

## What To Do When You Smell Gas?

We add a distinctive odor to natural gas so that you can detect even the smallest amount that might escape from gas piping. It smells bad, like rotten eggs, but that's good because natural gas has no odor of its own.

If you ever detect faint whiffs of this odor, investigate by "following your nose" to the source. It may be only a pilot light that's out or a burner valve partially turned on...things that are easily corrected.

If you cannot identify the source or the odor becomes stronger, do the following:

**If the leak is outdoors:** Call our dispatch center immediately at **706-883-2130**

**If the leak is indoors:** Leave the building immediately. Don't smoke or operate any light switches. Go to a neighbor's house and call us at **883-2130**.



Natural gas itself is not poisonous. But dangerous carbon monoxide can be generated by improperly working appliances or poorly installed vent pipes. As a basic precaution, be sure that all your flue connections and venting are unobstructed and properly fitted. Gas is a dependable and efficient product with an excellent safety record and many environmental benefits. Let's work together to keep it that way!