



### **Who can use the LifeChoice Activox?**

Patient's who require 1, 2 or 3 LPMeq of supplemental oxygen.

### **What is the difference between the Pro and Sport Models?**

The Pro Model weighs 4.3 lbs. and offers up to 12.5 hours of internal battery life. The Sport Model is a lighter version, weighing only 3.9 lbs. and offers up to 5.5 hours of internal battery life. Both models utilize PULSE-WAVE™ Delivery and provide 8 mL at 1 LPMeq, 16 mL at 2 LPMeq and 24 mL at 3 LPMeq.

### **Is the LifeChoice Activox covered by my insurance?**

Medicare and most private insurance plans will reimburse for the LifeChoice Activox. To determine if you qualify, please call your local home care provider

### **What is Auto Mode?**

Auto Mode is a feature of the LifeChoice Activox that detects changes in a patient's breathing patterns and adjusts the internal breath detection trigger accordingly. In Active-High Mode, the system will provide oxygen to address the short and frequent breath patterns which are typical for a mobile patient. In Sleep-Low Mode, the system utilizes a more sensitive breath detection trigger to identify shallow and prolonged breathing while at rest so patients stay saturated throughout the night.

### **How is PULSE-WAVE™ Delivery different than Pulse Dose Delivery?**

A PULSE-WAVE™ Delivery System provides oxygen congruent with a patient's normal inhalation rate so what is delivered, is received. In contrast, Pulse Dose Delivery is characterized by a strong initial pulse of oxygen delivered at the beginning of the inhalation period. Typically, not all of the oxygen dispersed in this initial strong pulse is received because the rate and flow of the pulse dose exceeds the inhalation rate of the patient. During sleep, this effect is exacerbated further due to a shallow inhalation rate. Furthermore, the breath trigger on many POCs utilizing Pulse Dose Delivery does not function properly during sleep because the patient's breath is too shallow to be detected.

In addition, PULSE-WAVE™ Delivery minimizes retrograde airflow so patients report fewer side effects such as nasal irritation and nose bleeds. PULSE-WAVE™ Delivery and Auto

Mode features are the reasons why the LifeChoice Activox can be used as a reliable source of oxygen during sleep unlike other POCs on the market.

#### **How long does the battery last?**

Internal battery runtime depends on the model and breath rate. The Pro Model lasts up to 12.5 hours on 1 LPMeq, 7.25 hours at 2 LPMeq and 6.25 hours at 3 LPMeq. The Sport Model lasts up to 5.5 hours at 1 LPMeq, 4 hours at 2 LPMeq and 3.25 hours at 3 LPMeq. All of these runtimes are based off of 15 breaths per minute and will vary depending on your oxygen requirements. There is an additional External Battery available (not included in the Standard Package) that offers up to 3 hours of additional runtime.

#### **What maintenance is required for the LifeChoice Activox POC?**

Virtually none. The only maintenance required is wiping the intake vent grille with a Q-tip if it appears dirty. With its durable construction, the LifeChoice Activox is designed to give years of worry-free use. Furthermore, the LifeChoice Activox comes with a 3-year limited warranty. See warranty for full details.

#### **Is there a certain nasal cannula that I have to use?**

We recommend using a standard 7 foot Salter Labs single lumen nasal cannula or equivalent. We do not recommend using a “low flow” cannula product.

#### **Can I take the LifeChoice Activox POC on an airplane?**

Yes. The LifeChoice Activox is FAA-approved for use on commercial flights. Click [here](#) to visit our Resources page where you can find helpful information on preparing to fly with your LifeChoice Activox.

#### **How much electricity does the LifeChoice Activox use?**

Very little. The power consumption is equivalent to a 40-watt light bulb.

#### **Is the LifeChoice Activox compatible with all power standards?**

Yes, the LifeChoice Activox is compatible with and runs on 110v to 240v and 50 to 60 cycles automatically.

#### **Can I charge the LifeChoice Activox in my car, RV or boat?**

Yes, the LifeChoice Activox also comes with a 12v DC adapter and charger that can be used in vehicles equipped with a standard US cigarette lighter adapter (CLA) plug.

#### **What USA government agencies approve the LifeChoice Activox for use and sale?**

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA), Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) and Medicare.

#### **What are the LifeChoice Activox’s FDA indications for use?**

The LifeChoice Activox oxygen concentrator is used on a prescriptive basis by patients who are diagnosed as requiring supplemental oxygen. This oxygen concentrator will provide supplemental, high concentration oxygen to these patients. It is not life supporting nor life sustaining. It may be used continuously in a home, institution or travel environment. The LifeChoice Activox is also portable.