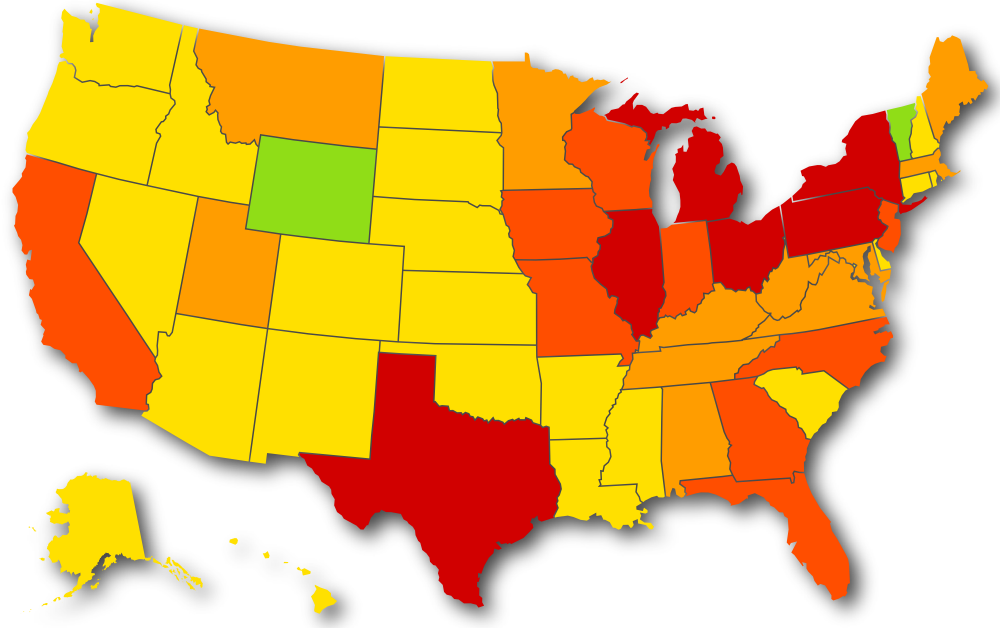


Every **3**
Days

Explosive Natural Gas Incidents in the U.S.



At least 419 incidents attributed to natural gas or propane leaks in the United States through July, 2025.

Explosive Incidents by State, 2020 – 2025

Data compiled by Concerned Citizens for Natural Gas Safety indicates that on average an explosive incident occurs every three days. Catastrophic incidents that spark the interest of the national media and federal authorities are thankfully rare, but smaller incidents that are equally traumatic to the communities they impact are accumulating at an alarming rate. These are not isolated events. Together, they reveal a dangerous pattern that demands action.

Why It Matters

- Explosions can destroy homes, businesses, and lives in seconds.
- Small incidents rarely make the news, but they devastate communities.
- Every building with gas service is at risk.
- Natural gas alarms provide critical early warning, preventing potentially devastating incidents.

A Pattern of Incidents

Across the country, similar stories are unfolding. Someone notices a faint smell of gas, there is a delay in responding, and then an explosion tears through a home or business. Whether it happens in a major city or a small town, the pattern is the same. A leak goes undetected until it is too late, and without an early warning system, the chain of events cannot be stopped.

"I don't think anyone could imagine coming home for the evening, and getting settled in, and flipping on the lights, and having your entire house blown up."

– April 2025 Lexington,
Missouri home explosion

Early detection is the difference between a safe escape and a life-changing disaster. Natural gas alarms fill a critical gap in home safety.

Let's make sure this protection is standard in every home that uses natural gas.