

# Portable Oxygen Concentrators

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# Things to keep in mind about POCs

They need a power source to charge unit

If flying, may need extra batteries.

Machines need to breathe

They do need maintenance from time to time

Average life of a POC is less than 5 years.

### Most requested units are INOGEN

- Great advertising department.
- Friendly customer service when you call.
   Patients always say they were so helpful.
- Yes, they can be your oxygen provider but there are limitations.
- Always running a "special" to have you buy now
- You don't need to buy INOGEN from INOGEN, you can buy from independent dealer.



#### INOGEN G3

- Most used model
- Typically, if getting an INOGEN from Oxygen company it is this unit



- Pulse Dose 1-4, 1-5
- Does not have continuous flow
- Weight 4.8 lbs single battery
- Weight 7.2 lbs double battery
- Estimated 4 hours with single battery (2 PD)
- Estimated 8 hours with double battery (2PD)
  - If you are using 4 PD, battery life is cut in half
    - 2 hours single
    - 4 hours double

#### INOGEN G4

Pulse Dose 1-3
Does not have continuous flow

Weight 2.8 lbs. single battery Weight 3.29 lbs. double battery

Estimated 2:15 hours with single battery (2 PD)

Estimated 4:30 hours with double battery (2PD)

- Light weight option
- Limited number of people can use device as can't deliver as much as larger units.



#### INOGEN G5

Newest model
Lighter batteries
Can go up to 6 PD
Max output for a minute is 1260ml

- Pulse Dose 1-6
- Does not have continuous flow
- Weight 4.77 lbs. single battery
- Weight 5.5 lbs. double battery
- Estimated 4:30 hours with single battery (2 PD)
- Estimated 9 hours with double battery (2PD)



### Phillips Respironics Simply Go Mini



- Pulse Dose 1-5
- Does not have continuous flow
- Weight 4.8 lbs. single battery
- Weight 6 lbs. double battery
- Estimated 4.5 hours with single battery (2 PD)
- Estimated 9 hours with double battery (2PD)
  - If you are using 4 PD, battery life is cut in half
    - 2.25 hours single
    - 4.5 hours double

# Phillips Respironics Simply Go

- Pulse Dose 1-6
- Continuous flow 0.5-2 LPM
- Weight 9 lbs.
- Estimated 3 hours with single battery (2 PD)
- Estimated 0.9 hours at continuous flow of 2 LPM



# Sequal Eclipse

- Pulse Dose 1-6, up to 9 for short periods
- Continuous flow 0.5-3 LPM
- Weight 15 lbs.
- Estimated 5.4 hours with single battery (2 PD)
- Estimated 2 hours at continuous flow of 2 LPM



#### Oxlife

Pulse Dose 1-6
Continuous flow 0.5-3 LPM
Weight 16.7 lbs.
Estimated 5.75 hours with single battery (2 PD)
Estimated 2.5 hours at continuous flow of 2 LPM



## Other options for POCs

**Precision Medical** 

Caire/Airsep

Invacare

ResMed

**DeVilbiss** 

Airsep

# If it seems too good to be true, always ask questions!

- REACH OUT TO KARLA IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS OR ARE THINKING OF BUYING A UNIT.