

REVERSE TOTAL SHOULDER ARTHROPLASTY for Dr. Wolf's patients

Postop:

0-6 Weeks Begin Day 1-2:

- 1. Pendulum exercises 3x/day minimum
- 2. Elbow and wrist AROM 3x/day

ROM limited with flexion to 0-150° ER to 30° and abduction 90°

- 1. PROM all ranges within limitations
- 2. Light AAROM including pulley and wand exercises, progressing as tolerated within ROM restrictions
- 3. Manual resisted scapular motions
- 4. Gentle Isometrics, except IR
- 5. Modalities as indicated

>6 Weeks

- 1. Initiate Thera-Band exercises
- 2. Emphasis on quality of exercise with postural education
- 3. Scapular stabilizing exercises
- 4. Add IR resistance

DISCHARGE TO INDEPENDENT PROGRAM WHEN ROM PLATEAU REACHED