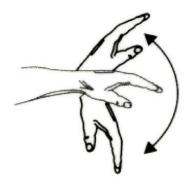
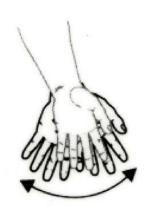
# **WRIST & FOREARM STRETCH**

If you flex, extend or bend your wrist repeatedly or for long periods of time





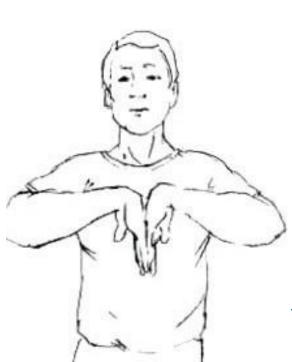
#### Then do these stretches:



Gently press palms together, stopping when stretch is achieved



Hold the stretch for 20 – 30 seconds





Gently push hands together until a stretch is achieved



Hold the stretch for 20 – 30 seconds

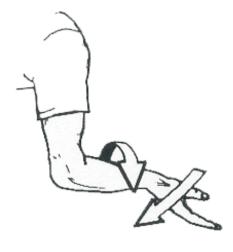
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# **ELBOW STRETCH**

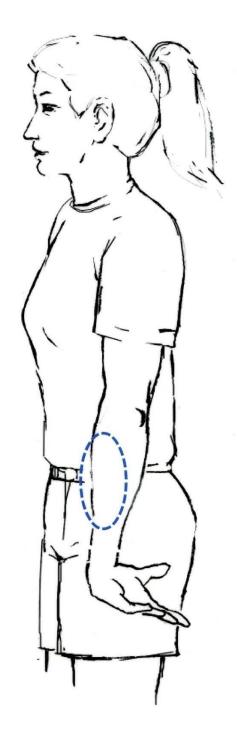
## If you use narrow or pinch grips for long periods of time



### Or roll your forearm repeatedly



#### Then do these stretches:





Keep your arm straight and flex your wrist back



Gently rotate your forearm to the inside until your hand points away from your body

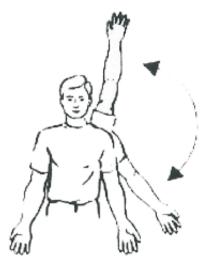


Hold for 20 – 30 seconds

# **CHEST & SHOULDERS STRETCH**

If you raise your arm to the side or to the front repeatedly or for long periods of time





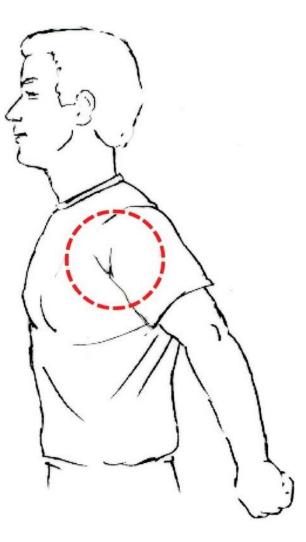
### Then do these stretches:

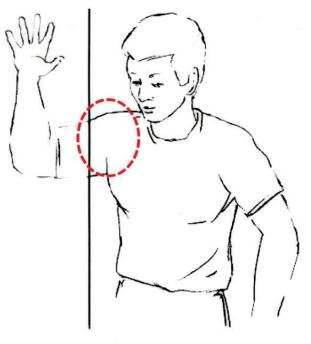


**Gently push arms back** 



Hold the stretch for 20 – 30 seconds







Bend arm at elbow and raise to shoulder height



Place palm against wall or flat surface



**Gently lean forward** 



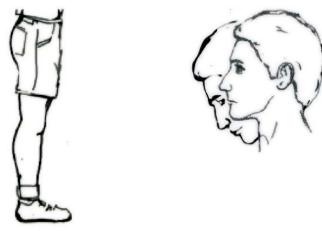
Hold stretch for 20 - 30 seconds



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# **NECK & SHOULDER STRETCH**

If you stand for long periods of time or bend your neck repeatedly



Then do these stretches:

Gently push arms forward and pull shoulder blades apart to achieve stretch

Hold the stretch for 20 – 30 seconds



Place one arm behind back, tilt chin toward chest, tilt head to opposite side

Hold the stretch for 20 – 30 seconds

## **LOWER BACK STRETCH**

### If you stand for long periods of time



### Or twist repeatedly



### Then do these stretches:

Sit down and lean forward, supporting your upper body with your hands



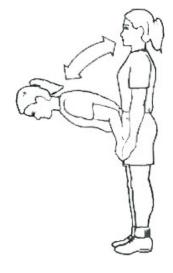
**✓** Hold stretch for 20 − 30 seconds

## **LOWER BACK EXTENSION**

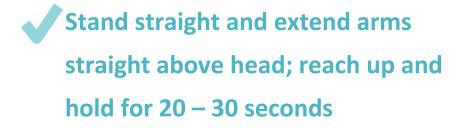
### If you sit for long periods of time



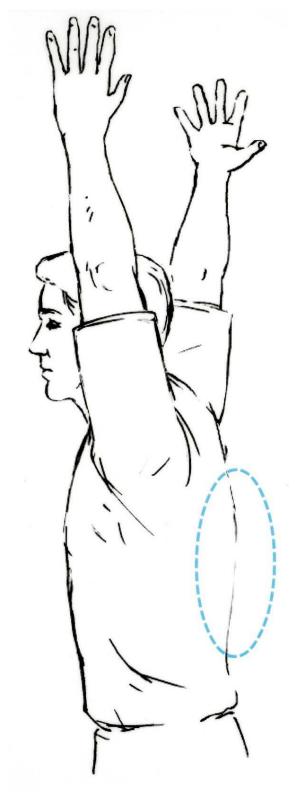
### Or bend repeatedly



### Then do these stretches:







## **SAFE LIFTING**

- Position you body close to the load or tool
- Keep your head and shoulders up and your feet shoulder-width apart
- Bend at your hips, allowing your buttocks to move backwards
- Draw your belly button toward your spine and hold
- Keep your heels on the floor throughout the lift
- Keep your shoulders over your knees and your knees over your toes



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