**Bankart repair +/-Remplissage**

*Patient and therapist information sheet*

**Procedure details:**  arthroscopic surgery to hold the labrum (cartilage rim of glenoid) and capsule to the desired location with anchors and sutures

**Goals of treatment:** To allow the stabilising structures to heal in the desired location to improve the shoulder stability, prevent further dislocations. The rehabilitation phases allow initial pain to settle and structures repaired to heal. The subsequent phases aim to increase range of motion and gain function of the shoulder without loading the healing structures. The final stages of rehabilitation involve muscle tone and strengthening to improve shoulder biomechanics. These exercises are to benefit both shoulders and can be done for some time after healed and returned to your desired activities to ensure good shoulder balance.

**Rehabilitation phases.**

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| **Phase** | **Time (weeks)** | **Restrictions**  | **Exercises** |
| 1 | 0-2 | No external rotation, abduction.Stay in sling, off for showers whilst keeping hand on abdomenand elbow range of motion | Active hand, wrist and elbow range of motion. (Not for Elbow Flexion if have had a biceps procedure)Scapular range of motion exercises in sling |
| 2 | 2-6 | No External rotation past neutralNo flexion or abduction greater than 90No active shoulder ROMOk for office and light duties | PendulumsPassive range of motion initially – moving to active assistedER to 0, Flex to 90, abd to 90, IR to PSIS. These are goals to achieve by week 5-6, not for the first aspect of phase 2.Scapular range of motion exercises out of sling, with hands clasped.Sub scapularis strengthening within range. |
| 3 | 6-12 | No Sport, Remove slingReturn to work (most ocupations) | Active range of motionAim to achieve full range of motion by 10 weeks.Active assisted range of motion.Passive stretchesRotator cuff strengthening, particularly sub scapularis strengthening full range |
| 4 | 12weeks - 6 months | Limited sports – swimming, running, cyclingOK to return to gym from 4 months, altered exercises.No contact sport until 6 monthsSport specific training from 4.5 months | Full range of motionStrengthening rotator cuff and periscapular musclesSport specific training from 4.5 monthsBench press and free weights allowed – without shoulder extension – floor based |