

## Carnival Games

Carnival games for the Wii is a good selection of mini games that most people will be familiar with. The movements required for many of the games are basic and easy making it accessible by those with limited movement. Games where reaction speed is required also the opportunity to develop movement based on a need to respond to visual stimulus and requires the development of concentration.

Official information about Carnival Games can be found by clicking [here](#)

Below you will find an outline of the parts of the game that have been found accessible within physiotherapy sessions, you will also find indications of the level of activity or function required to play the game successfully. Easily accessible games are given 5 stars, more difficult games less.

<b>Multiplayer</b>	Yes - 4 players at a time.
<b>WiiMote Buttons</b>	Yes - A to make choices on screen
<b>Nunchuk</b>	No
<b>Movement</b>	Upper limb movements - mostly throwing, rolling or repetative movements.
<b>Motivational Tool</b>	Great fun and can be used as an activity along side therapy as well as a tool to improve movement.
<b>Skill Development</b>	Reaction speed, timing, concentration
<b>WiFi option</b>	No
<b>No. of Mini Games</b>	25
<b>Therapy Friendly</b>	Yes

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### GAMES THAT REQUIRE USER TO:

#### POINT & MOVE

##### Wii Remote ONLY

SUB GAME	LOCATION	EASE (out of 5stars )	Additional Info
Balloon darts	Love Lane	★☆☆☆☆	Hold wiimote like a dart + throwing action plus aim. Need to have a very steady hand.
Leap Frog	Love Lane	★★★★☆	Hammer action (without changing direction)
Alley Ball	Fortune Way	★★★★☆	Underarm throw/tossing action (without changing direction)
Clown Splash	Claw Alley	★★★☆☆	pump balloon up by shaking, then aim the water at the clowns mouth
Day at the Races	Lucky Pass	★★★★☆	sideways rolling ball motion
Dunk Tank	Lucky Pass	★★★☆☆	Over arm throwing action at the right time- prompting needed
Spilled Milk	Love Lane	★★★☆☆	Over arm throwing action at the right time- prompting needed.
Hoops	Fortune Way	★★★☆☆	Sideways throwing action to throw the hoops
Pigskin Pass	Rodent Row	★★★☆☆	Hold the remote like a dart, aim and use throwing action to throw football through the obstacles.
Buckets of Fun	Rodent Row	★★★☆☆	Throwing motion, underarm. Easy activity, hard to get it in the bucket!
Ring toss	Claw Alley	★★★☆☆	Throw same as a Frisbee. (without changing position or direction)
Ka- Pow	Claw Alley	★★★☆☆	Over arm throwing action at the right time- prompting needed.

### GAMES THAT REQUIRE USER TO:

#### POINT & MOVE & PRESS A or B BUTTONS

##### Wii Remote ONLY

SUB GAME	LOCATION	EASE (out of 5stars )	Additional Info
Shoot for the stars	Rodent Row	★★★☆☆	Point and shoot at target "B" Hold A or B down for rapid fire. Steady hand needed.
Test your Strength	Fortune Way	★★★★☆	Power up with vigorous shaking then press B.
Shooting Gallery	Rodent Row	★★★☆☆	Point at target (ducks) and press A or B to fire.
Clown Splash	Claw Alley	★★★☆☆	pump balloon up by shaking, then aim the water at the clowns mouth and press A
Bowler coaster	Love Lane	★★★☆☆	Move the wiimote fwd & back as if to spin the ball, when fast enough press B.
Collection Plate	Fortune Way	★★★☆☆	Point at a plate. Press A. Underarm tossing action to throw coin.
Nerves of Steel	Lucky Pass	★★★☆☆	Pick up ring with A and guide it along the wire without touching.
Lucky Cups	Lucky Pass	★★★☆☆	Point at a cup. Press A. Underarm tossing action to throw ball.

### GAMES THAT REQUIRE USER TO:

#### POINT & MOVE & PRESS MULTI BUTTONS

##### Wii Remote ONLY

SUB GAME	LOCATION	EASE (out of 5stars)	Additional Info
Alley Ball	Fortune Way	★★★☆☆	Underarm throw/tossing action. Use control pad to change direction.
Leap Frog	Love Lane	★★★★☆	Hammer action. Use control pad to change direction.
Hole in One	Claw Alley	★☆☆☆☆	Aim putter with control pad. Hold down B. Swing and release B to take shot.
Ring toss	Claw Alley	★★★☆☆	Move L & R with control pad, up and down to adjust height. Throw same as a Frisbee.



Therapists will have no problem using the easy aspects of this game with patients as either a distraction from therapeutic activity or as a means to focus on movement control and concentration.