



# Medical Certificate for Portable Oxygen Concentrator

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Dear Physician,

Your patient desires to use a Portable Oxygen Concentrator (“POC”) on board a Denver Air Connection aircraft for upcoming travel. In accordance with Federal Aviation Regulations, Denver Air Connection requires a physician’s verification of the customer’s medical need to use this device while traveling on a commercial aircraft. The POC may only be used in its battery-operated mode. Denver Air Connection does not have electrical outlets onboard the aircraft for commercial product use. Accordingly, please answer the questions below. After you have completed and signed this form, please return to your patient as this form must be in his or her possession and available for inspection on the day of travel.

We appreciate your time and assistance with this process.

Denver Air Connection Customer Service Department

Travel Date(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Route \_\_\_\_\_

**To be completed by the physician:**

This letter is my verification that \_\_\_\_\_ [printed passenger name] requires the use of supplementary oxygen while traveling and this requirement can be met through the use of an approved Portable Oxygen Concentrator. I further verify the following:

- The passenger’s use is medically necessary.
- The patient is capable of completing the flight safely without extraordinary medical assistance and has been advised by me to have ample charged batteries to power the POC for the length of the flight and any ground connection time where the POC will be used, plus three additional hours to cover any unexpected delays, gate holds, diversions or cancellations.
- Any change to the patient’s health that would amend the criteria listed above will require that an updated Medical Certificate for POC Use be completed.

Please check the appropriate statement below:

- POC is medically necessary during all phases of the flight, including taxi, takeoff and landing.
- POC is medically necessary only during the portion of the flight when common electronic devices are authorized by crew, which is generally after takeoff and before landing.
- POC is medically necessary intermittently during flight, but not during taxi, takeoff or landing.
- The oxygen flow rate setting for the POC is \_\_\_\_\_ liters per minute (LPM), considering the air pressure in the cabin under normal operating conditions. (Maximum cabin pressure is 8000 feet.)
- POC is not required in flight, only for walking long distances.

Physician Contact Information	
Physician’s name [please print]	State License or Registration Number
Telephone number	Fax number
Address	
City	State/country
Physician’s signature	Date

Any Portable Oxygen Concentrator (POC) brought on board must satisfy applicable FAA requirements for medical portable electronic devices (M-PED) and must display a manufacturer’s label that indicates the device meets those FAA requirements. Denver Air Connection reserves the right to deny service if your POC does not meet applicable FAA requirements.