Adapting Tricycles for Children with Cerebral Palsy

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Tricycle	Features	Vendor/Availability	Considerations
AmTryke Therapeutic Tricycle	 Continuous chain mechanism for hand and foot pedals Steering lock pin for graduated steering:forward, 20 degrees left/right, free steering Four-way adjustable seating frame with large knobs for easy adjustment Saddle seat with curved backrest and straps for trunk support Pedals with footstraps or separate heel cups available Locking parking lever 	www.ambucs.org 1-888-AMTRYKE x14 COST: \$632, including S/H *Funding options exist to receive financial assistance or be placed on a national waitlist for a donated bicycle	 Minimum height 41" to ride large model Best suitable for GMFCS levels II and III Best fits children reliant on upper extremities for support and mobility Good supportive seating system for those with poor trunk stability
Worksman Port-O-Tryke Deluxe and Junior	 Quick-fold folding frame to a 30x30x29.5" cube Wide padded seat and junior high-rise handlebars. Quick-adjust adjustable handlebar stem and seat post One or 3-speed gears available with front hand brakes Locking parking lever Worksman Jr.: Compact adolescent trike. Same as Deluxe Port-O-Trike but frame height is 2" shorter and cranks are set closer to the seat 	www.worksmancycles.com 1-888-3WHEELER. If outside of the USA, call 1-718-322-2000 COST: \$299, free S/H *Also available at: www.walmart.com "Trifecta Single Speed Adult Folding Tricycle" COST: \$339 with S/H	 Deluxe: Minimum height 52" to ride Best suitable for GMFCS levels I and II Ideal for those with limited storage space Junior: Best for riders shorter than 50" Best suitable for GMFCS levels I and II
Trailmate EZ Roll Regal	 Unique mid-back tractor style seat with high-rise handlebars for comfort and control on an adjustable frame Recumbent style seat/pedal orientation Optional hand or foot brakes depending on 1 or 3-speed selection Locking parking lever 	www.trailmate.com 1-800-777-1034 COST: \$577.78	 Minimum height 52" to ride Best suitable for GMFCS levels II or III Large seat base with mid back support is ideal for those with poor trunk strength and stability Recumbent pedal orientation may benefit those with poor trunk stability

Trailmate Jr. Joyrider	 Step-through design with swing-away handlebars Adjustable molded seat with seatbelt, hand brake, and parking lock Recumbent style seat/pedal orientation Optional foot plates with straps Locking parking lever 	www.trailmate.com 1-800-777-1034 COST: \$496.95	 Maximum height 48" and weight capacity of 150 lbs to ride Best suitable for small riders, GMFCS levels II or III Recumbent pedal orientation may benefit those with poor trunk stability
Miami Sun 20"Adult Tricycle	 Low step through height with forward positioned crankset Pedals oriented in front of the rider to provide a comfortable riding position Large, western style saddle seat offering trunk and pelvic stability Optional hand or foot brakes depending on 1 or 3-speed selection Locking parking lever 	www.helenscycles.com locations throughout Southern California COST: \$409.99-\$499.99, depending on individual vendor's price for 1 vs. 3 speed	 Minimum height 55" to ride Best suitable for GMFCS levels I or II Saddle seat may not work well for higher functioning kids; likely to benefit those with fair to poor trunk stability Use of 1 vs. 3-speed may depend on selective motor control
Accessories	Features	Vendor/Availability	Considerations
Footcups with straps	 Designed to fit on open pedals so that flat head screws can firmly attach plate to pedals Maintains foot position with adjustable velcro straps for easier limb movement Large footcups will fit up to a 12" shoe size, with a length of 6 ½" and width of 5" at the toe and 4" at the heel 	www.ambucs.org 1-888-AMTRYKE x14 COST: \$60 S/H not included *Funding options exist in association with a bicycle purchase	 Best suitable for GMFCS levels I, II, or III Need to consider benefits vs. restrictions if high functioning
Miscellaneous	Toe clips: secures feet on pedals with minimal restrictions for increased pedaling	Toe clips: available at most bicycle stores and the internet	Toe clips: appropriate for high functioning kids