CONSIDERATIONS WHEN CHOOSING AN ADAPTED STROLLER

An adapted stroller is a type of stroller designed for individuals with mobility and positioning needs. They are lightweight, compact, and fold up, making them a more transportable alternative to wheelchairs. Adapted strollers come in many types of 3 and 4 wheel models for positioning, jogging, tilting, and transit. As with wheelchairs, the model, accessories, and size needed are usually determined during a seating evaluation with a physical therapist. During this evaluation, the consumer has an opportunity to try different models and components that best meet their needs.

ADAPTED STROLLER QUESTIONS

1. Is the intended user a child or adult?
   - Child
   - Adult

2. Do you currently use an adapted stroller?
   - Yes (if known, please indicate type) _______________________________
   - No (if no, proceed to question # 9)

3. Is there a manufacturer sticker present?
   - Yes (make, model)__________________________________________________
   - No

4. Why is your current stroller no longer usable for you (broken tires, brakes, too small/big, etc.)?__________________________________________

5. What did/didn’t you like about your stroller? (Do you want to duplicate what you have or need additional features?) ________________________________________

6. Current seat width?
   Seat Width__________ inches

7. Current seat depth?
   Seat Depth__________ inches

8. Current seat to floor height?
   Seat to Floor__________ inches

9. User’s approximate height and weight?
Height___________    Weight___________

10. Do you prefer a 3 or 4 wheel model?
   □ 3 Wheel
   □ 4 Wheel
   □ No Preference

11. Do you want/need tilt and/or recline seating function?
   □ Tilt
   □ Recline
   □ Tilt and Recline

12. Do you want/need a head support?
   □ Yes
   □ No

13. Do you want/need lateral thigh supports?
   □ Yes
   □ No

14. Do you want/need foot positioners?
   □ Yes
   □ No

15. Do you want/need a tray?
   □ Yes
   □ No

16. Do you want/need a torso vest?
   □ Yes
   □ No

17. Do you want/need an umbrella?
   □ Yes
   □ No

18. Do you want/need a transit option?
   □ Yes
   □ No

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