Amtryke Assessment Form

		(Must be	e filled out complet	ely by therapist)		
Recipient's Name: Age: Weight (Diagnosis(es):*		Weight (lbs.):*	.):*		Height (inches):*	
Diagnosis	es):"	*This private informa	ation is only used to h	nelp appropriately fit the ric	der.	
	RIDE	R'S MEASUREME	NTS		A Center of Shoulder	
Arm Mea	asurements (inc	hes)	Total Lo	ength C	B Center of Elbow	
Left	A to B:	B to C:		A	C Center of Digit Crease	
Right	A to B:	B to C:			D Center of Hip	
Trunk	A to D:				E Center of Knee F Bottom of Foot	
Leg Mea	surements (inch	nes)	Total Lo	ength E D		
Left	D to E:	E to F:			Arm Length & Leg	
Right	D to E:	E to F:		F	Length Measurements	
	1		L La	Imet Sizing	are critical to correct Amtryke Selection	
Notes on	Provided Measu	irements (if any):		Measurement	Sizing Chart is	
			Size	(head circumference)	available online:	
			Toddler (XS)	17.7" – 19.3"	www.ambucs.org/riders	
			Child (S)	20.5" – 21.7"	/wish-list/sizing-chart/	
			Youth (L)	20.9" – 22.4"		
			Adult (XL)	22.4" – 23.6"		
Therapist I	Name:		Is th	is the treating therapist?	□ Yes □ No	
Credential	s:					
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		Evaluation Site?	•	□ Not Sure	_ State: zip:	
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Therapist	comments conc	erning recipient or go	als:			
This reque	st/assessment is	directed to:				
	Local AMBUCS C	hapter Name:				
		st (AMBUCS Resource	Center)			
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	_	rying that in your professi	onal opinion this rider	would benefit from an Amtr		
Therapist	Signature:				Date:	
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Name/Fa	· -		-	Phon	e:	
Street Ad	dress:					
City:				State	: Zip:	

Recipient's Name:		

Thanks for choosing an Amtryke adaptive tricycle!

In order to accommodate the widest variety of people, Amtryke offers many tryke models and each can be customized in a variety of ways. Following the steps below will help you choose to the perfect tryke for your client from what might seem like a dizzying array of options.

Remember you can always refer to our website, <u>www.amtrykestore.org</u>, or the Amtryke catalogue for more information and product images.

- **Step 1:** Fill out the first page of the Amtryke Assessment Form.
- **Step 2:** Choose the way the tryke will be propelled: **Hand & Foot, Foot,** or **Hand**. Your choice should be based on the rider's ability and therapy goals.

Hand & Foot trykes improve coordination, strength and range of motion. Using all four extremities helps with weakness in any area, even general weakness, and can positively affect tone.

Foot trykes were developed in response to requests from therapists for a traditional tricycle for riders with special needs.

Hand trykes are designed for persons whose lower limbs lack function or those who need special therapy for the upper extremity.

- **Step 3:** Take rider's measurements from the front of this Assessment Form and compare them to our Sizing Chart. (This will narrow the choices considerably)
- **Step 4:** Choose a drive. (If it doesn't mention a choice, then ignore this step.)

Amtrykes come with two drive possibilities: **fixed** drive or **geared** drive. Tryke models have been carefully designed so the drive matches the therapeutic goals of the equipment; therefore all drives are not available on all trykes.

A **fixed** drive, commonly known as a 'fixie,' works on a mechanical level to help individuals make a full pedal rotation. The foot crank is constantly in motion for full therapeutic effect. Coasting is not possible with a positive drive; when limb motion stops, the bike does as well.

Riders of **geared** drive trykes must be able to make a complete pedal rotation on their own. This tryke is suitable for riders who need help with balance and a stable sitting position and who have the cognitive ability to steer successfully and apply the coaster brake or hand brake. The key feature of geared trykes is the ability to coast.

Step 5: Chose any adaptations and/or accessories needed by the rider. Each tryke model can only be customized in the ways noted in its own model section in the Tryke Selection Forms or with the generic accessories listed below. If a customization option is not listed, it is because of design or other practical constraints in offering it on a particular model.

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