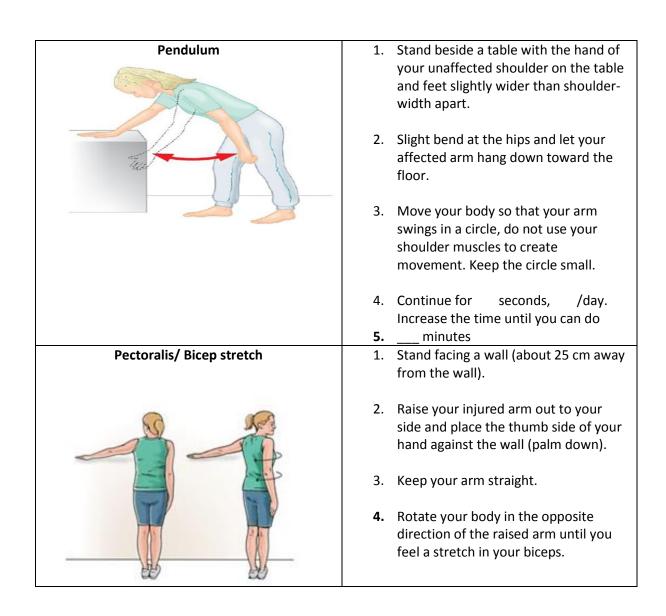


## FROZEN SHOULDER

The following exercises may be performed using a dumbbell, elastic resistance band, water bottle or other form of weight. It is important to note that when performing these exercises and stretches you should avoid excessive overhead work including military press, shoulder press and bench press.

# **EXERCISES/ STRETCHES**





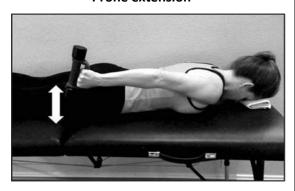
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### **Overhead Abduction**



- Begin by lying on your stomach on the end of a bed/bench with your arm hanging over the edge
- Proceed to lift arm above head with your thumb pointing towards the ceiling
- 3. Your arm should be at 45° in relation to your body (as though making one side of a 'Y')
- **4.** Progress this exercise by: Lifting both arms at the same time, Performing this exercise on a Swiss ball, Adding weights

#### **Prone extension**



- 1. Lift shoulder straight up in air. Try and keep a gap approximately 5 cms between front of shoulder and bed.
- 2. Hold the shoulder up for \_\_\_\_ seconds but arm relaxed by side. Repeat \_\_\_\_ times.
- Progress by lifting the arm up and down (elbow straight), but keeping the shoulder blade up all the time.
   Progress with weights \_\_\_kg
- 4. Aim to do this for \_\_\_\_seconds. Repeat \_\_\_\_ times

### **Standing scaption**



- 1. Stand with arms straight angled at 45 degrees, thumbs facing up
- 2. Raise the arms to shoulder height
- 3. Pause at the top, slowly lower to start position
- 4. Perform \_\_\_ reps, \_\_\_ sets
- 5. Progress by holding light weight

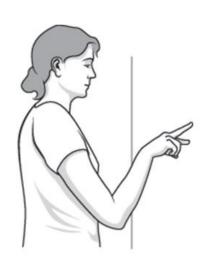


Windmills

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- 1. Stand with affected arm raised out to your side at 90 degrees
- 2. Start doing clockwise circles with your arm still raised to the side
- 3. Alternate by going anticlockwise
- 4. Perform \_\_\_ circles each way





- 1. Face a wall three-quarters of an arm's length away
- 2. Reach out and touch the wall at waist level with the fingertips of the affected arm.
- 3. With your elbow slightly bent, slowly walk your fingers up the wall, spider-like, until you've raised your arm as far as you comfortably can.
- 4. Your fingers should be doing the work, not your shoulder muscles.
- 5. Slowly lower the arm (with the help of the good arm, if necessary) and repeat.
- 6. Do this 10 to 20 times a day

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