

## Allard AFO Energy Return AFOs



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## CAM WALKER



1. Manage soft tissue injury
2. Controlled stress facilitates soft tissue healing
3. Controlled stress leads to soft tissue hypertrophy
4. Stability during gait
5. Facilitates normal gait
6. Ultra-light weight and cool
7. Fits inside normal shoe
8. No limb length discrepancy
9. High patient compliance
10. No sound-side stress
11. High tech carbon composites
12. Allows driving
13. Energy return increases distance capacity
14. Easy to don/doff
15. Pants easily glide over AFO
16. Foot plate returns kinetic energy
17. Faster recovery\*
18. FUN-ctional

1. Manage soft tissue injury
2. Immobilization inhibits soft tissue healing
3. Immobilization leads to soft tissue disuse atrophy
4. Unstable during gait
5. Obstructs normal gait
6. Heavy and hot
7. Replaces shoe
8. Creates limb length discrepancy
9. Low patient compliance
10. Sound-side stress
11. Low tech
12. Restricts driving
13. Increased energy demand limits distance capacity
14. Harder to don/doff
15. Difficult to wear with pants
16. Apropulsive
17. Slow recovery time
18. Not much FUN

\*Cash, J., Werkhoven, H., Cole, K., & Needle, A. (2022).



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**WALKING LONG**

distances every day with my dogs and **HIKING** with my family are things that give meaning to my life!

My AllardAFO never lets me down! I can rely on the **SUPERIOR** function And **DURABILITY!**

*-Wendy, Oregon, Foot Drop as a result of incomplete Spinal Cord Injury and Spinal Syrinx due to serious traffic accident.*

**Support for Better Life!**