Australian Government

Department of Veterans' Affairs

Use this form for requesting 3 month trials of the following equipment:

- AP31 Knee Walker and Scooter Trial
- AV18 Stationary Exercise Bike Trial.

If your client requires the equipment for **longer than 3 months** please complete **RAP Mobility and Functional Support Products** – D0992 order form available from

https://www.dva.gov.au/about-us/dva-forms/mobility-functional-support-mfs-products-order-form

Important: The Department of Veterans' Affairs (DVA) **does not** supply equipment for general fitness. Exercise bikes will **only** be supplied:

- where the client is required to:
 - increase cardio-vascular fitness prior to surgery
 - reduce weight prior to surgery
- as a rehabilitation aid following surgery (e.g. post knee surgery).

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No duplication of government funded services

It is the responsibility of the requesting health provider to check the client is not accessing the same service/aid/appliance or home modification through more than one government service e.g. National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS), Commonwealth Home Care packages and RAP.

| | Prescriber's details | |
|---|-------------------------|---|
| 1 | Prescriber type | Physiotherapist Exercise Physiologist Chiropractor Osteopath GP/LMO |
| | | Other Please specify |
| | | |
| 2 | Provider's name | |
| 3 | Provider number | |
| 4 | Provider's organisation | |
| 5 | Address | POSTCODE |
| | | |
| 6 | Contact number | [] Mobile |
| 7 | Email | |

| | Client's details | |
|----|---|---|
| 8 | Surname | |
| 9 | Given name(s) | |
| 10 | Date of birth | |
| 11 | DVA file number | |
| 12 | Veteran Card type | Gold White → Please contact DVA on 1800 550 457 or <u>RAPGeneralEnquiries@dva.gov.au</u> to check eligibility under the client's Accepted Condition/s. |
| | Prescription | |
| 13 | Equipment required | |
| 14 | Purpose of the equipment Note : DVA does not supply equipment for general fitness. | To increase cardio-vascular fitness prior to surgery To reduce weight prior to surgery As a rehabilitation aid following surgery |
| 15 | List the clinical needs to be addressed by the equipment requested | |
| 16 | Outline the functional goals that have been achieved to date | |
| 17 | Outline the functional goals that you expect to be achieved with the equipment. | |
| 18 | Supplier choice | Aidacare Allianz BrightSky Country Care Group |

| | Safety | | | |
|----|----------------------|---|--------------------------------|-----|
| 19 | Knee walker/scooters | Can the client use the equipment safely? | No | Yes |
| | | Is the client at risk of skin tears? | No | Yes |
| 20 | Exercise bikes | Can the client independently mount the exercise bike safely? | No | Yes |
| | | Is the client at risk of skin tears? | No | Yes |
| | | Can the client reliably monitor level of exertion whilst exercising? | No | Yes |
| | | Is the client using the exercise bike safely? | No | Yes |
| | | Do your records contain the mandatory medical certificate from the client's GP/Specialist stating that it is medically safe for the client to use an exercise bike as part of an independent home exercise program? | No 📃 | Yes |
| | | This certificate is mandatory and should include: 1. The client's current and past medical conditions and medical conditions and medical conditions and medical conditions and the GP/Specialist as follows – "I certify name) has a stable cardiovascular system and is medicated an independent exercise program using an exercise bike" | that (insert ally safe to u | |

Signature

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DVA Rehabilitation Appliances Program

Date

Contracted Suppliers of Trial Equipment

| Supplier | Phone | FAX - General | Email |
|---------------------------|--------------|---------------|-------------------------------|
| Aidacare | 1300 888 052 | 1300 787 052 | dva@aidacare.com.au |
| Allianz Global Assistance | 1800 857 715 | 1800 653 556 | mfs@allianz-assistance.com.au |
| BrightSky | 1300 799 243 | 1300 799 253 | mfs.orders@brightsky.com.au |
| The Country Care Group | 1800 727 382 | 1800 329 382 | dva@country-care.com.au |

Prescribers are reminded that the choice of supplier is theirs.

The alphabetical listing above is for administrative ease only.