

STRETCHING I

1 WARM UP

- Warming Up Helps Prevent Over Stretch Injuries And Gives You Better Stretching Results

2 FOCUS

- On The Body Area You Are Trying To Stretch
- Stretch Less Flexible Areas More Often
- Take The Stretch To A Point Of Discomfort Only - Not Pain

3 BREATHIE

- Deeply, Fully, Slowly
- Don't Hold Your Breath

4 RELAX

- Don't Perform Bouncy Stretches This Can Just Increase The Tone Of The Muscle

5 HOLD

- Until You Feel The Stretch Ease Up (10-30 Seconds)
- If You Feel Pain Ease Out
- I'm Not Overstretch - Pain Is Not A Positive Indicator Of A Beneficial Stretch
- End The Stretch Slowly
- Increased Flexibility Will Be The Result Of Regular Stretching - Daily Is Best
- Note: Contact your physician or therapist before beginning the stretching exercises of each section in the program.

1 • Turn Slowly
• Lean Head Back
• Try Tuckling Chin
• Both Ways
• Arms Length

2 • Sit On Left Hand Or Hold Chair Leg
• Pull Ear To Shoulder Very Gently & Slowly
• Exhale
• Release Slowly
• 30 Seconds

3 • Gently Tuck Chin To Chest
• Exhale & Hold 30 Sec.
• Let Head Slowly Fall Back
• Don't Forget It!
• 10 Seconds

4 • Inhale
• Raise Shoulders
• Hold
• Exhale & Relax
• Repeat
• 3 Times

5 • Swing Arms Lengthy In Big Circles
• Both Directions

6 • Press Palms Slowly Together
• 20 Seconds
• Repeat 3 Times

7 • Gently Press Palm To Forearm
• Try Relaxing Hand Each Direction Once Flexed
• 20 Seconds

8 • Use Wall For Balance
• Use Easy Pressure
• 10 Seconds
• 3 Times

9 • Reach Up To Side
• Both Directions
• 10 Seconds

10 • Standing or Seated
• Standing Rest Buttocks To Wall For Support
• Slowly Slide Hands Down Legs
• Exhale
• Let Arms Dangle
• Try Tucking Chin
• 15 Seconds - Curl Up Slowly
• 3 Times

11 • Right Leg Bent - Left Leg Extended
• Hock Right Hand Under Left Elbow
• Twist To Right
• Exhale
• 10 Seconds
• Each Side

12 • Focus on Balance And Staying Centered
• Move Arms In Circles
• Both Directions
• 3 Times

13 • Keep Back Straight
• Press Weight Back To Head
• Keep Shoulders Down
• 30 Seconds

14 • Arms Stretched
• Try With Feet Up And With Feet Flat On The Floor
• 30 Seconds

15 • Greet Ankles
• Exhale
• Tuck Chin & Let Head Fall Towards Knees
• 30 Seconds

16 • Legs Apart
• Exhale
• Grip Opposite Foot
• Opposite Foot
• Tuck Chin
• 30 Seconds

STRETCHING III

Lymphodynamics



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- 17A**
- Left Knee Up
 - Roll Over Right Knee
 - Arms Down
 - Inhale
 - Exhale
 - Roll To Left
 - Use Right Hand To Support Low Back
 - Inhale
 - Exhale
 - Both Sides
- 18**
- Left Hand Up
 - Roll Left Knee To Right
 - Inhale
 - Exhale
 - 30 Seconds
 - Both Sides
- 19**
- Both Arms Raised
 - Right Leg Hugs Left Leg Over
 - Inhale
 - Exhale
 - 30 Seconds
- 20**
- Cross Left Leg Over Right Knee
 - Turn Head & Eyes To Left
 - Inhale
 - Exhale
 - 20 Seconds
 - Both Sides
- 21**
- Massage Sole Of Foot With Thumb
 - Full Toes Straight Out
- 22**
- Inhale
 - Exhale
 - 30 Seconds
- 23**
- Cross Legs
 - Lean Forwards
 - Tuck Chin
 - 30 Seconds
- 24**
- Inhale
 - Exhale
 - Roll Toes Back
 - Let Body Weight Drop
 - Inhale
 - Reach Forwards With Hands
 - Exhale
 - 30 Seconds
- 25**
- Reach Forward Alternately With Each Hand While Extending Leg
 - Inhale
 - Exhale
 - 3 Times Each Leg
- 26**
- Extend Upwards With Arms Slowly
 - Inhale
 - Exhale
 - 15 Seconds
- 27**
- Lie With Pelvis On End Of Table
 - Hug Right Knee To Chest
 - Inhale
 - Exhale
 - Allow Left Leg To Drop
 - 30 Seconds Minimum
 - Each Side
- 28**
- Hold Breath
 - Roll Arms Down And Back
 - Inhale
 - Reach Upwards
 - Inhale
 - Exhale
 - 30 Seconds
- 29**
- Exhale
 - Drop Forwards
 - Inhale Loosely
 - Clasp To Knees
 - Inhale
 - Reach Slowly
 - Exhale
 - 30 Seconds
- 30**
- Exhale
 - Raise On Toes
 - Make Feet
 - Hold Breath
 - 10 Seconds
 - Repeat 3 Times
- 31**
- Raise On Toes
 - Raise Arms Horizontally
 - Hold Breath
 - 10 Seconds
 - Repeat 3 Times
- 32**
- Exhale
 - Drop Slowly
 - Repeat 3 Times
 - Exhale
 - Roll Breath
 - Roll Arms Down And Back
 - Inhale
 - Exhale
 - 30 Seconds

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