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Shoulder: Stretching Home Exercise Program

Hold each stretch seconds. Do repetitions, times a day.

- 1. Sit or stand upright with one arm placed as far up on back as possible.
- 2. Lift other arm overhead, bend elbow and interlock fingers.
- 3. Hold the stretch, then relax.

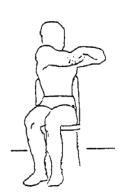
Note: Use a folded towel if you cannot interlock hands.



- 1. Stand upright facing a corner or open doorway.
- 2. Raise both arms with hands to shoulder height (elbows below shoulders) to stretch the chest.
- 3. Exhale and lean entire body forward.
- 4. Hold the stretch, then relax.



- 1. Sit or stand upright with one arm raised to shoulder height.
- 2. Grasp raised elbow with opposite hand.
- 3. Exhale and pull raised elbow toward your chest.
- 4. Hold the stretch, then relax.



- 1. Stand upright facing a corner or doorway.
- 2. Raise both arms to form the letter "T" (elbows level with shoulders) to stretch the chest.
- 3. Exhale and lean entire body forward.
- 4. Hold the stretch, then relax.



- 1. Sit or stand with one arm raised overhead next to ear and elbow bent.
- 2. Grasp elbow with the opposite hand.
- 3. Exhale and pull elbow behind head.
- 4. Hold the stretch, then relax.



- 1. Stand upright facing a corner or open doorway.
- 2. Raise both arms to form the letter "V" (elbows raised above shoulders) to stretch the chest.
- 3. Exhale and lean entire body forward.
- 4. Hold the stretch, then relax.

