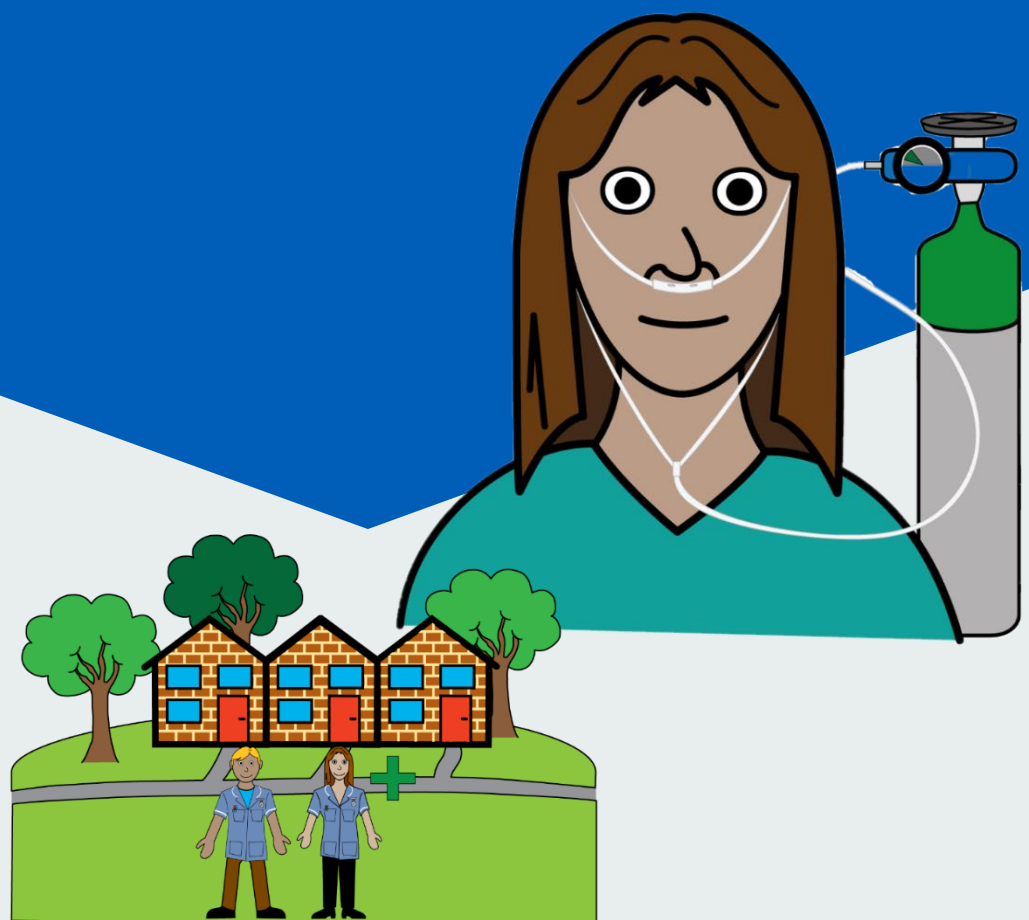


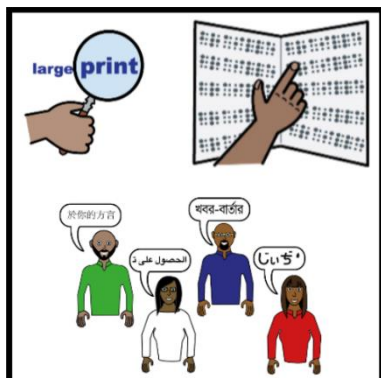
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Home Oxygen Service

Information leaflet



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This booklet uses easy words and pictures.
You might want to ask someone to help you read it.

Who are we?



We are a community based healthcare team.

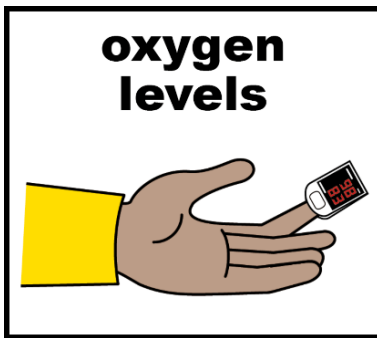


This means we will see you at your local health centre.
Sometimes we might see you at your home.

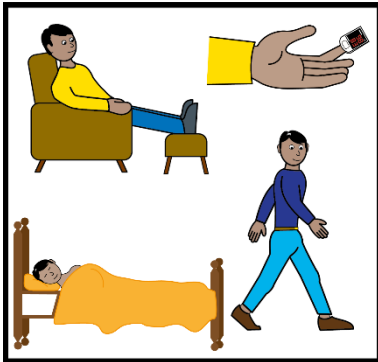


Our team is made up of nurses, physiotherapists, associate practitioners and clinical support workers.

What do we do?

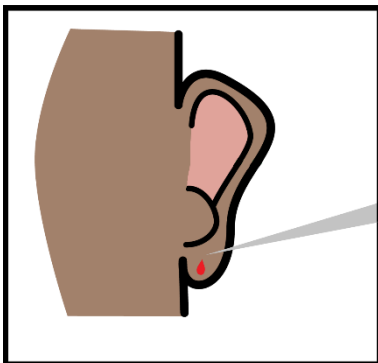


We check to see if you need oxygen. We do this by checking your oxygen levels.



We will check your oxygen levels:

- when you are resting
- when you are walking
- we might sometimes check your oxygen levels overnight (while you sleep)

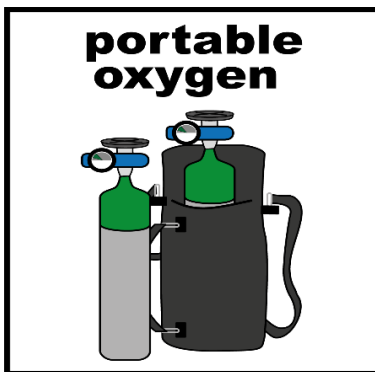


Sometimes we might take a small bit of blood from your earlobe to test your oxygen levels.

If you need home oxygen...



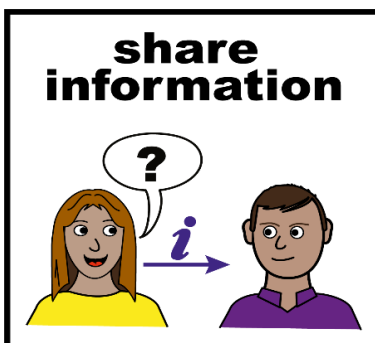
We will always check it is safe to give to you.



We will explain what oxygen equipment you need.



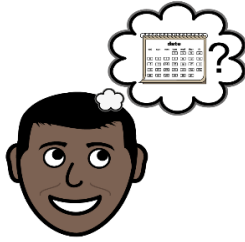
We will talk to you about how to use the equipment.



Baywater are the company who will give you your equipment.

We will tell them what you need.

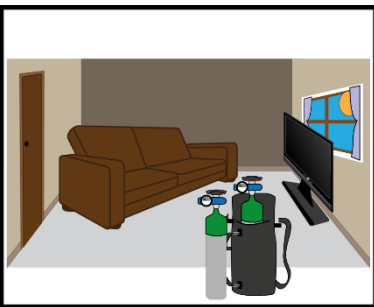
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Oxygen equipment is usually delivered to your home within a few days.

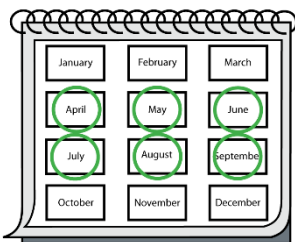


We will see you again for a follow up visit. This will be at your home.



We want to see you at home to check how you are doing with your oxygen equipment.

6 months



After this, we will see you every 6 months or sooner if needed.

oxygen levels



Each time we see you, we will check your oxygen levels to make sure everything is OK.

Our open times and contact details:



The Home Oxygen Service works:
Monday - Friday
8:30 AM – 4:30 PM



If you need to speak to someone
can:

Call 0113 8434200

Email longtermconditions@nhs.net

Other information



If you want to give feedback to someone outside the service, you can speak to the **Patient Experience Team**.

Call 0113 220 8585

Email lch.pet@nhs.net



We might ask you a few questions and keep a record of your personal details.

We may share your information with other services. We will ask you before we do this, as per the Data Protection Act 1998.