

Hearing of increased number of citizens presenting to the EDs in need of filling oxygen tanks and/or plugging in their oxygen concentrators due to power loss, we would like you to please share these steps with any population that you serve that may need this information. If the citizen does not need to be seen in the ED, here are some options.:

The patient should contact their oxygen provider for refill of emergency oxygen tanks.

Cooling centers are available. Give them the location(s) in your county. A reminder of the Columbus Rec Centers with cooling center hours are below.

- The City of Columbus is opening cooling centers at five community centers, which include Barnett, Douglas, Glenwood and Marion Franklin. The hours will be 9:00am to 8:00pm. Cooling Centers will be open through Thursday, June 16th. Other rec centers will remain open and provide regular activities from 9:00am to 6:00pm.
- An American Red Cross Shelter is open at the Dodge Park Rec Center, located at 667 Sullivant Ave, Columbus, OH 43215 until Thursday, June 16th at 8:00pm (it will not close overnight). There are Air conditioning, cots and food available.

Please let us know if we can assist with any other matters.

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