

To a man with emphysema, a flight of stairs is Mt. Everest.



If you have emphysema or other chronic lung problems, you know what it's like to climb a flight of stairs. And you probably don't know what it's like to play a round of golf or even take a walk.

Union Carbide's Linde Division has developed a portable liquid oxygen system which many doctors prescribe for their patients.

It weighs less than 9 pounds full. Set the oxygen at the flow your doctor tells you to. And you can do many of the things you did before.

Sure, we've oversimplified the whole thing. We're not going to go on and on about all the Union Carbide technology that makes the Oxygen Walker possible.

It's just one of the things we're doing with air.

We separate and purify nitrogen, argon, neon and krypton for industry. We make liquid nitrogen systems for everything from refrigeration to surgery. We make mixtures for underwater divers.

It makes sense that if we can help a diver dive to 1000 feet, we can give a man with emphysema the air to get to the top of the stairs.



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