

1. Jayci's situation *illustrates*, or shows us, how hard work and a positive attitude can help even the most difficult situation.
2. Jayci has many *attributes* – qualities – that will help her learn to walk again.
3. Jayci *aspires* to overcome her current limitations. That is, she hopes to walk again.
4. Jayci *maintains* an optimistic outlook despite her difficult situation. In other words, she continues to have a good attitude.
5. Although her accident *profoundly* (deeply) changed everything in her life, Jayci rarely complains.
6. Jayci's ability to walk again depends on two *factors*, which are things that help to bring about a result: her family's support, and Project Walk.
7. The physical therapists at Project Walk *emphasize*, or highlight, the importance of hard work.
8. Seeing other patients at Project Walk learn to walk again *motivates* Jayci to keep trying. This means that they stimulate her interest in continuing to work hard.
9. A lot of people would say that an injury like Jayci's is an *intractable* problem, meaning that it's very difficult or even impossible to solve it.
10. Everyone has to deal with some *adversity* in their life. In fact, many people say that overcoming hardships makes you a stronger person.