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Respironics L4 Oxygen Concentrator

Premarket Notification – Special 510(k)

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510(K) SUMMARY OF SAFETY & EFFECTIVENESS

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Classification Reference	21 CFR 868.5440
Product Code	CAW – Generator, Oxygen, Portable
Common/Usual Name	Oxygen Concentrator
Proprietary Name	Respironics L4 Oxygen Concentrator
Predicate Device(s)	Respironics "Twister" Oxygen Concentrator (K972614)
Reason for submission	Modified design.

Substantial Equivalence

The modified device has the following similarities to the previously cleared predicate device:

- Same intended use.
- Same operating principle.
- Same technology.
- Same manufacturing process.

Design verification tests were performed on the Respironics L4 Oxygen Concentrator as a result of the risk analysis and product requirements. All tests were verified to meet the required acceptance criteria. Respironics has determined that the modifications have no impact on the safety and effectiveness of the device. In summary, the device described in this submission is substantially equivalent to the predicate devices.

Intended Use

The Respironics L4 Oxygen Concentrator is intended to provide supplemental oxygen to persons requiring oxygen therapy. The device is not intended to be life supporting or life sustaining.

The Respironics L4 Oxygen Concentrator is intended for use in the home or hospital/institutional environment.

Device Description

The Respironics L4 Oxygen Concentrator is a smaller and lighter medical device that produces concentrated oxygen from room air for delivery to a patient requiring oxygen therapy. Like its predicate the Respironics L4 Oxygen Concentrator uses molecular sieve and a pressure swing adsorption process to concentrate oxygen from air. The device is capable of providing oxygen flow up to 5 LPM and is offered with an optional Oxygen Percentage Indicator.

Like its predicate, the Respironics L4 Oxygen Concentrator delivers oxygen to the patient via a nasal cannula.



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Re: K061261
Trade/Device Name: L4 Oxygen Concentrator
Regulation Number: 868.5440
Regulation Name: Portable Oxygen Generator
Regulatory Class: II
Product Code: CAW
Dated: June 7, 2006
Received: June 9, 2006

Dear Ms. Yurko:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act) that do not require approval of a premarket approval application (PMA). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration.

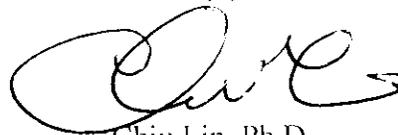
If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), it may be subject to such additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 898. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register.

Please be advised that FDA's issuance of a substantial equivalence determination does not mean that FDA has made a determination that your device complies with other requirements of the Act or any Federal statutes and regulations administered by other Federal agencies. You must comply with all the Act's requirements, including, but not limited to: registration and listing (21 CFR Part 807); labeling (21 CFR Part 801); good manufacturing practice requirements as set forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820); and if applicable, the electronic product radiation control provisions (Sections 531-542 of the Act); 21 CFR 1000-1050.

This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your Section 510(k) premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and thus, permits your device to proceed to the market.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801), please contact the Office of Compliance at (240) 276-0120. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21CFR Part 807.97). You may obtain other general information on your responsibilities under the Act from the Division of Small Manufacturers, International and Consumer Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 443-6597 or at its Internet address <http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/industry/support/index.html>.

Sincerely yours,



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Enclosure

Indications for Use

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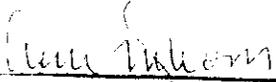
Prescription Use X
(Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

AND/OR

Over-The-Counter Use _____
(21 CFR 801 Subpart C)

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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)



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