

The American Association of Hip and Knee Surgeons (AAHKS) has outlined a home exercise program for you after your hip replacement. This guide accompanies our patient exercise videos that you can find at www.AAHKS.org/HipKnee. Exercises will focus on stretching, strengthening, endurance and balance. The hip rehabilitation program is broken down into three phases: *Weeks 1-3, Weeks 4-6, Weeks 7-12*.



PHASE 1: Weeks 1 – 3

			SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
STRETCHES	Hamstring Stretch	Week 1							
	3 sets: 1 rep	Week 2							
		Week 3							
	Calf Stretch Heel Cord	Week 1							
	3 sets: 1 rep	Week 2							
		Week 3							
	Secondary Calf Stretch	Week 1							
	3 sets: 1 rep	Week 2							
		Week 3							

DISCLAIMER

PLEASE USE THE EXERCISES AS A GUIDE AS IT IS <u>ULTIMATELY BETWEEN YOU AND YOUR SURGEON</u> TO DECIDE WHICH THERAPY SETTING IS RIGHT FOR YOUR HIP REPLACEMENT RECOVERY. YOUR SURGEON MAY RECOMMEND ALTERATIONS TO THIS ROUTINE. IF YOU EXPERIENCE ANY ABNORMAL DISCOMFORT, DIZZINESS, OR FEELINGS OF PASSING OUT, PLEASE STOP EXERCISING AND CONTACT YOUR PHYSICIAN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.



			SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
EXERCISES	Glute Sets	Week 1							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 2							
		Week 3							
	Ankle Pumps	Week 1							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 2							
		Week 3							
	Thigh Squeezes	Week 1							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 2							
		Week 3							
	Quad Sets	Week 1							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 2							
		Week 3							
	Quad Arcs	Week 1							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 2							
		Week 3							
	Prone Knee Bend	Week 1							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 2							
		Week 3							
	Calf Raises	Week 1							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 2							
		Week 3							
			SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
IDURANCE	Walking	Week 1							
NDONAITEL T	Distance	Week 2							
		Week 3							

			SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
BALANCE	Eyes Open	Week 1							
	Minutes : Seconds	Week 2							
		Week 3							



PHASE 2: Weeks 4 – 6

			SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
STRETCHES	Hamstring Stretch	Week 4							
	3 sets: 1 rep	Week 5							
		Week 6							
	Calf Stretch Heel Cord	Week 4							
	3 sets: 1 rep	Week 5							
		Week 6							
	Secondary Calf Stretch	Week 4							
	3 sets: 1 rep	Week 5							
		Week 6							



			SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
EXERCISES	Quad Arcs	Week 4							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 5							
		Week 6							
	Prone Knee Bends	Week 4							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 5							
		Week 6							
	Straight Leg Raise	Week 4							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 5							
		Week 6							
	Supine Hip Abd / Add	Week 4							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 5							
		Week 6							
	Standing Hip Abd / Add	Week 4							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 5							
		Week 6							
	Side-lying Hip Abd / Add	Week 4							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 5							
		Week 6							
	Heel Slides	Week 4							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 5							
		Week 6							
	Mini-Squats	Week 4							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 5							
		Week 6							



			SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
ENDURANCE	Treadmill	Week 4							
	Speed: Incline	Week 5							
		Week 6							
	Elliptical	Week 4							
	Speed: Incline	Week 5							
		Week 6							
	Stationary Bicycle	Week 4							
	Speed: Resistance	Week 5							
	Chair Position	Week 6							

			SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
BALANCE	Eyes Open /Closed	Week 4							
	Minutes: Seconds	Week 5							
		Week 6							



PHASE 3: Weeks 7 – 12

			SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
STRETCHES	Hamstring Stretch	Week 7							
	3 sets: 1 rep	Week 8							
		Week 9							
		Week 10							
		Week 11							
		Week 12							
	Calf Stretch Heel Cord	Week 7							
	3 sets: 1 rep	Week 8							
		Week 9							
		Week 10							
		Week 11							
		Week 12							
	Secondary Calf Stretch	Week 7							
	3 sets: 1 rep	Week 8							
		Week 9							
		Week 10							
		Week 11						_	
		Week 12							



			SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
XERCISES	Supine Hip Abd / Add	Week 7							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 8							
		Week 9							
		Week 10							
		Week 11							
		Week 12							
	Standing Hip Abd / Add	Week 7							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 8							
		Week 9							
		Week 10							
	Side-lying Hip Abd / Add	Week 11							
		Week 12							
		Week 7							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 8							
		Week 9							
		Week 10							
		Week 11							
		Week 12							
	Mini-Squats	Week 7							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 8							
		Week 9							
		Week 10							
		Week 11							
		Week 12							
		Week 8							
		Week 9							
		Week 12							



			SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
EXERCISES	Step-Ups	Week 7							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 8							
		Week 9							
		Week 10							
		Week 11							
		Week 12							
	Bridges	Week 7							
	3 sets: 10 reps	Week 8							
		Week 9							
		Week 10							
		Week 11							
		Week 12							



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ENDURANCE	Treadmill	Week 7						
	Speed: Incline	Week 8						
		Week 9						
		Week 10						
		Week 11						
		Week 12						
	Elliptical	Week 7						
	Speed: Incline	Week 8						
		Week 9						
		Week 10						
		Week 11						
		Week 12						
	Stationary Bicycle	Week 7						
	Speed: Resistance	Week 8						
	Chair Position	Week 9						
		Week 10						
		Week 11						
		Week 12						

			SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
BALANCE	Eyes Open / Closed	Week 7						
	Minutes: Seconds	Week 8						
		Week 9						
		Week 10						
		Week 11						
		Week 12						

