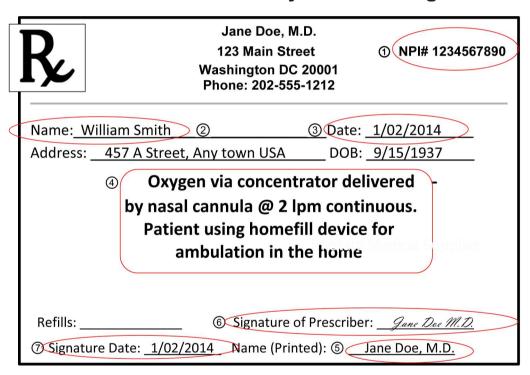
Medicare DME W.O.P.D. Rule

Written Order Prior to Delivery Requirements

Effective January 1, 2014

Per CMS & the Affordable Care Act, a detailed written order for certain DME items must be received before the delivery of an item can take place and must include minimally the following information:



Prescriber's NPI
 Beneficiary Name
 Date of Order
 DME item ordered
 Printed Physician's Name
 Signature of Prescriber
 Date of Prescriber's
Signature

There are 166 items that will require a (WOPD) Written Order Prior to Dispensing as of January 1, 2014. The list below shows the equipment that is most frequently ordered:

Oxygen	Hospital Beds	Manual Wheelchairs
 Oxygen Portable System 	 Gel Overlay 	W/C Accessories
Nebulizer	APP	Transport Chair
 Low Air Loss Mattress 		Seat Lift Mechanism
The complete list of items can be found in table 89 of the Affordable Care Act		

