

## Things to keep in mind while performing exercises:

- Keep shoulder blade set (down and back) before starting each exercise
- Try not to shrug the shoulder during the exercise
- Hold each exercise for at least 1 second before returning slowly to the start position
- Begin by performing 3 sets of 10 repetitions
- A resistance band or weight will increase the difficulty of any exercise
- Pillows or laying next to the wall may assist the upper body from rolling side to side

#### Abduction

Keep the elbow straight as the arm raises out to side to shoulder height.



#### **External Rotation**

With the elbow bent and tucked at side, rotate arm towards the ceiling.



# Reverse Fly in prone

Lift the arm up towards the ceiling out to side.







### Push Up on elbows

Press elbows into bed, lifting chest and shoulders.





### Push Up in prone

Press arms into bed, lifting chest and shoulders up. Straighten elbows as much as possible.





#### Rows in prone

Pull elbow up towards ceiling. Keeping elbow bent, squeeze shoulder blade back.



## **Extension in prone**

Raise arm back and at side while keeping elbow straight. Squeeze shoulder blade back.



