

Manual Wheelchair Comparison Chart

	Standard	Standard Hemi Height	Lightweight	High-Strength Lightweight	Tilt-in-Space	Ultra Lightweight
Equipment Category:	DME	DME	DME	DME	CRT	CRT
Medicare Code:	K0001	K0002	K0003	K0004	E1161	K0005
Meant for long-term sitting?	No	No	No	Only w/ appropriate configuration	Yes	Yes
Dimensions:						
Wheelchair weight without legrests	>35 lbs	>35 lbs	33 - 35 lbs	30 - 34 lbs	>45 lbs	<30 lbs
Seat width: standard	16", 18", 20"	16", 18", 20"	16", 18", 20"	16", 18", 20", 22"	15" - 19"	Customizable
Seat depth: standard	16"	16"	16", 18"	16", 18", 20"	15" - 19"	Customizable
Weight capacity	300 lbs	300 lbs	300 lbs	300 lbs	300 lbs	Customizable
Back height	18"	18"	18"	16" to 20"	25"	Customizable
Lowest achievable seat-to-floor height	21"	19"	17"	13.5" (most 14.5")	12"	Customizable
Adjustability to accommodate for postural abnormality:						
Arm rest height	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Back height	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Seat-to-back angle	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Ability to create a fixed tilt	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Seat-to-floor height (STFH)	No	Hemi height only	Yes	Yes	12" - 21"	Yes
Legrest options:						
Standard, elevating (ELR), & swing-away	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes + more

Heavy duty wheelchairs

DME K0006-K0007

Same structure and features as K0001-K0003 MWCs, but reinforced for greater weight capacity.

Note

This chart is for reference purposes only.

Wheelchair features vary according to manufacturer and model.