

PARTIGAS SAFETY

Partigas is a safe, non-flammable, and non-toxic gas, and can be used safely both in doors and out. However, Partigas is an asphyxiant, and should never be deliberately inhaled.

Instructions

1. Partigas is stored under high pressure, so the cylinder should not be opened without the inflator attached. When the cylinder is not in use, the valve should be tightly closed
2. Do not move the cylinder while the inflator is attached, Should a cylinder fall over with the inflator in position, remove it and immediately have it tested by an Afrox representative before further use
3. The cylinder should be stored in an upright position and be properly secured to prevent it from falling over
4. Cylinders should be stored and used in well ventilated areas away from fire risks and heat sources
5. Ensure good ventilation when transporting cylinders in vans or cars
6. In the event of fire, vacate the area immediately, and call the fire brigade, and inform them of the presence of a cylinder of Helium gas
7. It is strongly suggested that Partigas Cylinders be operated by adults, or under strict adult supervision
8. When empty, the cylinder and inflator should be returned to the Afrox branch or distributor from which the Partigas was purchased in order to redeem the deposit that was paid. The cylinder and inflator remain the property of Afrox

What to do if someone has lost mobility or consciousness as a result of inhaling high concentrations of an asphyxiation gas

1. Call a doctor and the emergency services to deal with the situation
2. Do not enter the area to attend to the victim – you may also rapidly become unconscious
3. Remove the victim to an uncontaminated area when it is safe to do so
4. Keep the victim warm and rested
5. Apply artificial respiration if breathing has stopped