

Rehabilitation	prescription	for

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Dr. Boyle's Meniscal Repair Rehabilitation Protocol

Procedure date:	S/P:													
	WEEK							MONTH						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	3	4	5	6
PHASE 1 EXERCISES														
Extension/flexion sitting prone	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Quad sets with straight leg raises	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Hamstring sets	•	•	•	•	•	•								
Patella mobs/quad & patellar tendon mobs	•	•	•	•	•	•								
Wall slides												•	•	•
Toe and heel raises	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
MUSCLE STRETCHES														
Sit and reach for hamstrings	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Lying rectus			•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Stork stand for quadriceps						•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Runners stretch for calf and achilles	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
CARDIOVASCULAR EXERCISES														
Stationary bike with both legs (start high seat)				•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Aquajogging						•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Swimming									•	•	•	•	•	•
Eliptical trainer									•	•	•	•	•	•
Rowing											•	•	•	•
Stair Stepper											•	•	•	•
Treadmill							•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
PHASE 2 SPORT CORD EXERCISES				•	•							•		
Double knee bends (knee not over foot)											•	•	•	•
Carpet drags											•	•	•	•
Forward/backward jogging											•	•	•	•
Side-to-side agilities												•	•	•
PHASE 3 WEIGHTS				•	•							•		
Leg press down to 90 degrees						•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•
Leg curls (light resistance)						•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Squats (no deep squats/hyperflexion)						•	•	•	•	•				
Hip abduction & adduction						•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Knee extension (pain free arc)						•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Lunges (NO DEEP LUNGES; ok to 90)									•	•	•	•	•	•
PHASE 4 HIGH LEVEL EXERCISES														
Biking outdoors (no standing)											•	•	•	•
Rollerblading											•	•	•	•
Running											•	•	•	•
Skiing, basketball, tennis, rugby, soccer												•	•	•
Golf													•	•
Agility exercises													•	•
Mountain biking											•	•	•	•
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Additional Instructions:

Weeks 0-6: touch WB with brace locked in extension, also at night; unlock brace 0-90 when not walking			
Weeks 6-8: WBAT with brace unlocked at 0-100 degrees			
Weeks 8+: WBAT out of brace			