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PHYSICAL THERAPY PROTOCOL SUBSCAPULARIS REPAIR AND/OR HAGL REPAIR

PRECAUTIONS	This protocol may be used in isolation or in addition to a rotator cuff repair, or arthroplasty protocol. Follow the more conservative guidance. Regular sling for 6 weeks
Phase 0 - QUIET	No shoulder rehab
Week 1-3	No pendulums
	Elbow and Hand ONLY
Phase 1 – PASSIVE	Pendulums to warm-up
Week 4-5	Passive ROM
	Start Supine External Rotation – 0°, then progress, limit ER to 30°
	Supine Forward Elevation – 90°
	No Internal Rotation
Phase 2 – ACTIVE	Internal rotation to belt line – gradually increase to full
Week 6 - 10	Full elevation and gradually increase ER – limit ER progression to 30° until Week 6 then progress as tolerated
	Active ROM with passive stretch to prescribed limits Supine to start External Rotation
	Supine to start Forward Elevation – full – progress to seated
	Internal Rotation – gradually increase to full
Phase 3 – RESISTED	Pendulums to warm-up and continue with Phase 2
Week 12	External and Internal Rotation – Standing forward punch
	Scapular mobilization - Seated Rows and Shoulder Shrugs
Weight Training	Keep hands within eyesight, Keep elbows bent
Week 16	Minimize overhead activities
	(No military press, pull-down behind head, or wide grip bench)
Return to Activities	Computer - 4 weeks
	Golf - 4 months (chip and putt only)
	Tennis - 5 months
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