



The Family Hope Center

"Where Hope Comes Home™"



The Viholm Family *Case Study*

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The Viholm Family's Story

(Transcribed by AI from video)

Louise: Hi, I'm Louise.

Michel: And I'm Michel.

Louise: We're from Denmark. And we want to tell you people about our experience here at the Family Hope Center.

Louise: Two months ago, we took the long flight from Denmark to United States to visit The Family Hope Center. We have three days of parent training and for us it has been the best decision ever. We did it for our daughter Lily.

She's right here. Lily has a brain injury, she's 20 months and she's behind.

She's far behind but the last two months has been truly amazing. Now she can crawl. Not correctly, but now she can crawl. Two months ago she couldn't at all. She is doing better with her eating. She's doing better with her hands now. She can use her left hand. Right, Lily? You can use it now. She couldn't do that two months ago.

And I think the best part is that we took a decision and now it's us who is doing a different for Lily. And it's not the doctor in Denmark telling us that there's nothing they can do for her.

Michel: So now we are in charge.

Louise: Now we are in charge. And we want to tell people to do it. Give it a chance. Just try it. It will be your best decision ever. And now we are here in Philadelphia with Lily so she can get a program. And we will be flying back tomorrow to Denmark and start the program. We're just so happy and excited about it. So please do it.

Michel: I'll say even if you don't like it, you'll learn a lot from it.

Louise: Yeah, really.

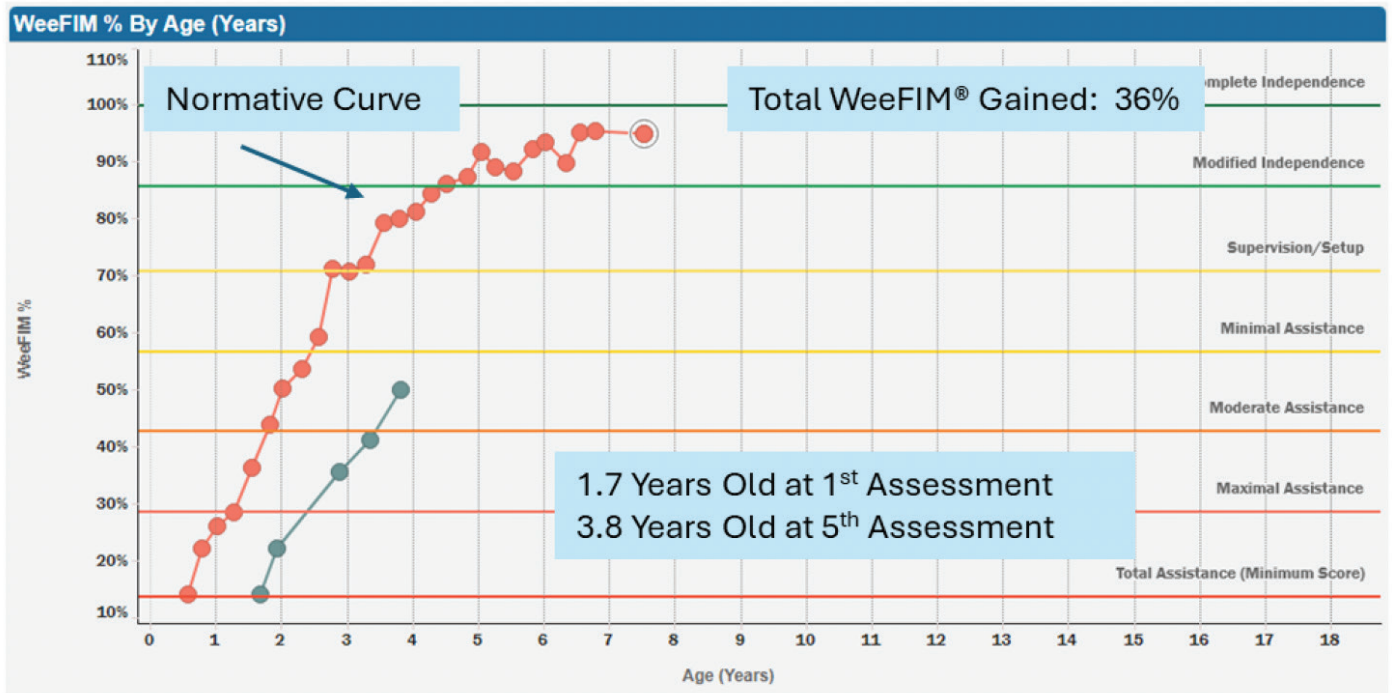
Louise: It's like it's the best decision for all of us, not just for Lily, but for us as a family. So, yeah, we hope you will do it.

Louise: Yeah. And if you do, then go for it. Yay.



The Viholm Family WeeFIM® Results:

Progress as a function of age compared to children without developmental delays or disabilities.



Helper / No Helper	Category	Rating Descriptor	Rating	Level of Function	
No Helper	Independence	Complete Independence	7	Child safely performs all the tasks without assistance from a helper, within a reasonable amount of time, and without modifications, assistive devices or aids	
		Modified Independence	6	Child performs all tasks without assistance from a helper but requires either an assistive device/aid/prosthesis/orthosis, takes more than a reasonable amount of time, or there is a concern for the child's safety	
Helper	Modified Dependence	Supervision / Setup	5	Child performs all the tasks but requires either supervision without physical contact or setup assistance	
		Minimal Assistance	4	Child performs > 75% or more of the tasks, requiring no more help than touching	
		Moderate Assistance	3	Child performs 50% to 74% of the tasks, requiring physical assistance beyond touching	5th Assessment
	Complete Dependence	Maximal Assistance	2	Child performs 25% to 49%, requiring maximal assistance from a helper	
		Total Assistance	1	Child performs <25% of the tasks, requiring total assistance from a helper	1st Assessment