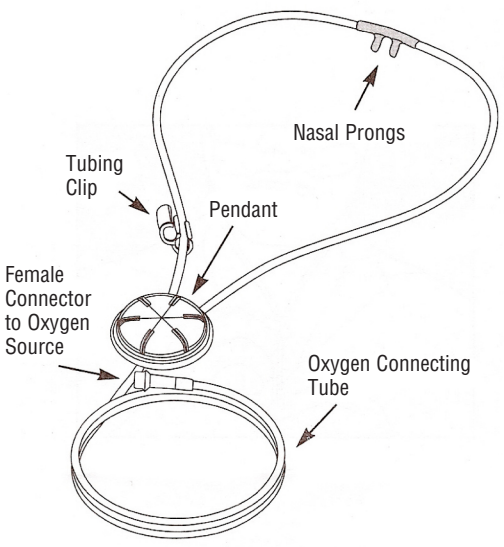
OXYMIZER® PENDANT

DISPOSABLE OXYGEN-CONSERVING DEVICES



USER DIRECTIONS:

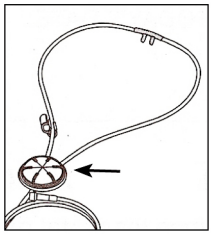
Your doctor or healthcare professional has prescribed the OXYMIZER oxygen-conserving device for you. Used properly, this device will provide you with the oxygen you need, as well as these added benefits:

- It will take a lower flow rate to get the same amount of oxygen into your body, which can be as much as 75% less (depending on the flow rate) than a standard nasal cannula.
- If you use a portable oxygen system, it will last longer and allow you to be away from your main oxygen source for a longer period of time; or, you may be able to use a smaller, lighter weight portable system.

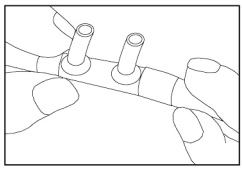
It is important that you follow your physician's instructions carefully concerning:

- How often and how long you receive oxygen from the system.
- The flow rate to use.
  (Note: The flow rate indicated for use with the OXYMIZER device may be 1/4 - 1/2 of the amount prescribed with a non-oxygen-conserving cannula.)
- When to replace your OXYMIZER device.

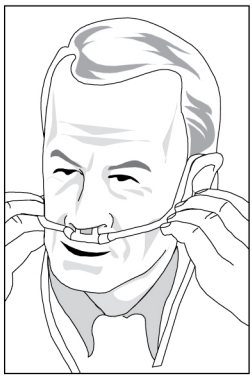
HOW TO PUT ON THE OXYMIZER PENDANT



1. Uncoil the tubing completely. Hold the device so that the front of the Pendant is facing away from you. *(Note: The front of the Pendant is designated with slots.)*

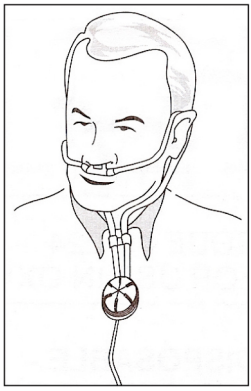


2. Position the nasal prongs so that they fit comfortably into your nostrils. The prongs should extend well into and point toward the back of your nose.



3. Position the nasal prongs and extend the tubing across your cheekbones.

4. Place the tubing around your ears and adjust each side so that you have a snug, comfortable fit.



5. Attach the tubing clip to join both sides of the cannula tubing. Slide the clip upward beneath your chin to hold the tubing in place (you may choose not to use the clip simply by removing it).

6. The Pendant portion should rest against your chest below your throat. You may want to tuck it under your shirt or blouse.

7. Connect the female connector to your oxygen source.

8. Turn on the oxygen and set the flow rate as prescribed by your doctor or health care professional. *(NOTE: The flow rate prescribed for use with this device may be 1/4-1/2 that prescribed with a non-oxygen-conserving cannula.)*

REPLACEMENT:

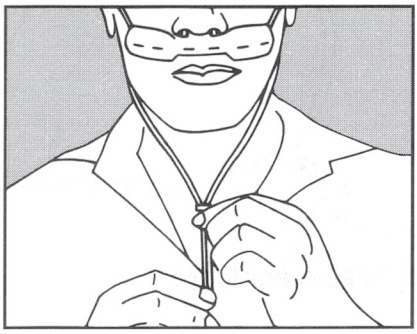
The OXYMIZER Pendant device should be replaced after approximately three weeks. More frequent replacement may be needed for cleanliness and sanitation, depending on conditions of use.

TODAY'S DATE:	REPLACE ON:

HUMIDIFICATION UNNECESSARY

Since less total oxygen is passing over the nasal mucosa, the drying effect of oxygen is significantly less and supplementary humidification can usually be eliminated. Since excessive moisture could impede the membrane action of the OXYMIZER Pendant device, use with humidifiers should be avoided.

You may also be interested in the original OXYMIZER oxygen-conserving device with the oxygen-saving mechanism contained in a facepiece, which is ideal for use at home (see illustration below).



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CODE #P-224
FOR USE IN OXYGEN THERAPY

DISPOSABLE-
FOR SINGLE PATIENT USE ONLY
DIRECTIONS FOR USE ENCLOSED

CONTENTS: One (1) OXYMIZER Pendant disposable oxygen-conserving device with curved tubular nasal prongs, six (6) feet of connecting tube, and a female connector.

Rx only

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