HOSPITAL DIRECT EQUIPMENT ORDER FORM



Important notes

- Any equipment ordered is for use as an outpatient only
- The hospital is responsible for ordering and paying for equipment used during an inpatient stay
- Please consider purchasing equipment if costs are under \$300.00
- Public hospitals are responsible for paying for all hire/purchase of equipment in the first 30 days after discharge
- The TAC is unable to consider an equipment order form that is incomplete. This form must contain the following information:
 - all fields must be completed in the client details section (section 1)
 - level of urgency (section 5)
 - delivery details (section 2)
 - therapist contact details (section 4)
 - for hire items: identified length of time equipment hire is required (section 7)
 - details of customisation, where required (section 8)
- The equipment in 'Equipment supply details' (section 6) is commonly required to ensure a patient's safe discharge. Requests for equipment that are not on this list must be sent to the TAC in writing. Please do not use this form to order equipment that is not listed in section 6.

- Time-frames for the TACto supply discharge equipment are based on business hours from the date the order is received. Before selecting the level of urgency, please consider the patient's home location, any installation needs and the effect of weekends and public holidays
- Urgency levels and time-frames do not apply for customised orders
- You should submit this form as soon as possible before discharge
- Refer to the notes page for assistance with completing this form.

How to order equipment

Send this form to one of the following TAC Equipment Contractors:

Independence Australia

Phone: 1800 625 530

Email: tac@mobilityaids.com.au www.independenceaustralia.com.au

www.mobilityaids.com.au

Aidacare

Phone: 9384 1846

Email: tac@aidcare.com.au www.aidacare.com.au

Country Care Group

Phone: 1800 843 224

Email: contracts@countrycaregroup.com.au

www.countrycaregroup.com.au

1. Client details		
Name	Claim number	
Address	Date of birth	Date of accident
Post code	Telephone number (home)	Mobile number
2. Delivery details Only complete this section	if different from the client det	ails in section 1
Delivery address	Delivery contact name	
	Contact telephone number	
Post code		



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3. Order details	4. Therapist details	S
Date and time this order was lodged with the TAC Equipment Contractor	Therapist name	
Date: / / Time:		
Name of hospital	Telephone number	Fax number
Proposed discharge time and date	Email	
on / /		
 Level 3: 3-10 business days. Date required by: / be met) Level 2: 8-16 business hours*. A Level 2 order is only to be Level 1: within 8 business hours*. A Level 1 order is only to 	submitted if the patient's safety of	
Provide clinical justification for level 1 and 2 orders as to why the Requests that do not provide this information will not be considered		sk or compromised upon discharge
Customised equipment. Supplier will notify the therapist of to	ne expected delivery date.	
* Note: Business hours are Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm.		

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6. Equipment request details
NOTE: Please use the *TAC Equipment List* code when selecting equipment from this list

Product description please tick	Dimensions, product size and specifications	Equipment list code
Hygiene category		
Bath board	Specify:	
Swivel Bath Seat	Specify:	
Bath transfer bench	☐ Back rest Rail ☐ Left ☐ Right ☐ Leg Extensions	
☐ Shower stool	Adjustable With arms Bariatric	
☐ Shower chair	Adjustable With arms Swivel Bariatric	
☐ Shower chair accessories	Specify:	
Over-toilet surround (frame only)	Specify:	
Over-toilet frame	Seat height available (49cm – 65cm) <i>specify size</i> Bariatric Splash guard Adjustable	
☐ Toilet seat raiser	50mm 100mm 150mm with lid with arms	
Commode chair	☐ Bedside ☐ Bariatric ☐ Attendant-propelled ☐ Pan and lid included ☐ Pan carrier ☐ Retractable arms ☐ Leg extension - Left ☐ Right ☐ Foldable/sliding foot plate - Left ☐ Right ☐	
☐ Urinals ☐ Male ☐ Female	Standard Non-spill Urinal bottle holder	
Personal hygiene	☐ Sponge ☐ Toe wiper ☐ Brush/comb	
Shower hose – push on self-install	☐ Single 1.25m ☐ Single 2m ☐ Double 1.25m ☐ Double 2m	
☐ Non-slip mats	Shower mat Bath mat	
Requires installation	Specify installation details:	
Other HDEL items	Specify:	
Bedding category	Dimensions, product size and specifications	Equipment list code
☐ Foam mattresses	Low-risk Pressure care	
☐ Bed raisers/blocks	☐ 40mm ☐ 100mm ☐ 140mm	
☐ Bed sticks	☐ Single bed ☐ Double bed ☐ Left ☐ Right ☐ Both sides ☐ With return	
Bed cradle	Specify:	
Pillows	Specify:	
☐ Back supports/rests	Specify:	
Over-bed or over-chair table	Specify:	
Medical sheepskin	Specify:	
Requires installation	Specify installation details:	
Other HDEL items	Specify:	



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Seating category	Dimensions, product size and specifications	Equipment list code
Day Chairs Adjustable height	Low back High back Medium back Bariatric	
Stool Adjustable height	☐ Kitchen ☐ With arms ☐ No arms specify height	
☐ Foot stool/ leg rest	Adjustable 125mm Adjustable 200mm	
☐ Back and neck supports	Specify:	
☐ Chair raisers	□40mm □ 100mm □ 140mm	
Cushions (under \$500)	Specify:	
Other Equipment List items	Specify:	
Household aids category	Dimensions, product size and specifications	Equipment list code
☐ Household cleaning	Sweepers Vacuum cleaners Mops Dusters Other, specify:	
☐ Kitchen/ food trolley	☐ Wooden tray ☐ Plastic tray ☐ Laundry trolley specify height :	
Reaching aids	Reaching aids short (<60cm) Reaching aids standard (55-70cm) Reaching aids medium (70-89cm) Reaching aids long (+90cm)	
Adaptive kitchens aids	☐ Jar-opener ☐ Bottle-opener ☐ Can opener ☐ Food preparation system	
Other Equipment List items	Specify:	
Eating and drinking aids category	Dimensions, product size and specifications	Equipment list code
☐ Eating and drinking	☐ Bowl ☐ Plate ☐ Cup	
Adaptive cutlery	☐ Fork ☐ Knife ☐ Spoon	
☐ Non-slip mats (Dycem)	☐ Rectangular ☐ Round ☐ Large	
Other Equipment List items	Specify:	
Clothing and dressing aids category	Dimensions, product size and specifications	Equipment list code
☐ Dressing/stocking aids	☐ Sock/stocking donner ☐ Elastic shoe laces ☐ Shoe horn ☐ Button hook ☐ Other, specify:	
Compression garments	☐ Closed toe ☐ Open toe ☐ Thigh length ☐ Socks ☐ Gloves	
Cast/dressing protector	☐ Upper limb ☐ Lower limb ☐ Short ☐ Long	
Other Equipment List items	Specify:	
Building fixtures category	Dimensions, product size and specifications	Equipment list code
Rails (includes installation)	Specify rail details:	
*Orders without home visit diagrams will not be considered	Location: Indoors Outdoors Bath tub Shower recess Steps	
Ramps/platform steps (includes installation)	Specify ramp/platform step details:	
*Orders without home visit diagrams will not be considered	Location:	



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Walking and mobility aids category	Dimensions, product size and specifications	Equipment list code
☐ Walking/pick-up frame	Specify:	
	2-wheel 3-wheel 4-wheel	
Axilla/underarm crutches	Specify:	
Gutter frame / crutch	Specify:	
Adjustable elbow/forearm crutches	Specify:	
☐ Walking stick adjustable	Specify:	
Accessories for above:	Specify:	
Other Equipment List items	Specify:	
Lifting and transfer category	Dimensions, product size and specifications	Equipment list code
☐ Transfer belt	Specify:	
☐ Transfer board	Specify:	
Swivel transfer aids	Specify:	
Transfer pads, sheets and tubes:	Specify:	
Small stock category	Dimensions, product size and specifications	Equipment list code
☐ Theraband	Colour :	
☐ Hand Putty	Colour :	
Digiflex	Colour:	
☐ Braces and supports	Specify:	
Scar management	☐ Kelo-cote scar gel 6g ☐ Mepiform 4cm X 30cm ☐ Mini massager	
Other Equipment List items	Specify:	

Refer to the TAC website for the Equipment Policy and Equipment Contractor Equipment Lists.

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7. Hire items

NOTE: Items under \$300.00 should be co	onsidered for purchase. Victorian Public Hospitals are exempt.	
Hire period:	als – 30 days post-discharge date only	
Specify 2 weeks 4 weeks	6 weeks 8 weeks other	
Hire period start date / /	Hire period end date / /	
Product description please tick	Dimensions, product size, specifications	Equipment supplier code
Wheelchair standard/manual hire onl	Standard (18") Amputee setting Bariatric Other width (12"-20") Specify:	
Wheelchair accessories hire only	☐ Elevating leg rest ☐ Left ☐ Right ☐ Arm rests ☐ Removable ☐ Full-length ☐ Stump support	
☐ Knee scooter hire only☐ Mobile shower commode hire only	Specify: Self-propel Attendant-propel Bariatric specify: Foot plate/leg extension = Left Right	
Portable ramps hire only	Type: Length:	
Chair – adjustable hire only	Type: Bariatric	
Pressure cushion hire only	Jay Easy - size:	
Other HDEL items	Specify:	
8. Customised equipment - NOTE: Customised equipment that exceet the client/worker's Claim Manager.	- up to \$500.00 per item eds \$500.00 cannot be ordered on this form. Approval for these items mu	st be obtained from
Product description (brand, code)	imensions, size specifications, client requirements	

9. Personal and Health Information

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The TAC will retain the information provided and may use or disclose it to make further inquiries or assist in the ongoing management of the claim or any claim for common law damages. The TAC may also be required by law to disclose this information. Without this information the TAC may be unable to determine entitlements or assess whether treatment is reasonable and may not be able to approve further benefits and treatment. If you require further information about our privacy policy, please call the TAC on 1300 654 329 or visit our website at www.tac.vic.gov.au

