



Chest and Shoulder Self-Stretch

The purpose of this stretch is to stretch the tight soft tissue at the front of the neck, shoulders, and chest. Your therapist will have helped you isolate areas of tightness which would benefit from this self-stretch. Place a piece of non-skid shelf liner over the tight area and with one or both hands, gently “take of the slack” in the tissue in one direction until you feel resistance. Hold that barrier, not trying to force through it, until you feel the tissue warm and release. Continue to follow and hold the barrier until a reduction in the symptom is noted. Repeat as directed by your therapist.

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