## **Gas Alarm Response A1: Science South**

1. When an oxygen depletion alarm sounds, the BLUE strobe in each laboratory and instrument room on the effected floor will flash and the local siren will sound.



- 2. Evacuate room immediately, do not re-enter the room until safe to do so.
- 3. Review the Gas Detection Panel located outside the laboratory.



4. Note Alarm details: Location, type, reading on Incident Record Sheet.

Gas Incident Record Sheet						
Date	Initials	Room #	Gas	Reading	Unit	Notes
19/12/2014	EM	A1.01	02	30	%v/v	CH 17 Faulty sensor. Channel disabled. QSL notified

- 5. Try to acknowledge/ accept any alarm, by pressing the cancel button on the Command Module. This will cause the Common Module audible alarm to be silenced. The icons and LEDs change from Flashing to steady. If alarm resets immediately. Log response action on incident record sheet and return to lab.
- 6. If alarm persists establish if a spill has occurred or a gas leak is possible in the laboratory.
- 7. During Office Hours Contact Science Welcome Centre 01-716 2845 to request assistance. They will act as Incident controller and complete the appropriate remedial actions.
- 8. Out of Hours please contact UCD First Response Room 01-716 7999. They will act as Incident controller and complete the appropriate remedial actions.
- 9. Do not re-enter the laboratory until instructed it's safe to do so.