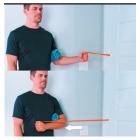


# **GOLDEN STATE ORTHOPEDICS & SPINE**

#### LOW ARC SHOULDER REHABILITATION EXERCISES



15 Times Hold Complete 2 Sets

2 Seconds Perform 3 Times/week

# 1 - ELASTIC BAND SHOULDER INTERNAL ROTATION

While holding an elastic band at your side with your elbow bent, start with your hand away from your stomach, then pull the band toward your stomach. Keep your elbow near your side the entire time.



Repeat Hold Complete 2 Sets

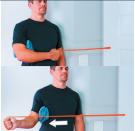
15 Times 2 Seconds

Perform 3 Times/week

## 5 - SIDE LYING EXTERNAL **ROTATION**

Lie on your side with your elbow bent and rested on your side. Next, draw up your arm from the ground toward the ceiling.

Place a rolled up towel under your elbow if advised by your clinician.



15 Times Complete 2 Sets

Perform

Hold 2 Seconds

3 Times/week

# 2 - ELASTIC BAND SHOULDER **EXTERNAL ROTATION**

While holding an elastic band at your side with your elbow bent, start with your hand near your stomach and then pull the band away. Keep your elbow at your side the entire time.



Repeat 3 Times Hold 30 Seconds Complete 1Set 3 Times a day Perform

### 6 - DOORWAY STRETCH, LOW

While standing in a doorway, place your arm downward on the door frame and lean in until a stretch is felt along the front of your chest and/or shoulder. Your arm should be pointed downward toward the floor along the door frame.

**NOTE:** Your legs should control how much you stretch by bending or straightening your knee through the doorway.



15 Times Repeat Hold 2 Seconds Complete 2 Sets Perform 3 Times/week

#### **3 - ELASTIC BAND ROWS**

Holding elastic band with both hands, draw back the band as you bend your elbows. Keep your elbows near the side of your body.



Repeat 3 Times Hold 30 Seconds Complete 1Set Perform 3 Times a day

## 7 - DOORWAY STRETCH

While standing in a doorway, place your arms up on the door jamb and place one foot forward through the doorway as shown. Next, bend the front knee until a stretch is felt along the front of your chest and/ or shoulders. Your upper arms should be horizontal to the ground and forearms should lie up along the door frame.

**NOTE:** Your legs should control how much you stretch by bending or straightening your knee through the doorway.



15 Times Hold 2 Seconds Complete 2 Sets 3 Times/week Perform

# 4 - ELASTIC BAND EXTENSION **BILATERAL SHOULDER**

While holding an elastic band with both arms in front of you with your elbows straight, pull the band downward and back toward your side.