



How do I Obtain Oxygen and Oxygen Equipment?

Contacting a DME Supplier

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Once your Health Care Provider has prescribed a need for Durable Medical Equipment (DME) you will need to:

1. Contact a Durable Medical Equipment (DME) supplier of your choice to determine if they accept your insurance plan for the services your Provider has prescribed. A list of Medicare approved DME suppliers can be found at <http://michmed.org/e0mzg> or by searching the internet for DME's in your area (not all DME suppliers participate with Medicare). Your Provider may have a list of recommended suppliers for you to choose from.
2. The DME supplier will then contact your insurance company. If the DME supplier needs more information (example: Letter of Medical Necessities) they should contact your Provider's clinic directly.
3. When your insurance company approves, the DME supplier will set up a time and date with you to deliver your equipment and/or supplies.
4. If you have any questions regarding how to obtain DME equipment or supplies, you should contact your Provider's clinic.

What should I send to the DME supplier?

- Insurance information
- Prescription (Your clinic may be able to do this for you)

What does the clinic send to the DME supplier?

- Evidence of "Medical Necessity" (Blood Gas Study report or Hall Walk Study report)
- Face to Face documentation

(specific provider notes documented during your appointment)

Place Clinic business card/contact information here

Note: We may need you to complete authorization forms to allow the Clinic to provide medical documentation to the DME supplier.