

**CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL NECESSITY
CMS-484 — OXYGEN****DME 484.3****SECTION A: Certification Type/Date:** INITIAL ____ / ____ / ____ REVISED ____ / ____ / ____ RECERTIFICATION ____ / ____ / ____

PATIENT NAME, ADDRESS, TELEPHONE and HICN (____) ____ - ____ HICN ____		SUPPLIER NAME, ADDRESS, TELEPHONE and NSC or NPI # (____) ____ - ____ NSC or NPI # ____	
PLACE OF SERVICE	SUPPLY ITEM/SERVICE PROCEDURE CODE(S)	PT DOB ____ / ____ / ____ Sex ____ (M/F) Ht. ____ (in) Wt. ____	
NAME and ADDRESS of FACILITY if applicable (see reverse)		PHYSICIAN NAME, ADDRESS, TELEPHONE and UPIN or NPI # (____) ____ - ____ UPIN or NPI # ____	

SECTION B: Information in this Section May Not Be Completed by the Supplier of the Items/Supplies.

EST. LENGTH OF NEED (# OF MONTHS): ____ 1-99 (99=LIFETIME) DIAGNOSIS CODES: ____

ANSWERS	ANSWER QUESTIONS 1-9. (Check Y for Yes, N for No, or D for Does Not Apply, unless otherwise noted.)
a) ____ mm Hg b) ____ % c) ____ / ____ / ____	1. Enter the result of most recent test taken on or before the certification date listed in Section A. Enter (a) arterial blood gas PO ₂ and/or (b) oxygen saturation test; (c) date of test.
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3	2. Was the test in Question 1 performed (1) with the patient in a chronic stable state as an outpatient, (2) within two days prior to discharge from an inpatient facility to home, or (3) under other circumstances?
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3	3. Check the one number for the condition of the test in Question 1: (1) At Rest; (2) During Exercise; (3) During Sleep
<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> D	4. If you are ordering portable oxygen, is the patient mobile within the home? If you are not ordering portable oxygen, check D.
____ LPM	5. Enter the highest oxygen flow rate ordered for this patient in liters per minute. If less than 1 LPM, enter an "X".
a) ____ mm Hg b) ____ % c) ____ / ____ / ____	6. If greater than 4 LPM is prescribed, enter results of most recent test taken on 4 LPM. This may be an (a) arterial blood gas PO ₂ and/or (b) oxygen saturation test with patient in a chronic stable state. Enter date of test (c).

ANSWER QUESTIONS 7-9 ONLY IF PO₂ = 56-59 OR OXYGEN SATURATION = 89 IN QUESTION 1

<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	7. Does the patient have dependent edema due to congestive heart failure?
<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	8. Does the patient have cor pulmonale or pulmonary hypertension documented by P pulmonale on an EKG or by an echocardiogram, gated blood pool scan or direct pulmonary artery pressure measurement?
<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	9. Does the patient have a hematocrit greater than 56 %?

NAME OF PERSON ANSWERING SECTION B QUESTIONS, IF OTHER THAN PHYSICIAN (Please Print):

NAME _____ TITLE _____ EMPLOYER _____

SECTION C: Narrative Description of Equipment and Cost

(1) Narrative description of all items, accessories and options ordered; (2) Suppliers charge; and (3) Medicare Fee Schedule Allowance for each item, accessory, and option (see instructions on back)

SECTION D: PHYSICIAN Attestation and Signature/Date

I certify that I am the treating physician identified in Section A of this form. I have received Sections A, B and C of the Certificate of Medical Necessity (including charges for items ordered). Any statement on my letterhead attached hereto, has been reviewed and signed by me. I certify that the medical necessity information in Section B is true, accurate and complete, to the best of my knowledge, and I understand that any falsification, omission, or concealment of material fact in that section may subject me to civil or criminal liability.

PHYSICIAN'S SIGNATURE _____ DATE ____ / ____ / ____

Signature and Date Stamps Are Not Acceptable.