of normal operation, follow the steps to deactivate the alarm, and return the unit for warranty service to the appropriate address listed on the last page of this Owner's Manual.

In the event of any malfunction of the unit, the alarm will chirp twice per minute, the **SERVICE** red LED will blink for 5 seconds every minute, and the model CA6050 LCD will continuously display **Err**. Do not attempt to repair the alarm. This product should be serviced by a qualified service technician. Follow the steps to deactivate the alarm, and return the unit for warranty service to the appropriate address listed on the last page of this Owner's Manual.

- To remove the alarm for service or disposal, unscrew the standard mounting screw from the top center of the alarm, and slide the alarm up and off the mounting plate.
- Insert a small flat-head screwdriver into the slot, lift up the deactivation Stop, and slide the switch to the farthest left end to deactivate the alarm. The switch moves in one direction only, and cannot be moved back. Once the alarm is deactivated, the sealed lithium batteries will be discharged and the alarm will no longer work.



- (E) Alarm is activated and “ON” when switch is at **STOP** and mounting hole is open



- (F) Alarm is permanently deactivated when switch is moved to left past **STOP** and mounting hole is closed.



## 15. FIVE-YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY

The Defender carbon monoxide alarms are manufactured in Canada under stringent ISO 9001 quality management practices. The manufacturer warrants that, for a period of five years from the date of purchase, this carbon monoxide alarm will be free from defects in material and workmanship, and the factory sealed lithium batteries will power the CO alarm for at least five years. The manufacturer, at its option, will repair or replace this product or any component of the product found to be defective during the warranty period. Replacement will be made with a new or re-manufactured product or component.

If the product is no longer available, replacement may be made with a similar product of equal or greater value. This warranty is valid for the original retail or end-user purchaser from the date of initial purchase and is not transferable. Keep the original sales receipt. Proof of purchase is required to obtain warranty service. Dealers, service centers, or retail stores selling Defender products do not have the right to alter, modify or in any way change the terms and conditions of this warranty.

This warranty does not cover normal wear of parts or damage resulting from any of the following: negligent use or misuse of the product, use contrary to the operating instructions, disassembly, or repair or alteration by anyone other than the manufacturer or an authorized service center. Further, the warranty does not cover acts of God, such as fire, flood, hurricanes and tornadoes.

The manufacturer shall not be liable for any incidental or consequential damages caused by the breach of any express or implied warranty. Except to the extent prohibited by applicable law, any implied warranty of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose is limited in duration to the duration of the above warranty. Some states, provinces, or jurisdictions do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages or limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so the above limitations or exclusion may not apply to you. This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights that vary from state to state, or province to province.

### **Warranty Service:**

If service is required, do not return the product to your retailer. Contact Customer Service at (800) 253-1529, Monday through Friday, from 7 AM to 4 PM PST. To assist in serving you, please have the model number, date of purchase, and manufacturing date available when calling.

For Warranty Service, please obtain a Return Authorization (RA) number, deactivate the alarm per the instructions in Section 14, and mail the alarm to our U.S. representative:

Defender Detectors Inc., P.O. Box 60177, Reno, NV 89506

### **For Warranty Service return to:**

To return this product for service, pack carefully in a padded container. Ship prepaid along with your original sales receipt, an explanation of the problem and your return address to:



P.O. Box 60177

Reno, NV 89506

(800) 253-1529

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