

Routine For: Sample Exercises Created By: Sachin Desai, PT

Swiss Ball: Spine Exercises

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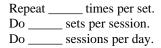
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****Be patient and work as per the guidelines. It takes some time to see objective improvement. Feel free to ask questions if you have any concerns.

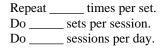
SPINE - 10 Lateral Pelvic Tilt

Gently move hips from side to side.



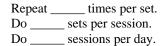


Gently rotate pelvis forward and backward.





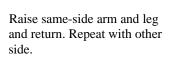
Raise one arm above head and return. Repeat with other arm.







SPINE - 15 Sitting Same-Side Arm and Leg Raise



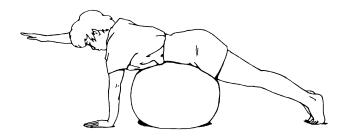
Repeat _____ times per set.

Do _____ sets per session.

Do ____ sessions per day.



SPINE - 24 Prone Alternating Arm Raise

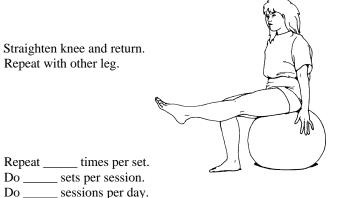


On hands and toes over ball, raise arm and return. Repeat with other arm.

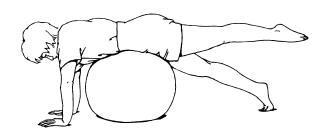
Repeat _____ times per set.

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SPINE - 16 Sitting Leg Extension

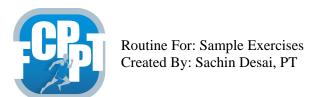


SPINE - 25 Prone Alternating Leg Raise

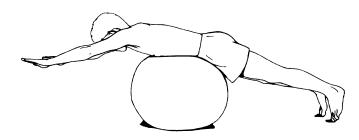


On hands and toes over ball, raise one leg and return. Do not arch back. Repeat with other leg.

Repeat _____ times per set.
Do _____ sets per session. Do _____ sessions per day.



SPINE - 28 Prone Bilateral Arm Raise



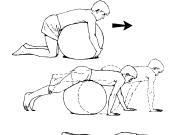
Balancing with toes, raise both arms.

Repeat _____ times per set.

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SPINE - 30 Kneeling Ball Walk to Thighs/Toes

Kneeling with stomach on ball, walk forward until it rests under <u>toes</u>.



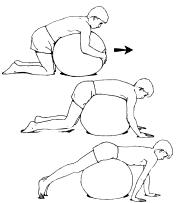
Repeat _____ times per set.
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SPINE - 29

Kneeling Ball Walk to Toes Touching Floor

Kneeling with stomach on ball, walk forward until toes drag.

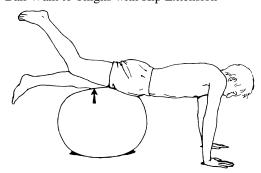


Repeat _____ times per set.

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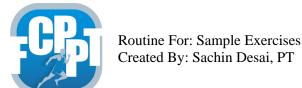
SPINE - 31 Prone Ball Walk to Thighs with Hip Extension



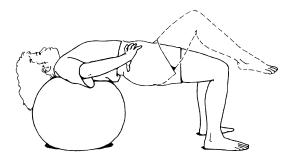
Walk forward on ball until it rests under thighs. Raise one thigh from ball. Return. Repeat with other thigh.

Repeat _____ times per set.

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SPINE - 40 Bridging with Leg Raise

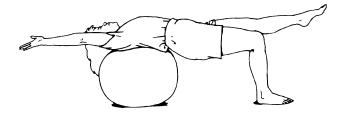


In bridging position with ball under shoulders, raise one bent knee. Maintain balance. Repeat with other leg.

Repeat _____ times per set.

Do _____ sets per session. Do ____ sessions per day.

SPINE - 42 Bridging with Opposite Arm and Leg Raise



In bridging position with ball under shoulders, raise one arm and opposite leg simultaneously. Do not let hips sag. Maintain balance. Repeat with other limbs.

Repeat _____ times per set.
Do _____ sets per session. Do ____ sessions per day.

SPINE - 41 Bridging with Arm Raise

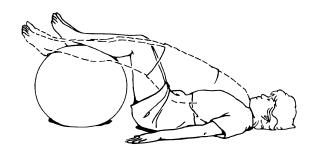


In bridging position with ball under shoulders, raise one arm over head and parallel to floor. Maintain balance. Repeat with other arm.

Repeat _____ times per set.

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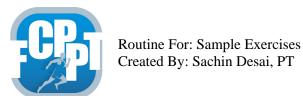
SPINE - 38 Bridging with Calves on Ball



Lying on back with calves resting on ball, raise buttocks from floor.

Repeat _____ times per set.

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SPINE - 13 Sitting Alternating Leg Raise



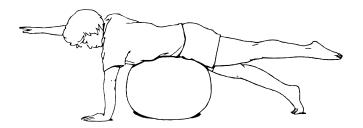
Raise bent knee and return. Repeat with other leg.

Repeat _____ times per set.

Do _____ sets per session.

Do ____ sessions per day.

SPINE - 26 Prone Opposite Arm and Leg Raise

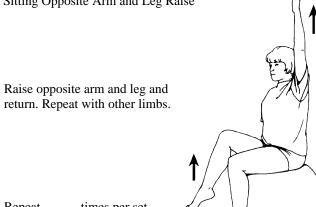


On hands and toes over ball, raise one arm and opposite leg simultaneously. Do not arch back. Repeat with other limbs.

Repeat _____ times per set.

Do _____ sets per session. Do ____ sessions per day.

SPINE - 14 Sitting Opposite Arm and Leg Raise

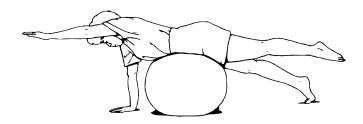


Repeat _____ times per set.

Do _____ sets per session.

Do ____ sessions per day.

SPINE - 27 Prone Same-Side Arm and Leg Raise



On hands and toes over ball, raise same-side arm and leg simultaneously. Do not arch back. Repeat with other side.

Repeat _____ times per set.

Do _____ sets per session. Do _____ sessions per day.



EXERCISE INSTRUCTION Developing Routine	EXERCISE INSTRUCTION Proper Breathing and Posture
You may feel some tightness in your movements when you first begin the program. It takes persistence and patience to work toward your goal. Do these exercises DAILY to get the best results. Develop a routine of doing them at a certain time of the day as much as possible.	It is important that you breathe normally while doing your exercises, and avoid holding your breath. Maintain good posture and proper head alignment when performing the exercises.
EXERCISE INSTRUCTION Avoid Overdoing	
If you experience pain while doing any of the exercises, consult your health care provider before resuming the program. It is important to follow the repetitions as recommended in your exercise instructions in order to avoid overdoing. Also, build up your tolerance by increasing by no more than one repetition a day until you reach the maximum recommended.	