



FLASH: Oxygen at Home Approvals for Medicare Advantage Members with COVID-19

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Due to the [1135 Waiver](#), we have the flexibility to waive the current national and local coverage determinations that otherwise restrict coverage of the home-use of oxygen for the remainder of 2020. This change will allow practitioners the option of treating their patients with home-use of oxygen during the COVID-19 public health emergency. Unless further guidance is provided, we'll return to enforcement of these clinical indications for coverage on January 1, 2021.

Codes impacted:

- E1390** – O2 concentrator
- E1392** – O2 portable concentrator
- E0431** – portable O2 system
- K0738** – portable O2 system
- E0441** – O2 contents
- E0442** – liquid O2 contents
- E0443** – portable O2 contents
- E0444** – liquid portable O2 contents

If you have any questions, please contact your provider relations specialist. And please visit HealthAlliance.org/Coronavirus for more information on COVID-19, including questions about coverage. Thank you for all you do for the care of our members.