WRIST AND ELBOW



INDICATIONS:

The following exercises are to be used to complement your therapy treatment. Exercise is effective for:

1. improving strength and

endurance.

decreasing swelling. improving mobility and

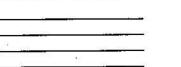
flexibility.

Do each exercise rhythmically.

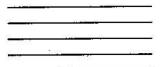
PRECAUTIONS:

Discontinue any exercise if there is increase in pain, temperature or swelling in the exercised joint.

EXERCISE FREQUENCY:



REPETITIONS OF EACH:

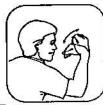


NOTES:





1. WRIST EXTENSION: Beginning with your wrist in a neutral position, bring it backward as far as possible. Hold. Relax. Repeat.



2. WRIST FLEXION: Beginning with your wrist in a neutral position as shown, flex it inward as far as possible. Hold, Relax, Repeat.



3. ULNAR DEVIATION: Place your hand flat on a table top. Slide your hand toward your little finger as shown, while keeping your wrist still, Hold. Relax. Repeat.



A. RADIAL DEVIATION: Place your hand flat on a table top. Slide it toward your thumb as shown, while keeping your wrist still. Hold. Repeat. Relax.



5. PRONATION/ **SUPINATION:** Begin with your palm up. Now, rotate your forearm inward so your palm is down, Hold, Relax, Repeat.



6. ELBOW FLEXION: Cup your elbow in your opposite hand as shown. Now bring your hand up toward your shoulder, bending your elbow as far as possible. Hold. Relax. Repeat.



... 7. ELBOW EXTENSION: Cup your elbow in your opposite hand as shown. Now move your hand away from you, straightening out your elbow. Hold. Relax. Repeat.



8. WRIST CURLS: Place your wrist over a rolled-up towel, foam roll or your other wrist with your palm up. Bring the dumbell upward as far as possible. Lower slowly.



9. WRIST REVERSE CURLS: Place your wrist over a rolled up towel, foam roll or your other wrist with your palm down. Bring the dumbell up as far as possible. Lower slowly. Repeat.



10. ULNAR DEVIATION WITH WEIGHT: Stabilize your wrist with your other hand. Bring the dumbell in your hand up toward your little finger as far as possible. Relax. Repeat.



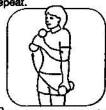
11. RADIAL DEVIATION WITH WEIGHT: Stabilize your wrist with your other hand. Bring the dumbell in your hand upward toward your thumb as far as possible. Relax. Repeat



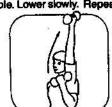
12. SUPINATION WITH **HAMMER:** Hold hammer or weight in an upright position. Now roll your forearm out as far as possible. Hold. Relax. Repeat.



13. PRONATION WITH HAMMER: Hold hammer or weight in an upright postion. Now roll your forearm in as far as possible. Hold. Relax. Repeat.



14. ELBOW CURLS: Holding the dumbell at your side, bring your hand up toward your shoulder as far as pos sible. Lower slowly. Repeat.



15. ELBOW EXTENSION WITH WEIGHT: Hold the dumbell as shown at your sholder. Now straighten your arm upward. Lower slowly. Repeat.