



Slap/Bankart/Labral Repair Protocol Dr. Schaap

Time Frame	Treatment	Goals
Post-Op Day	-Dressing change	-Independent in home
	-Instructions in signs and symptoms of infection	exercise program of active
	-Instruction in cryotherapy	wrist and elbow range of
	-Instruction in pendulum exercise, active wrist and elbow range	motion, pendulum
	of motion, scapular retraction	exercises, scapular
	-Electrical stimulation for swelling/pain if needed	retraction, and
		cryotherapy
		-Home electrical
		stimulation unit if needed
Phase I	-Patient is to continue with the independent home exercise	-Progression of home
(0-4 weeks)	program	exercise program as
	-Patient is to wear sling for 6 weeks	tolerated
	-Shoulder isometrics in flexion, extension, abduction and	-Addition of shoulder
	adduction	isometrics at 2 weeks
Phase II	-Frequency equals 2–3 times/week until range of motion and	-Range of motion within
(4-12 weeks)	strength are approaching within normal limits	normal limits at 10–12
	-Discontinue sling at 6 weeks	weeks in all directions
	-Passive range of motion in all directions	-Independent in PRE by 10
	-Active assisted range of motion in all directions	weeks for progression
	-Instruction in PRE's at 8–10 weeks	independently
	-Begin in clinic strengthening as tolerated at 10 weeks for	-Strength progressed as
	shoulder/elbow and scapular stabilizers-progress as tolerated	tolerated in clinic
Phase III	-Frequency equals 1–2 times/week	-Range of motion within
(12-16 weeks)	-Continue to progress range of motion and strength until within	normal limits/within
	normal limits/within functional limits in all directions	functional limits -
		discontinue when goal
		met
		-Independent in home
		exercise program for
		shoulder
		strengthening/scapular
		stabilization
Phase IV	-Frequency PRN	-Progress all range of
(4-6 Months)		motion and strength to
		within normal limits