

## **Quebec Funding Guide**



Hello there,

Our team put together this guide to assist some of our families in applying for coverage or partial coverage for the Levity device.

## STEP 1: RAMQ

To be eligible for the program, you must have a physical disability and a valid health insurance card (RAMQ). You must also <u>meet the conditions</u> associated with the device you need.

You must visit an <u>authorized public rehabilitation center</u> to obtain assistance with mobility, posture, or verticalization.

Your child's physical therapist at one of these centers will:

- Assess your child's mobility and functional needs
- Determine if a pediatric gait trainer is the right solution
- Choose an appropriate model that RAMQ covers. If the selected model is not on the list, it is possible to request for special consideration.

If your child is not already followed by a rehabilitation center, ask your doctor for a referral to one in your region.

The rehabilitation center submits a request for funding to RAMQ on your behalf. This process includes:

- A form and a medical letter justifying the need. We've created a template for you. Please download and customize it to suit your needs.
- A quote from the supplier (ask us at info@oramedical.ca)
- Other required documents

RAMQ reviews the application, which may take a few weeks. If approved, they will cover the cost of the gait trainer. If not, they will provide a reason for denial.





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## **STEP 2: PRIVATE INSURANCE**

Contact your insurance provider to inquire about their policies regarding coverage for pediatric walkers.

Here's what they usually require:

- A quote for the Levity, including the child's name
  - Consult with Ora team for assistance (info@oramedical.ca)
- A Letter of Medical Necessity from your pediatric physical therapist
  - We've created a template for you. Please download and customize it to suit your needs.
- Supporting documentation to justify the use of Levity:
  - We have reorganized our Private Insurance Kit, which includes a letter from our CEO explaining the device registration with federal entities, a comparative analysis with other gait trainers, clinical evidence highlighting the benefits of Levity, a Levity flyer, and a comprehensive document detailing the reasons for choosing Levity.

Based on our experience, insurance typically covers between 0-100% of the device, but there may be instances where they are unable to assist. If that's the case, proceed to step 3.

