# Exercises from a sitting position

Do not overdo it, start slowly and build the number of repetitions gradually. Use a firm chair.

#### Neck stretches

Side bends: Tilt head sideways as if to touch ear to shoulder.

Right: Hold 10 secs. 10 reps

Left: Hold 10 secs. 10 reps

Chin to chest: Bend chin forward to chest.

Hold 10 secs. 10 reps



Raise arm up, pause at the top for 2 seconds and bring down.

Right arm: 10 reps Left arm: 10 reps

Both arms: 10 reps

### Back stretching and strengthening

Legs apart, place hands on each side of right knee. Slide hands from knee to ankle and return to upright sitting position.

Right knee: 10 reps Left knee: 10 reps

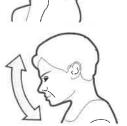
## Seated marching

Alternate lifting knees to chest as if marching.

Right leg: 10-15 reps

Left leg: 10-15 reps





## Rowing

Make sure to sit as straight as possible. Place arm straight out in front and then pull arm back with elbow next to your side.

Right arm: 10 reps Left arm: 10 reps

Both arms: 10 reps



## Ankle range of motion

Point toes up as far as possible and then down as far as possible. Rotate both feet.

Rotate Clockwise: 20 reps

Counterclockwise: 20 reps



#### Knee extension

Straighten knee, pause and then lower foot back to floor.

Right leg: 10 reps

Left leg: 10 reps



#### Small kicks

Straighten and bend knee, as in a kicking motion.

Right leg: 10-15 reps

Left leg: 10-15 reps



