

Our IMPACT

In the Words of our Program Clients

*"After 11 years in a wheelchair,
I stood up and walked!"*

"I can stand tall, with grace and style."

*"After a year of therapy,
I can now take steps on my own."*

"The power of technology can turn a life around."



Program RESULTS

Making a Difference in People's Lives

10/19/2015-10/16/2020

Months of Programming	60
Number Clients Served	>300
Individuals and Caregivers	
Total # of Therapy Sessions	7,379
Total # of Robotic Steps	>1,000,000

Our INVESTMENT

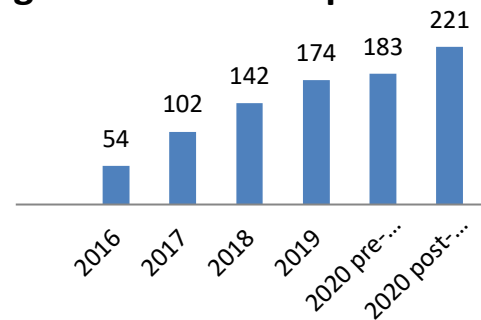
Access to Advanced Technology

- 2 x Galileo Neuromuscular Tilt Tables (Whole body vibration devices)
- Galileo Med L Vibrational Platform (Whole body vibration device)
- 2 x Galileo Smart Mano Dumbbell (Arm/hand vibration device)
- EksoGT™ Bionic Exoskeleton Suit
- Indego® Therapy Kit Exoskeleton Suit
- Keeogo™ Dermoskeleton Suit

BBF operates from two health-club facilities – Midland Fitness in Glenwood Springs, CO and the Snowmass Club in Snowmass Village, CO.

BBF re-started programming on May 19, 2020, after two months of suspension due to COVID-19 State of CO orders. Since then, ***Demand for our program has increased!***

Avg. Client Sessions per Month

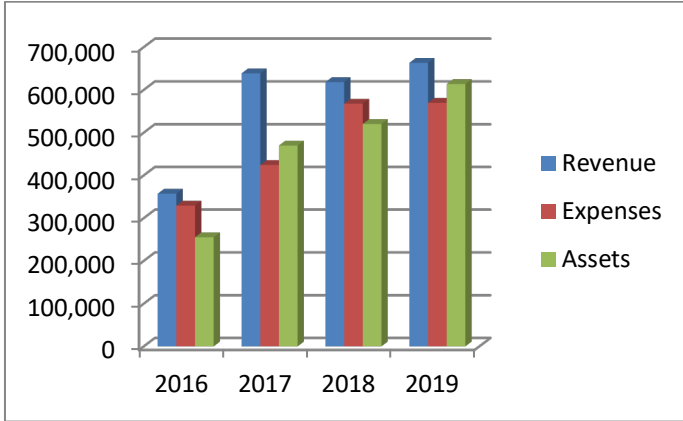


"Bridging Bionics is a world-class program that has put me in two technologically advanced robots, given me full body exercise with the Galileo tilt table, and built my upper body strength with the vibration dumbbell."

"Because of this I have not had to deal with many of the secondary complications of a spinal cord injury, have maintained bone density, minimized atrophy, and seen significant strength and functional return."

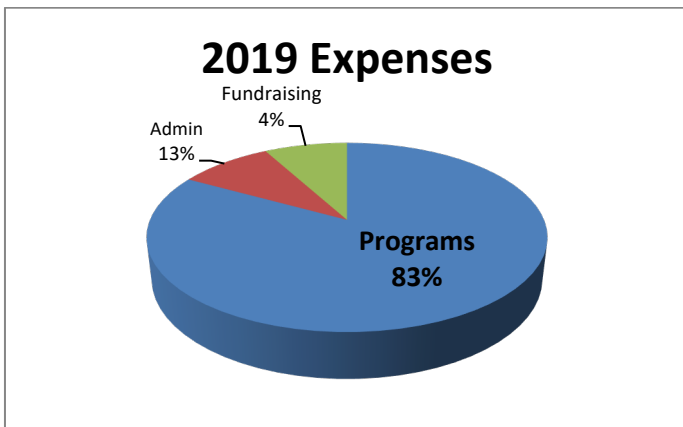
Client: Tim Burr, 22, C5 Incomplete Spinal Cord Injury

Our FINANCIALS



Strong Financial Performance

Year-over-year results reflect increasing donor investment, well-managed expenses, and stable cash assets to support programming needs.



Mission-Focused Spending

Donor funds are used responsibly to deliver programs to our clients.

We have invested nearly \$500,000 in advanced technology equipment, and over \$550,000 in therapeutic sessions for individuals in need.

Our INSPIRATION

Amanda's story is unique. Not because of her injury, but what she has done *because of* her injury! Amanda is an entrepreneur with a vision. BBF is the result of that vision.

**Amanda Boxtel named
CNN HERO for 2018**

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<https://www.cnn.com/videos/health/2018/04/12/cnnheroes-boxtel-mixed.cnn>

At Bridging Bionics Foundation, we believe all individuals with neurological mobility impairments can live better through the use of advanced technology. We see ***a world using technology to optimize function and improve life for all individuals challenged with mobility impairments.*** This simple vision drives us to serve people through our unique program.

Our mission ***is to provide access to bionic rehabilitation technology for all individuals challenged with neurological mobility impairments.*** We serve individuals with neurological mobility impairments resulting from injury or disease, including: spinal cord injuries (paraplegia, quadriplegia), Multiple Sclerosis, Parkinson's disease, ALS, Cerebral Palsy, and stroke. We work every day to be a bridge between advanced technology and those in need.

Our CHALLENGE

Our biggest challenge is funding the demand for therapeutic sessions.

**Get On Your Feet!
STAND UP AND MAKE IT HAPPEN**



BRIDGING MOBILITY WITH BIONIC TECHNOLOGY

Our PROGRAMS

Access to Therapeutic Technology

The goal of our neuro-rehabilitation program is to provide ongoing access to cutting edge technology for individuals with neurological mobility impairments. Regular therapy sessions are instrumental in reducing secondary complications as a consequence of paralysis, serving as a preventative healthcare measure, and playing a role in enhancing functional neuro-recovery.

The program utilizes expert, certified physical therapists, trainers and volunteer assistants, and is purposely facilitated in a non-clinical health club facility that promotes social interaction, inclusivity and wellbeing. Share in our inspiration – see our videos:

- [Our Neuro-rehabilitation Program](#)
- [Kayaker Nate White's Journey to Recovery](#)
- [Leah's Story](#)
- [Mackenzie's Story](#)

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Our HISTORY

Providing a Community Benefit

Founded in 2013, by Amanda Boxtel, Bridging Bionics Foundation (BBF) was formed with a vision to provide access to assistive bionic technology for individuals with spinal cord injuries and other neurological impairments. After 18 years of paralysis as a result of a skiing accident, Amanda had the opportunity to walk again using a bionic exoskeleton.

Amanda realized the life-changing impact walking upright had on both her physical and mental wellbeing, and determined that this expensive, pioneering technology should be made available to anyone challenged with neurological mobility impairment. Amanda formed BBF and initiated a therapeutic program using her donated exoskeleton, combined with the supportive instruction of trained physical therapists at a health-club facility rather than in a clinical environment.

Through the generosity of our community, we are giving the gift of mobility and improving lives. It's that simple.

THANK YOU!

OUR DONORS MAKE IT HAPPEN!

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