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Assistance for Orthotic Patients

Insurance Options

Medicare

A federal run program for individuals over 65 or on social security disability.

www.medicare.gov

800.633.4227

Medicaid

A state run program based on income. Requirements vary by state.

<http://medicaid.gov/>

877.267.2323

VA Hospital

For veterans or active duty military.

www.va.gov

800.827.1000

Private Insurance

Insurance companies are no longer able to deny coverage due to pre-existing conditions. Income-based subsidies are available.

www.healthcare.gov

800.318.2596

Challenged Athletes Foundation

This non-profit provides funding for specialized sports prosthetics, equipment, training, clinics and mentoring.

<http://www.challengedathletes.org>

Easter Seals

A leading non-profit provider of services for individuals with disabilities, funded by a variety of state and federal programs. Easter Seals also helps individuals contact their state's Vocational Rehabilitation office and other government assistance programs.

<http://www.easterseals.com/our-programs/employment-training/pay-job-training.html>

F.R.E.E. Foundation for Rehabilitation Equipment and Endowment

A non-profit that provides mobility rehabilitation equipment to help people regain their mobility and independence. F.R.E.E. collects, sanitizes, repairs and gifts donated mobility equipment to uninsured and underinsured adults in Virginia.

<http://www.free-foundation.org/>

National MS Society

A network of 50-state chapters that provide grants for orthotics needed for the treatment of Multiple Sclerosis.

<http://www.nationalmssociety.org>

Post Polio Health

This non-profit organization provides orthotic funding for polio-related conditions. Email Brian Tiburzi at info@post-polio.org for an application.

<http://www.post-polio.org>

Project Mend

A non-profit organization that assists for funding of orthotic devices, diabetic shoes and cranial helmets for low-income residents of south Texas.

<http://www.projectmend.org/>

State Vocational Rehabilitation Agencies

Each state-run Vocational Rehabilitation Agency provides funding for devices and training to disabled individuals trying to return to work. For more information about the programs and services provided near you, select your state from the link below.

http://wdcrobcolp01.ed.gov/Programs/EROD/org_list.cfm?category_cd=SVR

United Cerebral Palsy (UCP)

A non-profit organization that provides funds and resources to individuals with disabilities for assistive technology equipment.

<http://ucp.org/resources/resource-guide/>