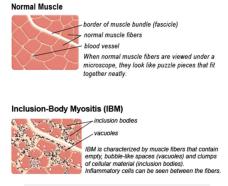
#### **Jasmine**

- Inclusion Body Myositis (IBM)
  - Myo: muscle / itis: inflammation
  - inflammatory condition of muscles or associated tissues that causes weakness
  - Clumps of discarded cellular material accumulates in muscle tissues
  - Weakness found in muscles of wrist, fingers, upper thigh, muscle that lift foot
  - Onset typically after 50 years old



Muscular Dystrophy Association Inc. 2017

## **Current Transfer Assistive Devices**

SystemRoMedic - FlexiGrip

https://www.handicare.com/en/products//transfer-and-lifting/sittostand-aids/systemromedic-flexigrip/c-39/c-204/p-288

- Used for individuals who have difficulty getting out of bed
  - Do we want to focus exclusively on process of sitting up out of chair?
- User gradually pulls themselves up from lying to sitting position
- Strengthens arm and and stomach muscles of user
- FlexiGrip attached to bed and user grips handles

# SystemRoMedic - ReTurn7500i

https://www.handicare.com/en/products//transfer-and-lifting/sittostand-aids/systemromedic-return7500i-/c-39/c-204/p-293

- Aids in sit to stand, especially for those in wheelchair
- User can grip onto handles and use rising ladder to climb their hands up
- Plate on floor locks, but probably needs another individual to unlock it once individual is standing
- Slightly big and bulky, but provides knee pad support and can easily be adapted for different users
- Multiple uses: bed to wheelchair, rising to sitting, positioning within a chair

Prism Medical - SA 400 Sit to Stand Lift

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v= xVpPebkj9E

Important need: transitions without reliance on another individual

### Yoonbo

## We need to understand wheelchair, not focusing on the solution ONLY.

- Wheelchair (manual wheel chair & power wheelchair)
- Advantages and Disadvantages of Wheelchair
  - Manual wheelchair (+): cheap, portable
  - Manual wheelchair (-): muscles pain
  - Power wheelchair (+): safe, easy, and comfortable
  - Power wheelchair (-): expensive, not easily carried
- Wheel chair measurement -

https://www.quickie-wheelchairs.com/info/measuring-guide?utm\_content=buffer3f8b8&utm\_edium=social&utm\_source=pinterest.com&utm\_campaign=buffer

### **Current Transfer Assistive Devices**

Karman Power Assisted Stand-Up Manual Wheelchair -

https://medmartonline.com/xo-101n-9468?utm\_source=google\_shopping&utm\_medium =cpc&utm\_source=adwords&utm\_campaign=ecom+shopping+high+margin&utm\_conte nt=money+makers&gclid=CjwKCAjwyIHPBRAIEiwAHPS-GEVd7OsLeQKOzJKm6DSkER-tJKZRS5Lkgfl-9I6-vbfOd952uJ0chxoCzpYQAvD\_BwE

- Price \$6.500
- Lift up the wheelchair automatically

# Purdue ME research -

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vtf6l4JDZTQ

- Engaging Break
- Extend Armrests
- Lock Crossbar
- Deploy Scissor Mechanism
- Activate Seat Lift
- Remove Walker

## Current Problem:

- She currently uses her **Freedom Chair** to lift her into a standing posture. How? When?
- Leg weakness

# Hyeongju Choi

Gas spring to slow down her sitting from standing.
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4WNrAm6RGUo

- This video shows how gas spring can slows down her sitting down from standing Instead of falling or plopping
  - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UHgy\_bziA3Y
- The pressure is adjustable so we can slow down as slow as she wants <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v="6dvFjHR4mA">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=</a> 6dvFjHR4mA
- Website that sells gas springs (customizable and sells gas springs up to 23 inch tall)
  - http://www.indgassprings.com/how-gas-springs-work.html