GMFCS	> 2 years	2 - 4 years	4 - 6 years	6 - 12 years	12 - 18 years
Level 1	Move in/out of sitting. Floor sit with hands free. Crawl on hands/knees, pull to stand, take steps holding on furniture. Walk between 18months - 2years without need for assistive mobility device. ELEMENTS BODY: NO	Floor sit with hands free. Movements in/out of floor sitting and standing performed without adult assistance. Walking preferred method of mobility without need for assistive mobility device. ELEMENTS BODY: NO	Get into/out of, & sit in, a chair without need for hand support. Move from floor and chair sitting to standing without need for objects as support. Walk in and outdoors, climb stairs. Emerging ability to run and jump. ELEMENTS BODY: NO	Walk indoors & outdoors. Walk up/down curbs without assistance, stairs without use of rail. Perform gross motor skills - running and jumping but speed, balance, coordination are limited. May participate in physical activities/sports depending on personal choice & environmental factors. ELEMENTS BODY: MAYBE? NO?	Walk indoors & outdoors. Walk up/down curbs without assistance, stairs without use of rail. Perform gross motor skills - running and jumping but speed, balance, coordination are limited May participate in physical activities/sports depending on personal choices and environmental factors. ELEMENTS BODY: MAYBE? NO?
Level 2	Maintain floor sit but may need to use hands for support to maintain balance. Creep on stomach or crawl on hands/knees. May pull to stand, take steps holding on to furniture. ELEMENTS BODY: BODY, SP/SSBEL-SBER?	Floor sit, may have difficulty with balance when both hands are free. Movement in/out of sitting performed without adult assistance. Pull to stand on stable surface. Crawl on hands/knees with reciprocal pattern, cruise holding furniture and walk using assistive mobility device as preferred method of mobility. ELEMENTS BODY: BODY/ SUIT-Short legs/arms SP/LP/PBP/- SBEL/SBER?	Chair sit with hands free to manipulate objects. Move from floor to stand & from chair sit to stand, often require a stable surface to push or pull up on with arms. Walk without need for handheld mobility device indoors and for short distances on level surfaces outdoors. Climb stairs holding rail but unable to run or jump. ELEMENTS BODY: NO!	Walk in most settings. May experience difficulty long distance walks, balance on uneven terrain, inclines, crowded areas, confined spaces or carrying objects. Walk up/down stairs holding rail or with assistance. Out & indoors may walk with assistance, hand-held mobility device, or wheeled mobility when traveling long distances. Minimal ability to perform gross motor skills like running/jumping. Limitations in performance of gross motor skills may necessitate adaptations to enable participation in physical activities and sports. ELEMENTS BODY: BODY, SP, PBP- SBEL/SBER?	Walk in most settings. Uneven terrain, inclines, long distances, time demands, weather, peer acceptability, & personal preference influence mobility choices. May walk with handheld mobility device for safety in and outdoor, may use wheeled mobility when traveling long distances. Walk up/down stairs holding rail or with assistance if no rail. Limitations in performance of gross motor skills may necessitate adaptations to enable participation in physical activities and sports. ELEMENTS BODY: BODY/SUIT, short arm- long legs, SP- SBEL/SBER? Look at knee?
Level 3	Have head control but trunk support is required for floor sitting. Can roll to supine and may roll to prone. ELEMENTS BODY: BODY, SP/LP/PBP?	Maintain floor sitting often by "W-sitting". May require adult assistance to assume sitting. Creep on stomach/crawl on hands/knees (often without reciprocal leg movements) is primary methods of self- mobility. May pull to stand on stable surface & cruise short distances. May walk short distances indoors using walker, adult assistance for steering and turning. ELEMENTS BODY: BODY/SUIT-Short legs/arms. SP/LP/PBP/- SBEL/SBER?	Chair sit but may require pelvic/trunk support to maximize hand function. Move in/out of chair using stable surface to push on or pull up with arms. Walk with mobility device on level surface & climb stairs with assistance from adult. Frequently transported when traveling for long distances or outdoors on uneven terrain. ELEMENTS BODY: BODY/SUIT, Short arms/legs. SP/LP/SBEL/SBER?	Walk using hand-held device in most settings. May require a belt for pelvic alignment & balance when seated. Sit- stand & floor-stand transfers require assistance of a person or support surface. Traveling long distances use a form of wheeled mobility. May walk up/down stairs holding rail with supervision. Limitations in walking may necessitate adaptations to enable participation in physical activities/sports including self- propelling a manual wheelchair or powered mobility ELEMENTS BODY: BODY/SUIT, short arms/long legs. SP/LP/SBEL/SBER?	Walk using hand-held device. Variability in methods of mobility depending on physical ability, environmental & personal factors. Seat may require a seat belt for pelvic alignment and balance. Sit-stand, floor-stand transfer's assistance of a person or support surface. May self-propel manual wheelchair or use powered mobility. In & outdoors, transported in wheelchair or powered mobility. May walk up/down stairs holding rail with supervision. Limitations in walking may necessitate adaptations to enable participation in physical activity/sport including self-propelling manual wheelchair or powered mobility. ELEMENTS BODY: Seat adjustments? Soft Brace? Gloves? DW.

Level 4	Head control. Need support around trunk for sitting on the floor. ELEMENTS BODY: BODY, 7SP/LP, PBP?	Floor sit when placed, but unable to maintain alignment and balance without use of hands for support. Frequently require adaptive equipment for sit & stand Self-mobility for short distance is achieved through rolling, creeping on stomach, or crawling on hands/knees without reciprocal leg movement. ELEMENTS BODY: SUIT, short arms, long legs, SP/LP/PBP/- SBEL/SBER? Look for knee Flex/Ext	Chair sit needs adaptive seating for trunk control and to maximize hand function. Move in/out of chair sitting with assistance of adult or stable surface May walk short distances with walker and adult supervision, have difficulty turning, maintaining balance on uneven surface. May achieve self-mobility using a powered wheelchair. ELEMENTS BODY: SUIT, short arms/long legs. SP/LP/PBP/ SBEL/SBER? Look for Flex/Ext in	Methods of mobility requires physical assistance or powered mobility in most settings. Require adaptive seating for trunk/pelvic control and physical assistance for transfers. Use floor mobility (roll, creep, crawl), walk short distances with physical assistance, or use powered mobility. When positioned, may use a body support walker at home or school. Transported in a manual wheelchair or use powered mobility. Limitations in mobility necessitate adaptations to enable participation in physical assistance and/or powered mobility. ELEMENTS BODY: Seat	Wheeled mobility in most settings. Require adaptive seating for pelvic/trunk control. Physical assistance from 1-2 persons required for transfers. May support weight with legs to assist with standing transfers. Indoors, may walk short distances with physical assistance, use wheeled mobility, or, when positioned, use a body support walker. Physically capable of operating a powered wheelchair. When a powered wheelchair is not available, are transported in manual wheelchair. Limitations in mobility necessitate adaptations to enable participation in physical activities/sports, including physical assistance and/or powered mobility. ELEMENTS BODY: Seat adjustment? Soft Brace? Gloves? DW?
			knee.	adjustment, Soft Brace? Glove? DW?	
Level 5	Physical impairments limit voluntary control of movement. Unable to maintain antigravity head and trunk postures in prone and sitting. Require adult assistance to roll. ELEMENTS BODY: BODY, SP/LP/PBP.	Physical impairment restrict voluntary control of movement & ability to maintain antigravity head & trunk postures. All areas of motor function limited. Functional limitations in sitting/standing are not fully compensated for through the use of adaptive equipment & assistive technology. No means of independent movement & transported. Some achieve self-mobility using powered wheelchair with extensive adaptations. ELEMENTS BODY: Seat adjustment? Soft Brace? Gloves? DW.	Physical impairments restrict voluntary control of movement and ability to maintain antigravity head and trunk postures. All areas of motor function limited. Functional limitations in sit and stand are not fully compensated for through the use of adaptive equipment/assistive technology. No means of independent movement and transported. May achieve self- mobility using powered wheelchair with extensive adaptations ELEMENTS BODY: Seat adjustment? Soft Brace? Gloves? DW.	Transported in manual wheelchair. Limited in ability to maintain antigravity head/trunk posture & control arm/leg movements. Assistive technology used to improve head alignment, sit, stand, and/or mobility but limitations not fully compensated by equipment. Transfer requires complete physical assistance of an adult. May move short distances on the floor or may be carried. May achieve self mobility using powered mobility with extensive adaptations for seating and control access. Limitations in mobility necessitate adaptations to enable participation in physical activities and sports including physical assistance and using powered mobility ELEMENTS BODY: Seat adjustment? Soft Brace? Gloves? DW.	Transported in manual wheelchair in all settings. Limited in ability to maintain antigravity head/trunk postures, control arm/leg movements. Assistive technology is used to improve head alignment, seating, standing, and mobility but limitations are not fully compensated by equipment. Physical assistance from 1 or 2 or a mechanical lift is required for transfers. May achieve self-mobility using powered mobility with extensive adaptations for seating and control access. Limitations in mobility necessitate adaptations to enable participation in physical activities/sports including physical assistance and using powered mobility. ELEMENTS BODY: Seat adjustment? Soft Brace? Gloves? DW?