Calderdale and Huddersfield

Physiotherapy Home Exercise Hand-Out

Mobility Exercises

Exercise Picture

Description





Cervical Spine Flexion

- Sitting on a supportive chair, with your feet flat on the floor, knees bent to 90 degrees and hip distance apart. Sit up tall and gently draw your shoulder blades back and down.
- 2. Look down, gently taking your chin towards your chest. Keep the mid portion of your spine still, so the movement is purely coming from your neck.
- **3.** Hold, then relax and return to the starting position
- **4.** During this exercise you may feel a stretch at the back of your neck.

Repetitions: Hold: Sets: Daily/Weekly:







Cervical Spine Extension

- Sitting on a supportive chair, with your feet flat on the floor, knees bent to 90 degrees and hip distance apart. Sit up tall and gently draw your shoulder blades back and down.
- Look up towards the ceiling and gently take your chin up towards the ceiling/ away from your chest. Keep your neck lengthened during the exercise and do not let your let your head sink downwards.
- **3.** Hold, then relax and return to the starting position.
- 4. You may feel a stretch across the front of your neck.
- Keep the middle part of your spine still throughout, the movement should be purely coming from your neck.

Repetitions: Hold: Sets: Daily/Weekly:

Exercise Picture









Description

Cervical Spine Side Flexion – Sitting

- Sitting on a supportive chair, with your feet flat on the floor, knees bent to 90 degrees and hip distance apart. Sit up tall and gently draw your shoulder blades back and down.
- Tilt your head left/right, taking your ear down towards your shoulder. Keep your shoulders relaxed throughout.
- **3.** You may feel a stretch in the your neck and shoulder muscles on the opposite side

Repetitions: Hold: Sets: Daily/Weekly:

Cervical Spine Rotation - Sitting

- Sitting on a supportive chair, with your feet flat on the floor, knees bent to 90 degrees and hip distance apart. Sit up tall and gently draw your shoulder blades back and down.
- 2. Gently turn your head to look left/right, towards your shoulder.
- **3.** Hold, then relax and return to the starting position.
- **4.** You may feel a stretch in the neck and shoulder muscles opposite to the direction you head turned.
- Ensure you keep the mid portion of your spine still, the movement should be purely coming form your neck

Repetitions: Hold: Sets: Daily/Weekly:

Web Address for further advice and exercise:

http://www.cht.nhs.uk/services/clinical-services/physiotherapy-outpatients/patient-careinformation/

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