

Wheelchair Skills Test (WST) Version 4.2 Form
Manual Wheelchairs Operated by Their Users

Name of wheelchair user: _____

Tester: _____ Date: _____

#	Individual Skill	Capacity Score* (0-2)	Training Goal? (Y/N)	Comments
1	Rolls forwards (10 m)			
2	Rolls backwards (2 m)			
3	Turns while moving forwards (90°)			
4	Turns while moving backwards (90°)			
5	Turns in place (180°)			
6	Maneuvers sideways (0.5 m)			
7	Gets through hinged door			
8	Reaches high object (1.5 m)			
9	Picks object up from floor			
10	Relieves weight from buttocks (3 sec)			
11	Transfers to and from bench			
12	Folds and unfolds wheelchair			
13	Rolls 100 m			
14	Avoids moving obstacles			
15	Ascends 5° incline			
16	Descends 5° incline			
17	Ascends 10° incline			
18	Descends 10° incline			
19	Rolls across side-slope (5°)			
20	Rolls on soft surface (2 m)			
21	Gets over gap (15 cm)			
22	Gets over threshold (2 cm)			
23	Ascends low curb (5 cm)			
24	Descends low curb (5 cm)			
25	Ascends curb (15 cm)			
26	Descends curb (15 cm)			
27	Performs stationary wheelie (30 sec)			
28	Turns in place in wheelie position (180°)			
29	Descends 10° incline in wheelie position			
30	Descends curb in wheelie position (15 cm)			
31	Gets from ground into wheelchair			
32	Descends stairs			
Total score:*		%		

* See score options and formula for calculating total score on page 2

Comments:

Training goals:

Person (if any) and address to whom the test subject would like a copy of the report to be sent:

Scoring Options for Individual Skills

Score	Score	What this means
Pass	2	Task independently and safely accomplished without any difficulty.
Pass with difficulty	1	The evaluation criteria are met, but the subject experienced some difficulty worthy of note.
Fail	0	Task incomplete or unsafe.
Not possible	NP	My wheelchair does not allow this skill. (Only for skills where a NP score is noted as a possibility in the script.)
Testing error	TE	Testing of the skill was not sufficiently well observed to provide a score

Formula for Calculating Total Scores

Total Capacity Score = $\frac{\text{sum of individual capacity scores}}{[32 - \# \text{ of NP and TE scores}] \times 2} \times 100\%$

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