

I support DOT's proposal for free oxygen at airports and on airplanes. I feel it should be under the control of airport managers and be administered by them. With the new portable concentrators that can be used on planes and on the ground by simply plugging into a receptical - there is no danger of exploding (O<sub>2</sub> does not explode anyway - that has just been an excuse). If you are on O<sub>2</sub> - 24/7 - you cannot sit around without it during delays - just because we do not look ill - it is vital to our health to be furnished O<sub>2</sub>. We are well enough to travel - just cannot do it because of present regulations which are very discriminating and costly. We have enough to contend with, without the gouging prices - for a necessity that others use free - we all need O<sub>2</sub> - Thank you