

WILL ALERT WORKERS OF Dangerous levels of OXYGEN





## OXYGEN CONTENT OF AIR: Asphyxia Symptoms for Low Oxygen Levels\*

- 18 19.5% May affect physical and intellectual performance without a person's knowledge.
- 15 18% Decreased ability to work strenuously. May impair coordination and may induce symptoms in persons with coronary, pulmonary or circulatory problems.
- 12 15% Respiration deeper, increased pulse rate and impaired coordination, perception and judgment.
- 10 12% Further increase in rate and depth of respiration, further increase in pulse rate, performance failure, giddiness, poor judgment, blue lips.
- 8 10% Mental failure, nausea, vomiting, fainting, ashen face, blue lips.
- 6 8% Loss of consciousness within a few minutes, resuscitation possible if carried out immediately.
- 0 6% Loss of consciousness almost immediate, death ensues, brain damage even if rescued.
  - \* Health effects can vary significantly based on age, sex, weight and overall state of health.

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