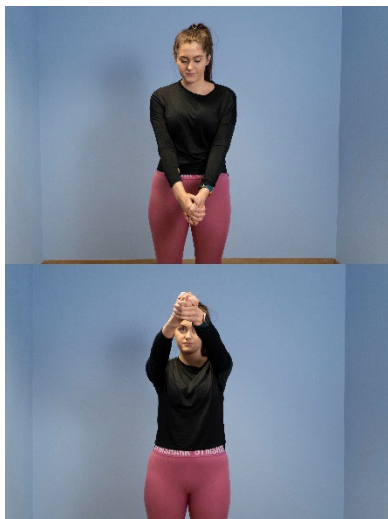


Aim to perform this programme a minimum of once per day unless prescribed otherwise. As with any new exercise, start slowly (repetitions as able) and build up as you are able within the guidelines below.

Pain should not exceed 4/10 whilst completing this exercise programme.



10 reps / 2-3 sets / 1 minute rest

1. Assisted shoulder elevation

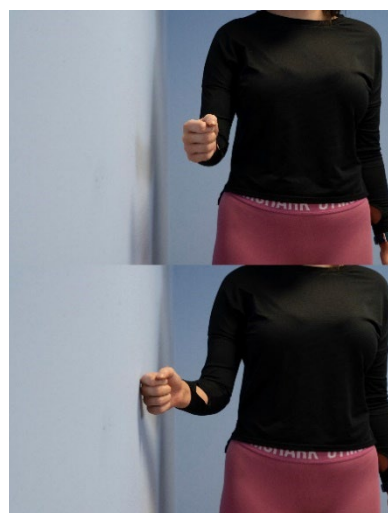
- In sitting or standing clasp your hands together with your arms straight.
- Keeping your hands clasped, use your non injured arm to help lift your injured arm above you.
- All movement should be in free and mobile, stop if you feel any pain or discomfort.
- Lower your arms down in a controlled manner.



10 reps / 2-3 sets / 1 minute rest

2. Isometric shoulder abduction

- Sit or stand with your injured shoulder facing a wall.
- Bend your elbow to a right angle so your forearm is level to the floor.
- Keeping your elbow at 90 degrees, apply moderate pressure against the wall using the elbow.
- Hold for 5 seconds and relax.



10 reps / 5 second hold / 1 minute rest

3. Isometric shoulder external rotation

- Sit or stand with your injured shoulder facing a wall.
- Bend your elbow to a right angle able so your forearm is level to the floor.
- Keeping your elbow bent, place the back of your hand against the wall.
- Apply moderate pressure against the wall using the back of your hand.
- Hold for 5 seconds and relax.

We recommend consulting a musculoskeletal physiotherapist to ensure exercises are best suited to your recovery. If you are carrying out an exercise regime without consulting a healthcare professional, you do so at your own risk. If you have any concerns whilst completing these exercises, please contact a healthcare professional.