

Nitrous oxide (laughing gas)

Not a laughing matter

Nitrous oxide is a drug covered by the 2016 psychoactive substances act. It is illegal to knowingly supply it for the purposes of solvent abuse and can get the supplier up to 7 years in prison, an unlimited fine or both.

It is not illegal to use but solvent abuse can cause behaviours which may lead to criminal activities and possible prosecution.

Loss of license
Prosecution
Reputation damage
Criminal record

Report anti-social behaviour to the police on **101**

To report sales of nitrous oxide contact trading standards
www.warwickshire.gov.uk/contactustradingstandards