

PHYSICAL THERAPY SECTION

ARTHROSCOPIC SUBACROMIAL DECOMPRESSION (w/wo Distal Clavicle Resection)

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Post-op Davs 1 - 7

Sling for comfort – D/C within a few days

Hand squeezing exercises

Elbow and wrist active motion (AROM)

Pendulum exercises

Active assist motion (AAROM) in pain-free range (supine wand, pulleys, wall climb)

AROM in pain-free range as tolerated

Shoulder shrugs / scapular retraction without resistance

Stationary bike

Ice pack

Goals

Pain control

AAROM Flexion and Abduction to 120 degrees

Davs 7 - 14

Continue appropriate previous exercises

AAROM, AROM throughout full range as tolerated

1-2 Finger Isometrics x 6 (fist in box)

Theraband for ER and IR with arm at side and pillow or towel roll under arm Body Blade

Goal - Symmetrical AROM ER and IR

Weeks 2 - 4

Continue appropriate previous exercises

PROM / mobilization as needed to regain full motion

Light Theraband exercises x 6

Standing rows with Theraband

Biceps and Triceps PREs with light weight

Prone scapular retraction without weight

UBE forwards and backwards at low resistance

Elliptical trainer

Stairmaster

Treadmill – Walking progression program

Goal - Full AROM

Weeks 4 - 6

Continue appropriate previous exercises with increasing resistance Push-up progression – Wall to table Ball toss with arm at side, light weight BAPS on hands
Treadmill – Running progression program

Goal - 30 table push-ups

Weeks 6 - 8

Continue appropriate previous exercises Push-up progression – Table to chair Chest press with light weight Seated row with light weight Fitter on hands Ball toss overhead Pool therapy

Goal - Normal rotator cuff strength

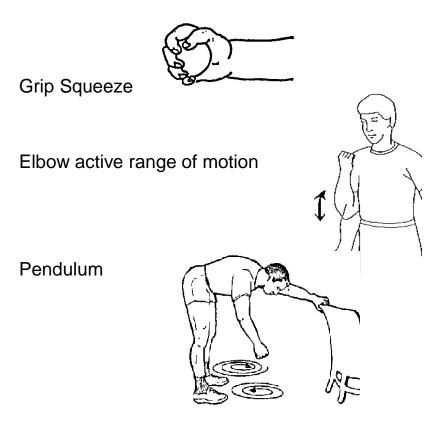
Months 2 - 4

Continue appropriate previous exercises Push-ups, regular Sit-ups Swimming Gravitron – Pull-ups, dips Running progression to track Progressive weight training Transition to home / gym program

Goals

Resume all activities
Pass APFT at 4 months post-op

Shoulder Post Op Phase 1 Perform exercises below frequently: 30 reps 3-5x a day



Shoulder Shrugs



Ice x 10-15min 2-3 x per day

