

Oxygen Safety

Use Oxygen Safely - Improper Use Can Cause a Tragedy !

If you care for someone using oxygen:

- Enforce the NO SMOKING rule for the patient and all visitors
- Remove all smoking materials from the patient's room
- Obtain medical intervention to help the patient stop smoking
- Install a smoke alarm in the patient's bedroom and living space

If you use oxygen:

- Never smoke while using oxygen
- Never use the stove or oven while using oxygen
- Never permit smoking in the same room with oxygen equipment
- Never use oxygen near an open flame such as a candle, kerosene heater, stove, or fireplace
- Always follow the manufacturer's recommendations for the care and use of oxygen equipment

Oxygen therapy can improve your life, use oxygen safely.