



Wrist Four Corner Fusion Dr. Staiger

*Schedule OT 6 weeks post-op, same day as 6 week doctor appointment.

Time Frame	Treatment	Goals
Phase I	Evaluate and Treat.	 Protection
Post-Op	 Instruct in edema management techniques as needed. 	Edema control
6 Weeks	Custom fit with Zipper wrist cock-up orthosis(L3906).	Pain management
	Instruct in orthosis wear and care.	Scar management
	 Instruct in scar management techniques (to begin once incision is healed). 	• ROM
	 Issue scar pad (to be worn once incision is healed). 	
	Educate patient on gentle ROM exercises.	
	 May use modalities as indicated (ultrasound typically not 	
	done until 4 weeks post-op)	
	 Modalities may include Ketoprofen, 	
	Dexamethasone, or Potassium Iodide as indicated	
	at 4 weeks.	