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## **Mobile CRS staff wins \$500 for consumer**

After seeing an ad asking for people or organizations that go the extra mile, Jo Blount, a traumatic brain injury care coordinator with Children's Rehabilitation Service ( CRS ) in Mobile, immediately thought of the Children's Rehabilitation Engineering Team.

The team writes grants to receive funding to assist people with disabilities with their adaptive technology needs. Patti Fassbender, Mobile CRS physical therapist, is part of the group.

Thanks to Blount's nomination, the team was chosen as recipient of the weekly Chris Meyers Nissan Extra Mile Award and was honored on WALA Fox 10 News in Mobile. The group received a \$500 prize, which they used to purchase an adaptive tricycle for a child with a disability.

The child, Kelsey Evans, has multiple congenital anomalies. She was joined by Delaney Zimlich, another consumer, who already has a tricycle.

The tricycles were purchased through Ambucs, a non-profit committed to providing mobility and independence for people with disabilities.