## Arthroscopic Bankart Repair + Remplissage (updated September 2024) Postoperative Rehabilitation Protocol Dr. Jeffrey Witty, M.D.

	Weightbearing	Sling	ROM	Exercise
Phase I Week 0 - 6	NWB	Sling immobilizer at all times when not doing exercises	Hand, wrist, elbow ROM only No ROM shoulder	None
Phase II Week 6 - 12 Phase III	Progress as tolerated  WBAT	Wean out of sling  None	Progress as tolerated.  Limit ER to approx. 50% opposite (non – op) shoulder  No limitations	Progress strength as tolerated.
Week 12 - 24			including ER	strength
Phase IV Start Week 24 and beyond	WBAT	None	No restrictions  Normalize ROM	Progress strength with goals for full sport and activity after 6 months

## Other Notes:

- Throwing program for overhead athletes between 3 – 6 months.

## **Modalities:**

- Ice for swelling, pain

## Adapted from:

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