Effects of CO2 Poisoning

% CO2 (ppm)

- 30% (300,000): Coma, convulsions, Death
- 10% (100,000): Impaired hearing, nausea, vomiting, loss of consciousness
- 7.5% (75,000): Headaches, dizziness, restlessness, breathlessness; increased heart rate & blood pressure; visual distortion
- 5% (50,000): Permissible Exposure Limit. Breathing becomes heavy, sweating, pulse quickens
- 3% (30,000): Shortness of breath, deep breathing
- 2% (20,000)

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