Kyle Poole Project – Detailed view (v1)

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Requirements:

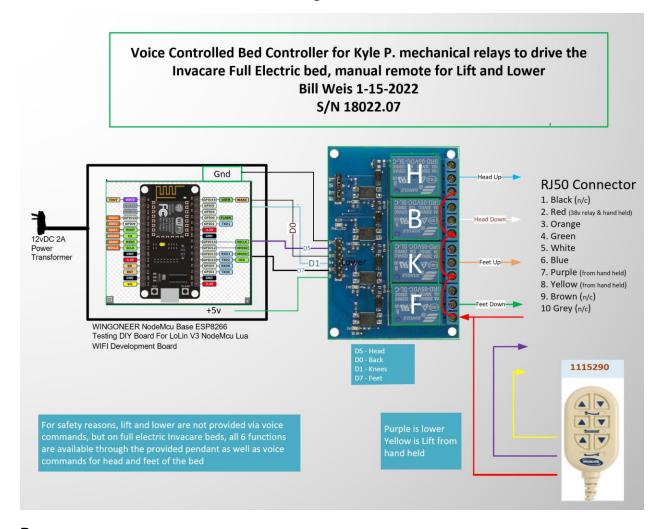
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Solution – High Level:

1. Installed a custom voice activated bed controller to allow Kyle to control his full electric Invacare bed using voice commands.

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Kyle's spinal injury has left him with limited control over his hands. We designed a voice activated bed controller which will give Kyle the ability to control his adjustable bed with a variety of commands. All commands run for a predetermined length of time and Kyle can choose the command that best suits his needs. The head of the bed can be raised/lowered in 1,2,3,4,5 &6 second intervals. It will require multiple commands to go from a flat position to a full up sitting position, but this approach is done for safety reasons. The foot end of the bed can be raised/lowered in 3, 4 or 5 second intervals. A nice feature of the Invacare bed design allows for us to provide a dual control environment. Both voice-activated control as well as adjustments to the bed via the pendant are possible. This is handy in cases where WiFi might be disrupted or if a caregiver chooses to adjust the bed manually. Also note that for safety reasons, we do not provide a voice solution for the bed Hi Lo feature, so still having the ability to use a hand remote without the need to swap cables is very handy.



Resources

Amazon Echo

<u>Alexa Support</u> (Contact Support via the Amazon Alexa app - can have them call your number)

Google Home getting started

Google Home Help Forum

Google Home Support Phone number for Google Home hardware support = 855-971-9121 (24/7 days a week)

Logitech Harmony Knowledge Base

<u>Logitech Harmony Support</u> Phone # for Support = 866-601-5644 (M-F 8am to 6pm PST) <u>Lifx</u>

Wemo Support Phone number for Support = 1-844-745-wemo (9366)