



WHY I LOVE BBF

REFLECTIONS FROM DEBBIE WEIDEMANN, MSPT - ONE OF OUR FOUNDING PHYSICAL THERAPISTS.

Bridging Bionics Foundation has served clients with neurologic conditions in the Roaring Fork Valley for 9 years. As one of the founding physical therapists, I would like to share why Bridging Bionics is different and why I love BBF.

Bridging Bionics Foundation practices under a unique model of charitably funded, technology-based physical therapy, which is the vision of our founder, Amanda Boxtel. We use technology that was not available when I was in PT school. I am grateful to be able to use equipment that accelerates neurorecovery in a way I could not have imagined. BBF does not bill insurance, so the therapists are not confined by required insurance paperwork or visit timeframes, which allows us to be preventative and move forward with solutions as able. I am blessed to have time to get to know my clients and their needs in a way that resonates with how I feel we should do healthcare. **Bridging Bionics is filling a gap that the current healthcare system has been unable to provide.** We can meet our clients usually in their sweet spot of recovery after their body has stabilized after injury when they get home. In my experience, clients currently rehab in the hospital only a fraction of the time they did 30 years ago after injury, and aftercare is limited, especially in rural areas.



WE ARE WHERE CARE CONTINUES

WE RESTORE HOPE.

At Bridging Bionics Foundation, we have the time to:

- Educate clients about their condition/disease.
- Encourage the mind/body connection, which is where healing starts.
- Promote the client "making friends" with their body. Their condition is not a value judgment on who they are.
- Provide one-on-one care that is creative, client-as-healer, and "out-of-the-box."
- Provide cutting edge efficient care at complimentary or affordable prices, which makes this type of care accessible to anyone with a neurological condition.
- Use Robots/technology, neuroplasticity techniques, and whole-body side-alternating vibration, which provide effective, efficient tone reduction and muscle co-activation that outpaces a traditional therapy session. Access to this type of therapy is cost-prohibitive in the current healthcare model.
- Get to know our clients and their personal goals beyond general functional mobility.



***“The biggest reason
I love Bridging
Bionics beyond
restoring mobility is
hope.***

We restore hope.

***Hope replaces fear,
which opens the door
to possibilities for
clients and their
families.” - Debbie
Weidemann***

***"People start to heal the moment they feel heard.
No one is their dysfunction or disease."
~ Gabor Mate, MD.***

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