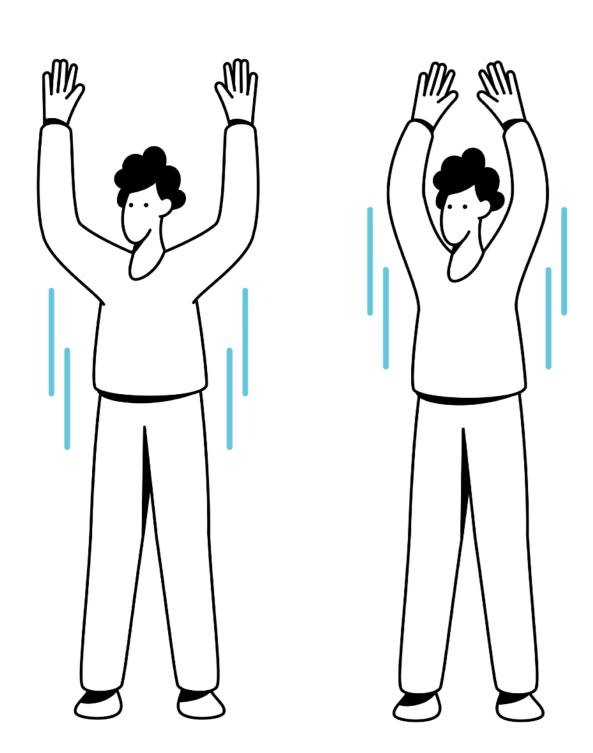


WARMING UP

Activities to get your body warmed up that require no equipment.

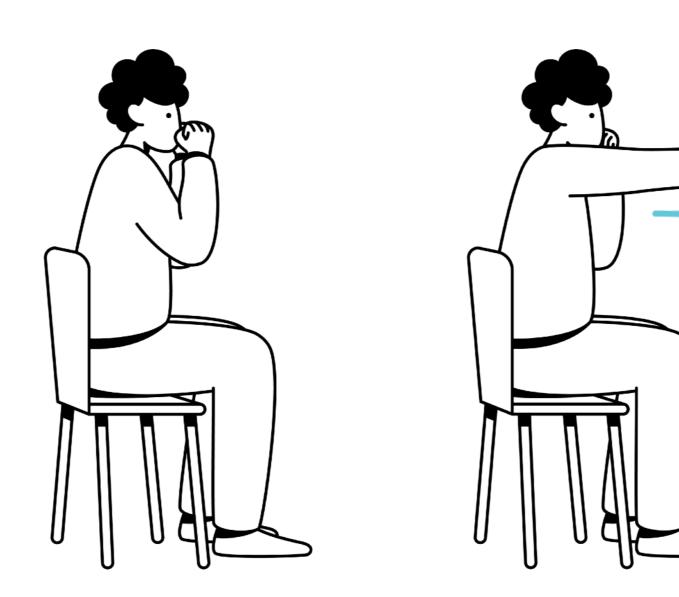
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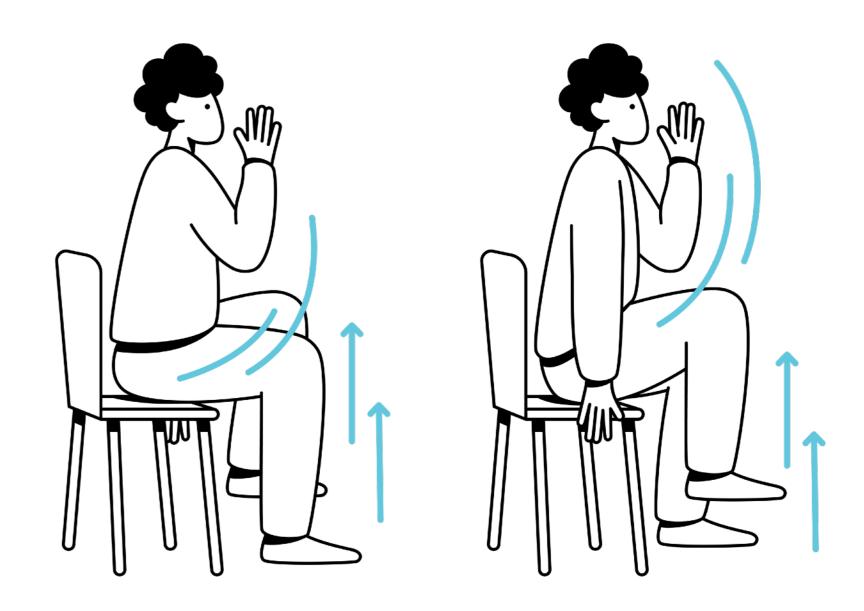
Push and Lift

Time to lift! Start with your hands in front of your shoulders and then push up overhead.



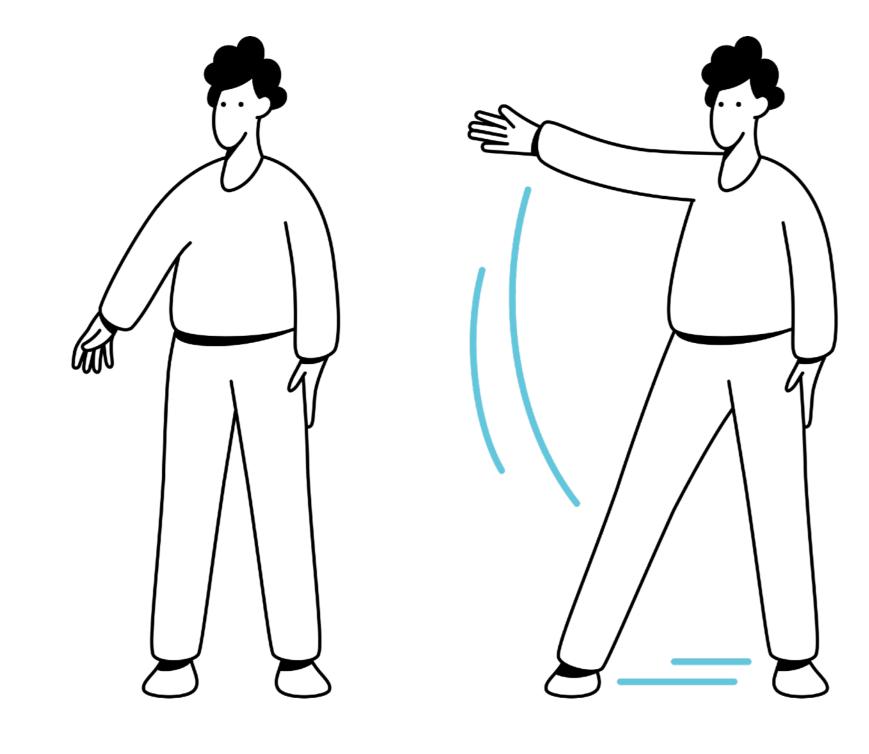
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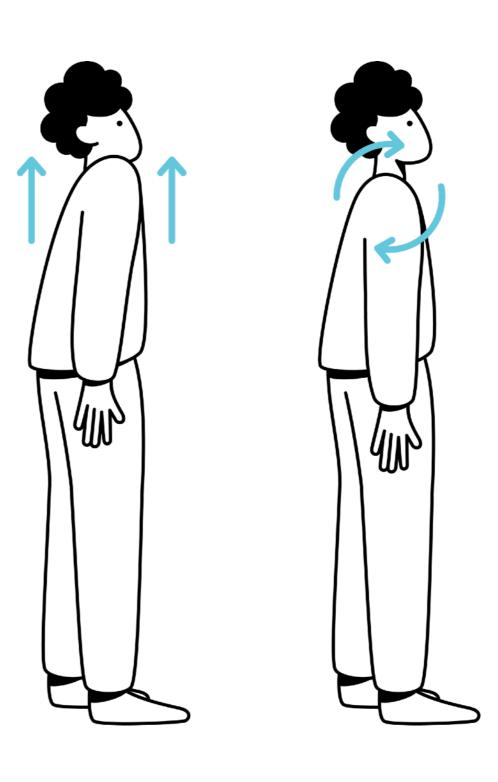
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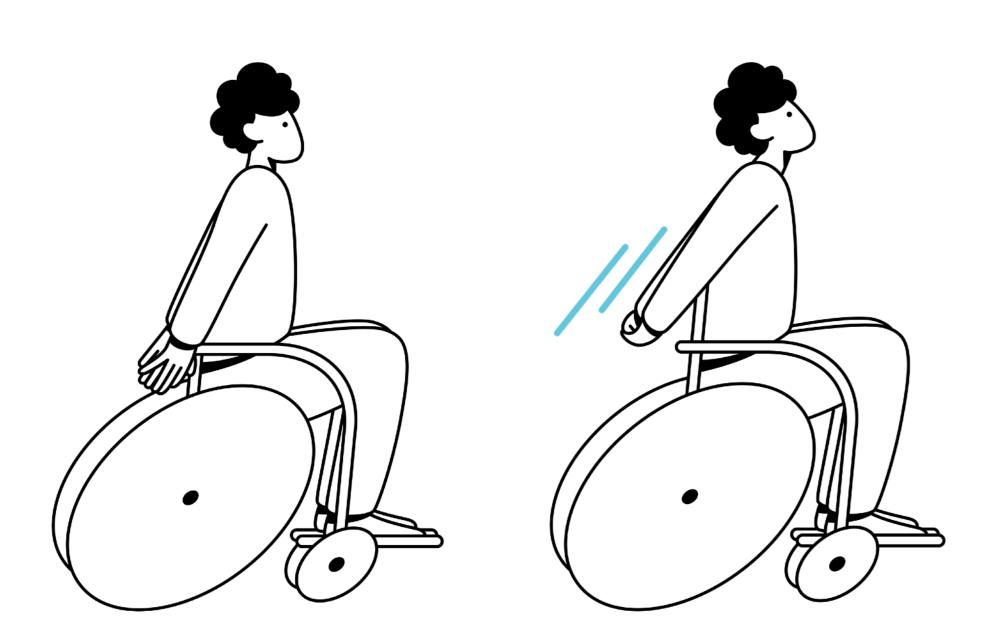
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STRESS-BUSTING

Stretching and other activities to unwind.

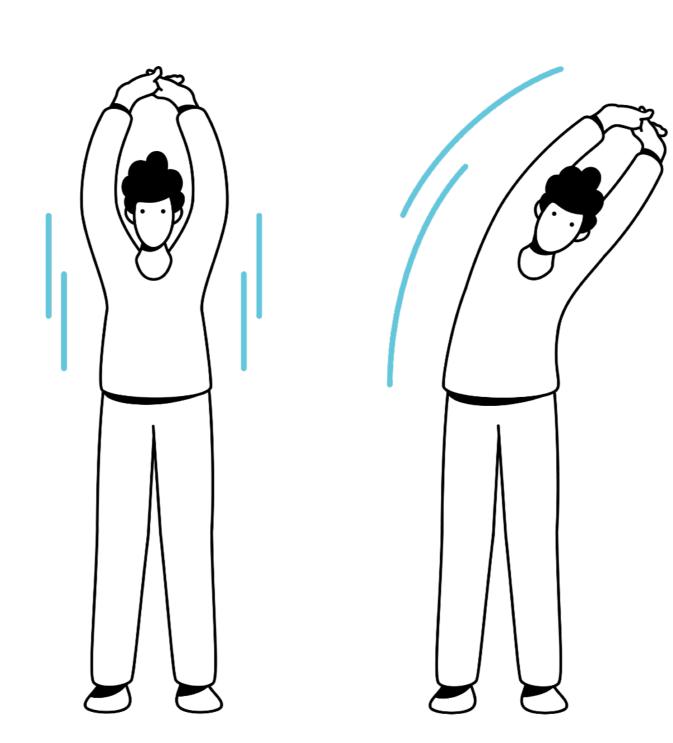
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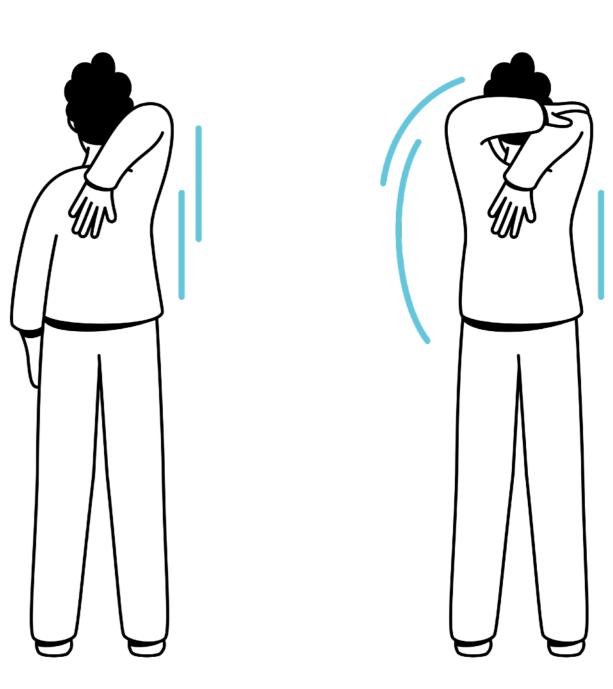
Stretch With Interlocked Hands

Interlock your hands behind your back and look at the ceiling. Gently pull your hands towards the floor (only as far as you're comfortable).



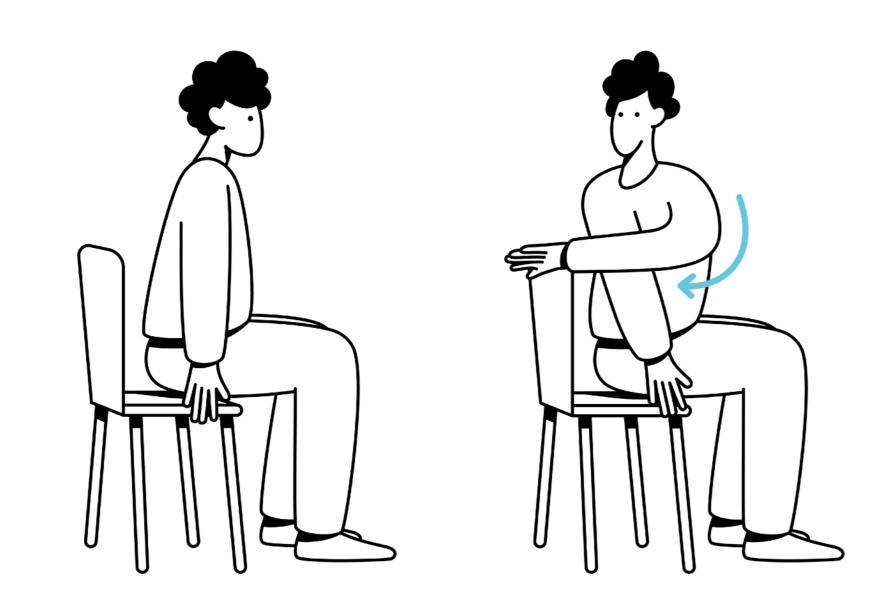
Stretch With Arms Above Head

Raise your hands above your head and stretch them from left to right. Interlink your hands when you do it for a bit more intensity.



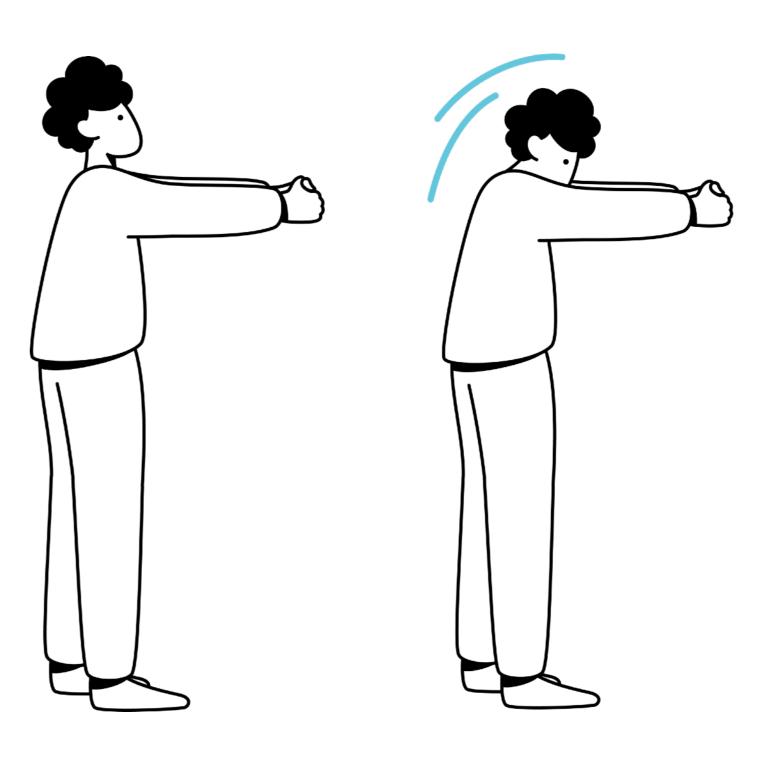
Arms Behind Back Stretch

Reach behind your shoulders and try to walk your fingers down your back. Don't worry if they don't touch - try holding on to your shirt instead.



Seated Unwind

Unwind - literally! Twist from the waist, and look back over your shoulder. Hold for a few seconds before twisting the other way.



Upper Back Stretch

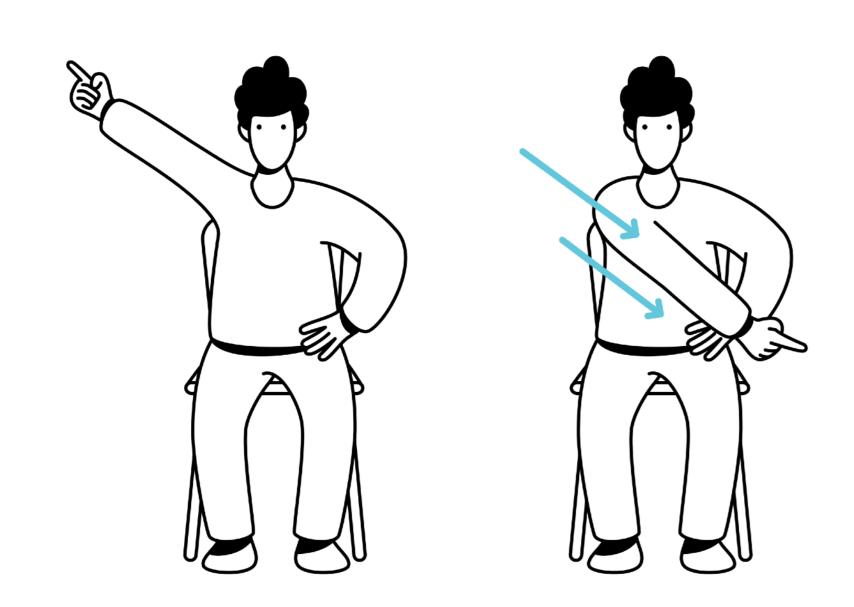
Keep your chin tucked into your chest Go to where feels comfortable. Interlock hands facing you and push towards the opposite wall to stretch your shoulders and upper back.

MOOD-BOOSTING

Activities to lift your spirits and clear your head.

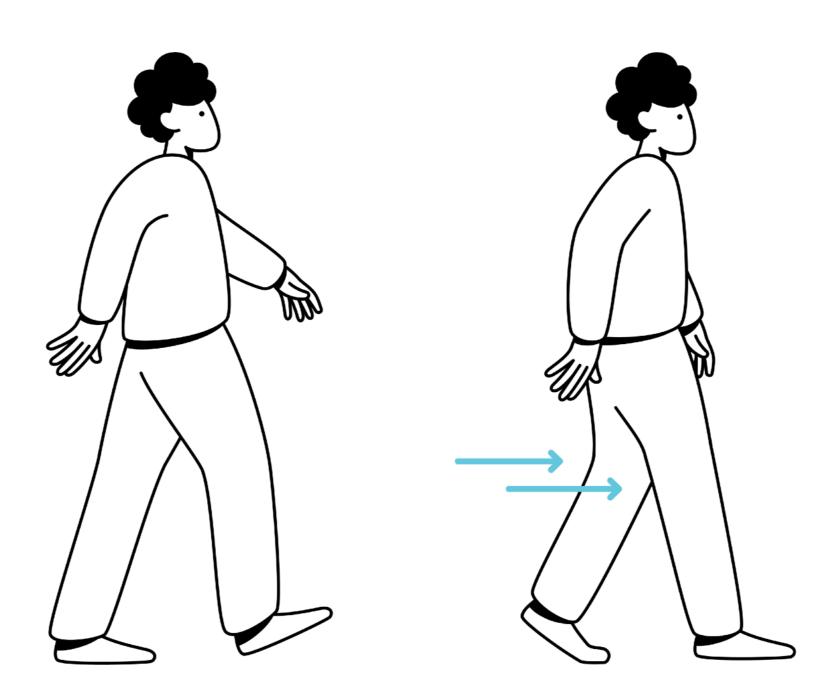
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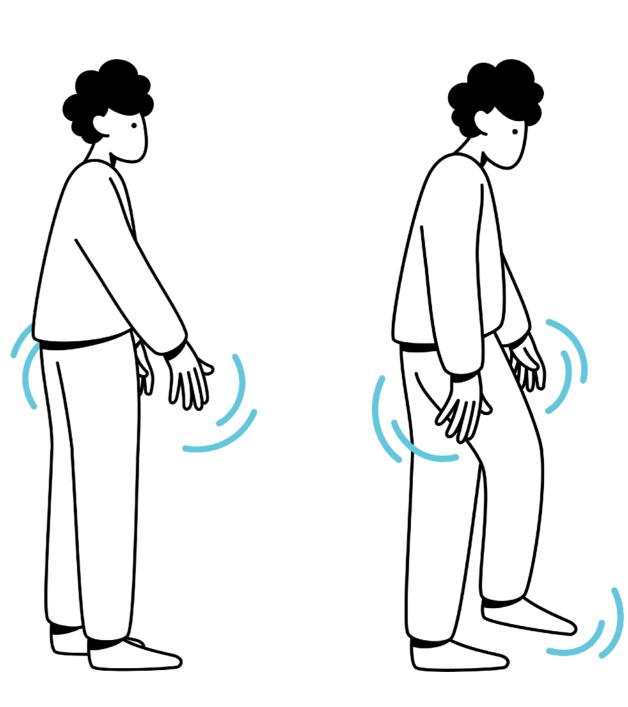
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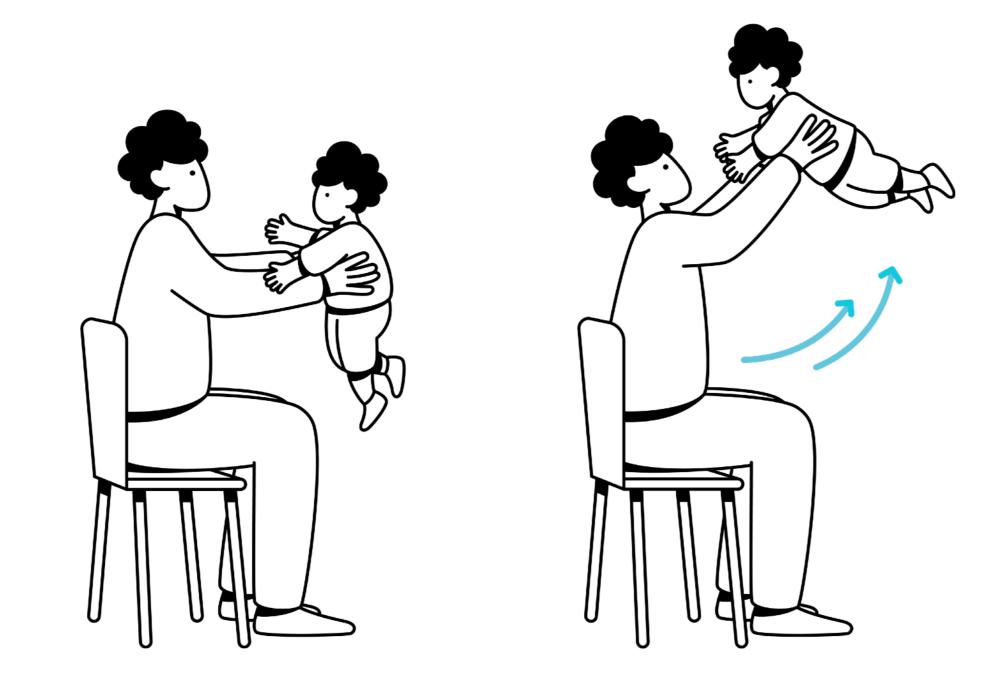
Move In Your Surroundings

Move around your surroundings for a minute, at your own pace. If you've got some outdoor space, why not move there?



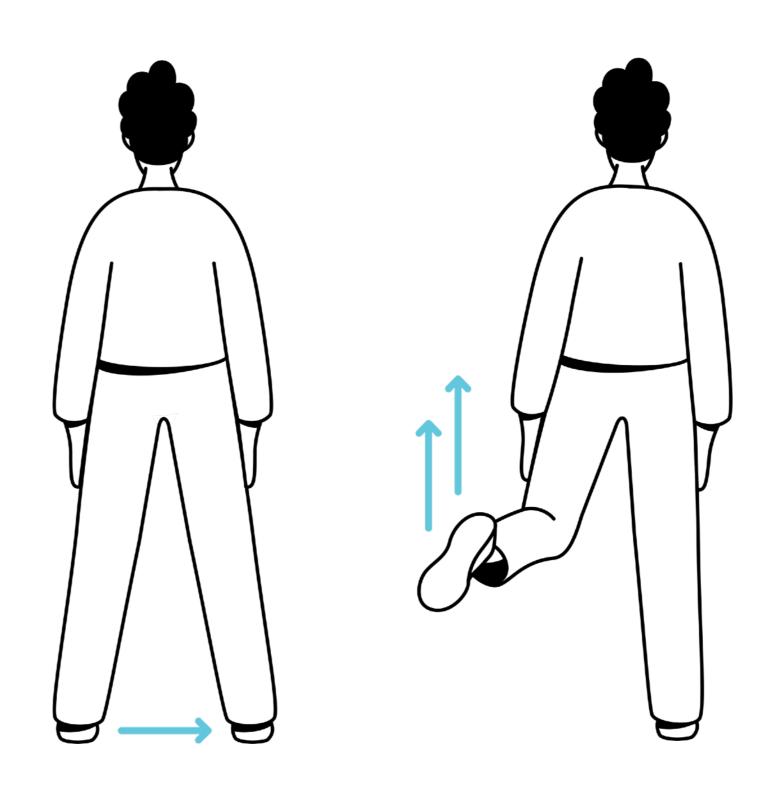
Shake It Out

Shake out the tension in your arms - and if you can, your legs, too. Now's the time to let loose!



Get Active With Grandchild

If you're getting active with a child or grandchild, it's their turn to pick which move you do!



Side Step And Heel Flick

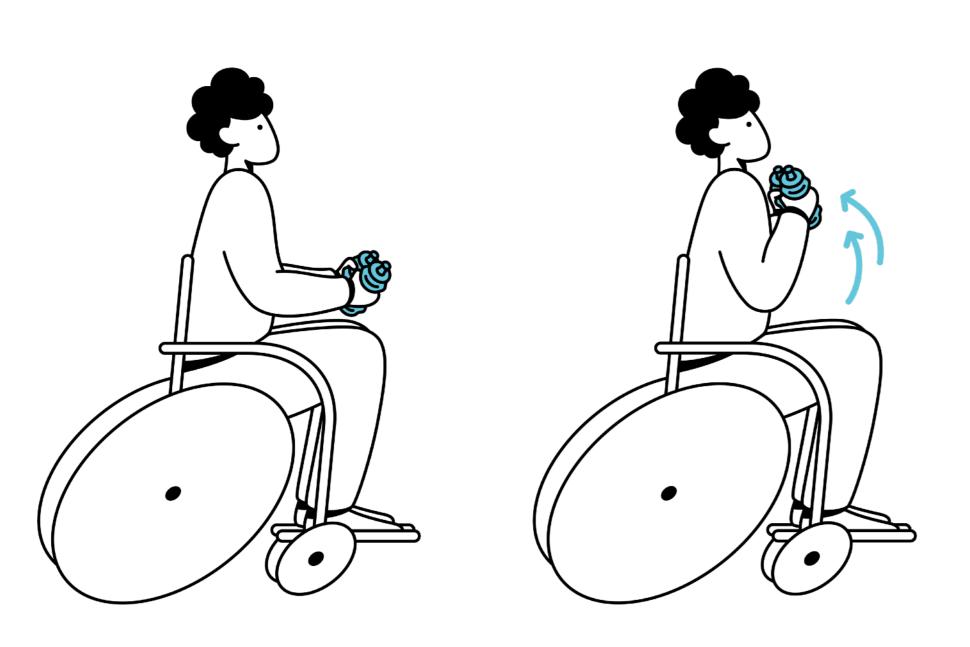
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EXERCISES WITH ACCESSORIES

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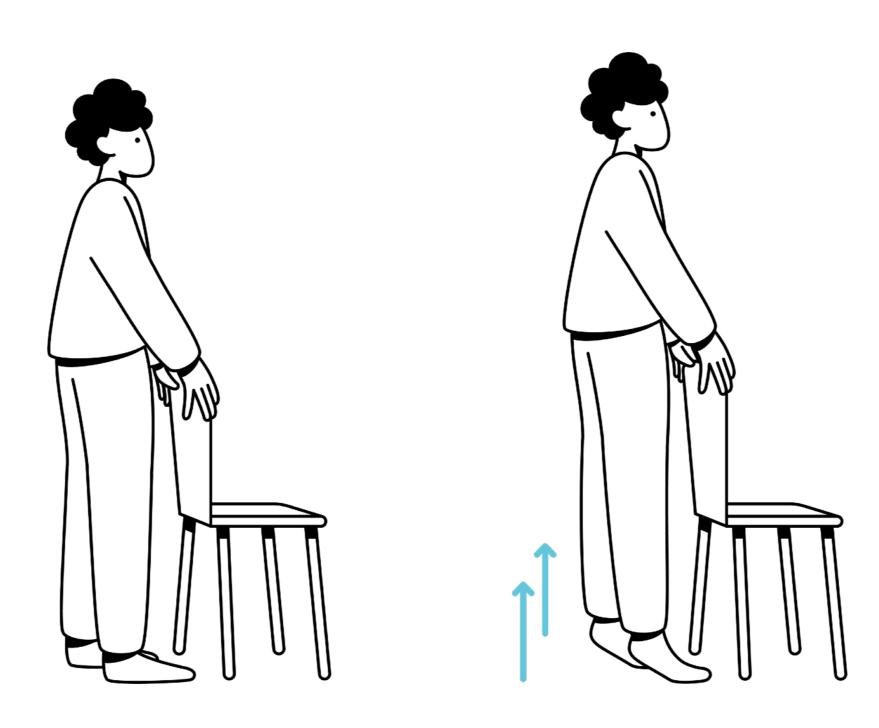
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Exercises with equipment or household items.



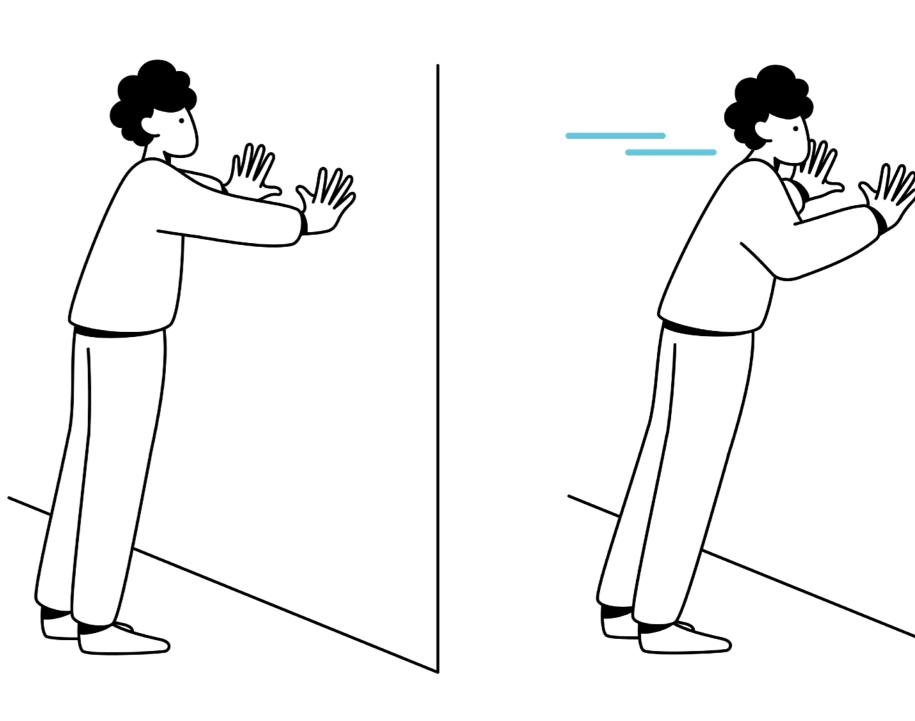
Bicep Curl With Cans

Holding a full water bottle or unopened can, curl your arm up to your shoulder and then bring it back down. No fancy equipment needed!



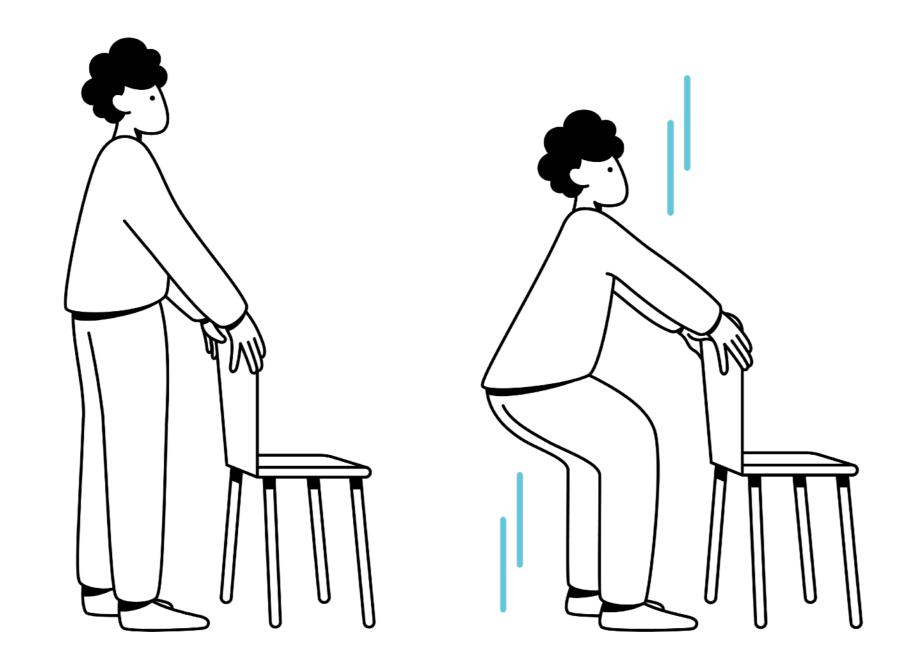
Calf Raises With Chair

Rise up to your tip toes for a few seconds before lowering back down. Hold onto a chair for support if needed.



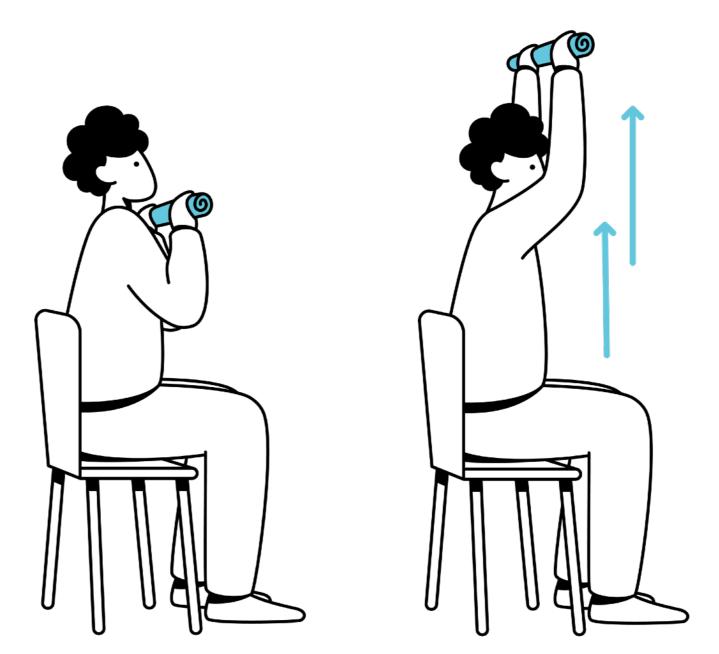
Wall Push Up

Face the wall and stand at an angle, hands shoulder width apart at shoulder height. Bend your elbows to lower your chest to the wall, then push back up.



Squat With Chair

Try squatting, but with a little support. Hold onto a chair with a straight back and feet hip width apart. Bend at the knees like you're going to sit, then straighten your legs to stand right back up.



Tea Towel Resistance Band

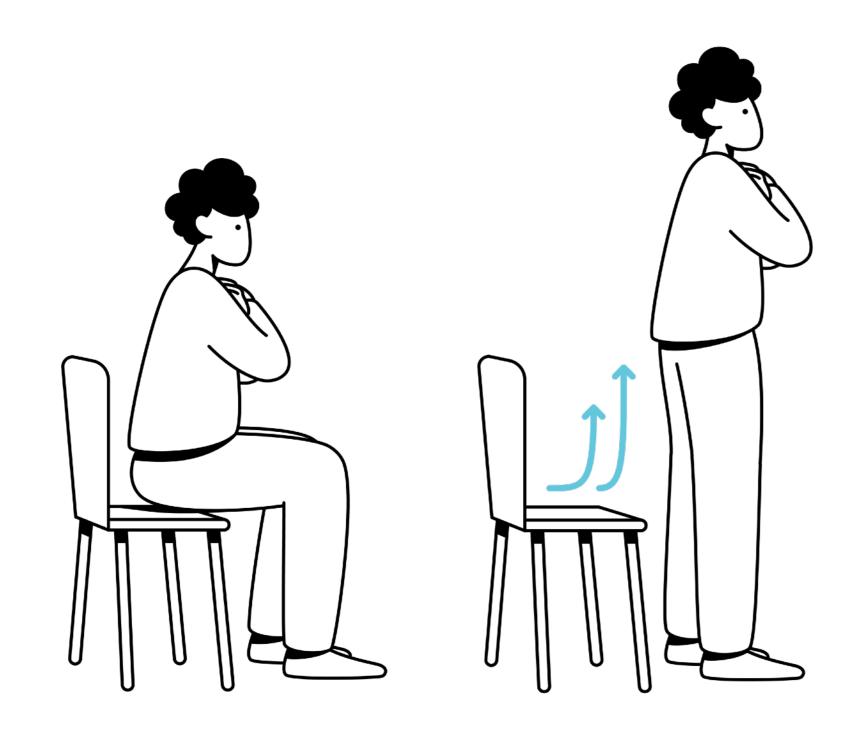
Make your own resistance band! Pull both ends of a tea towel with your hands. Bring the towel to your chin and then lift it over your head keeping bent elbows.

WHILE WATCHING TV

Activities to get moving while the ads are on.

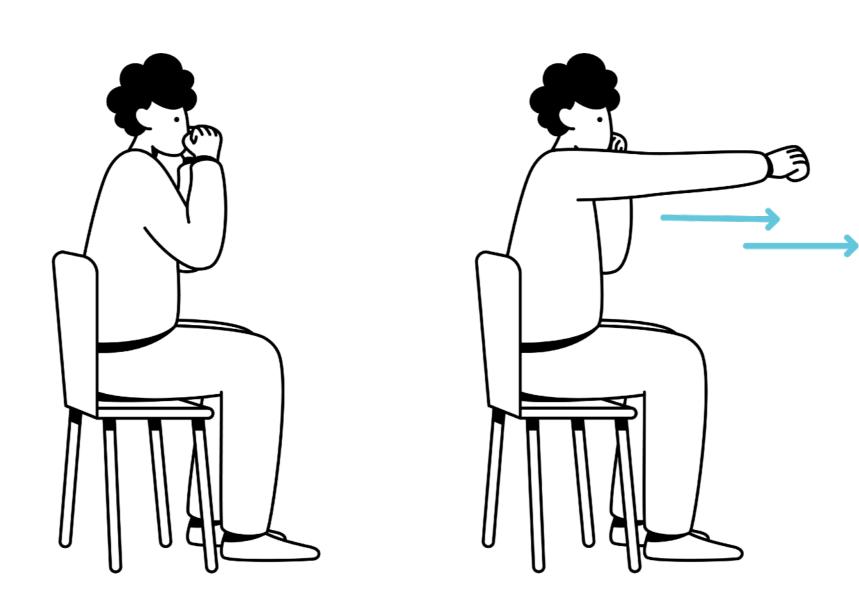
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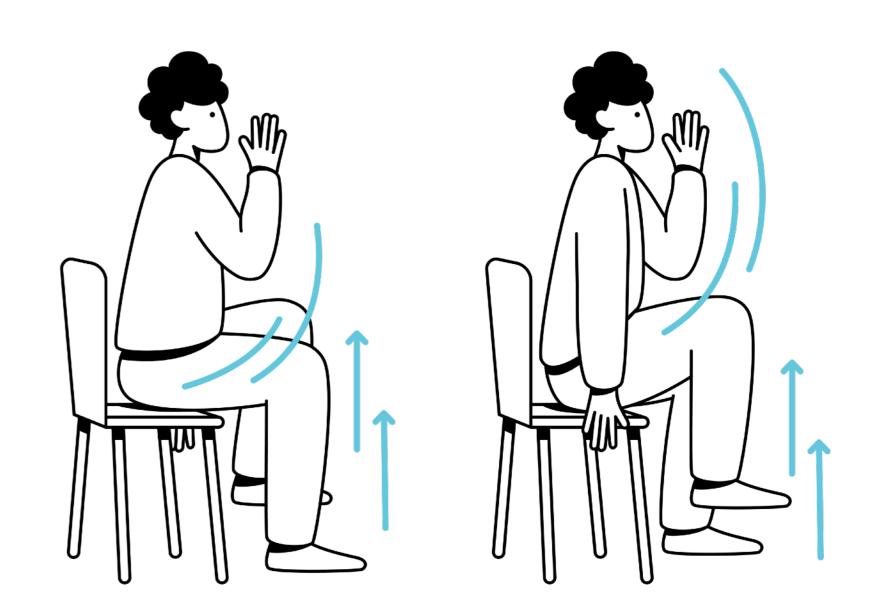
Sit To Stand

Start on the front of your chair, arms folded across your chest and stand up then slowly sit back down and repeat. Use your arms to support you if needed.



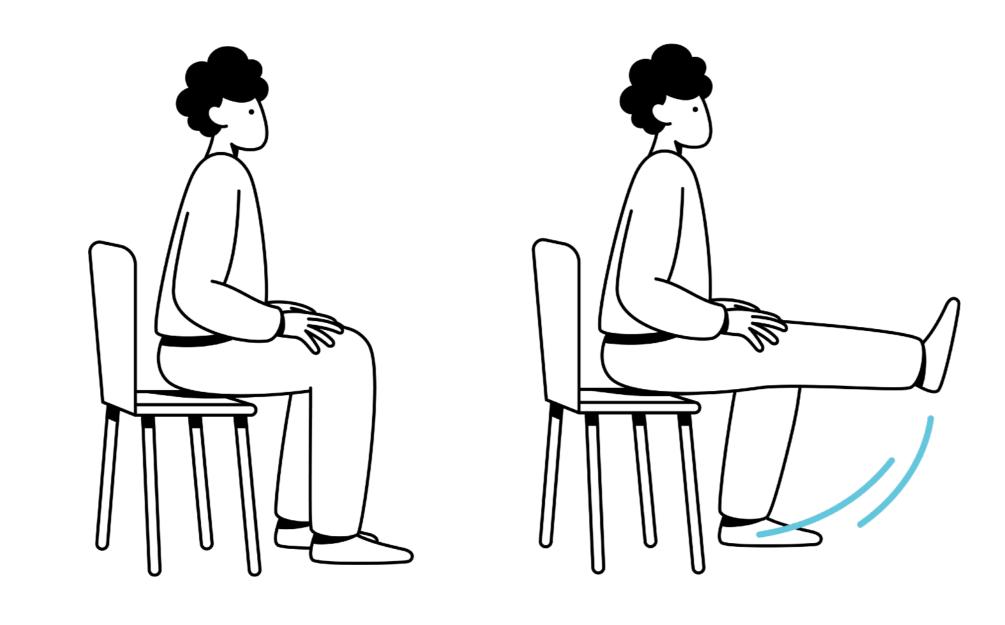
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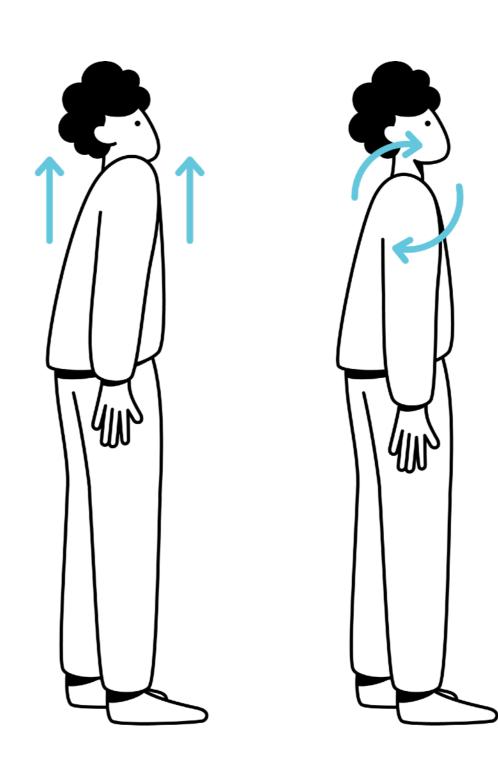
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Seated Leg Extension

Sit on the front of your chair and extend the leg from the knee on alternate legs.



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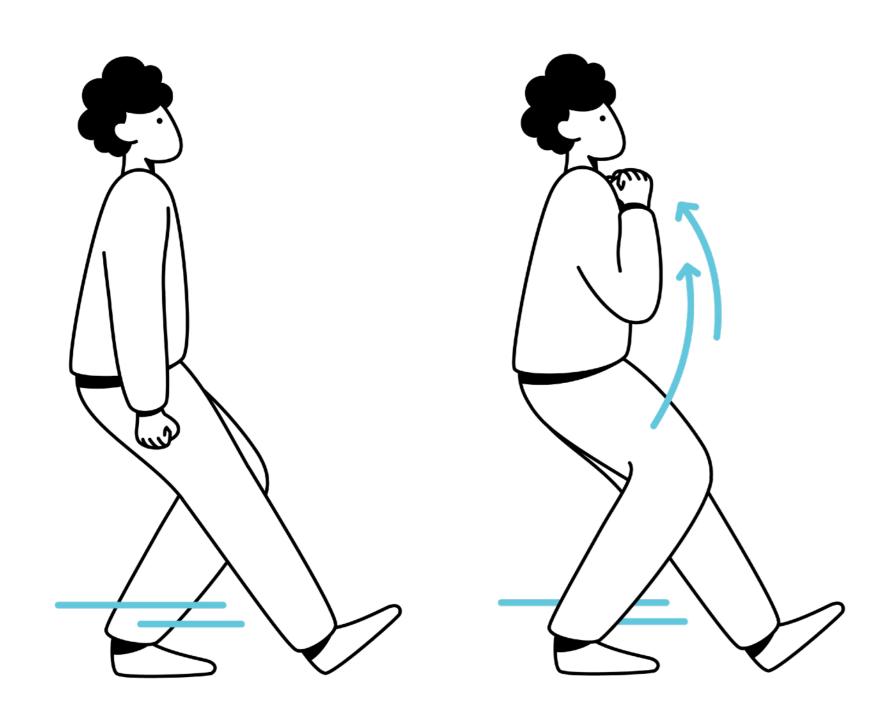
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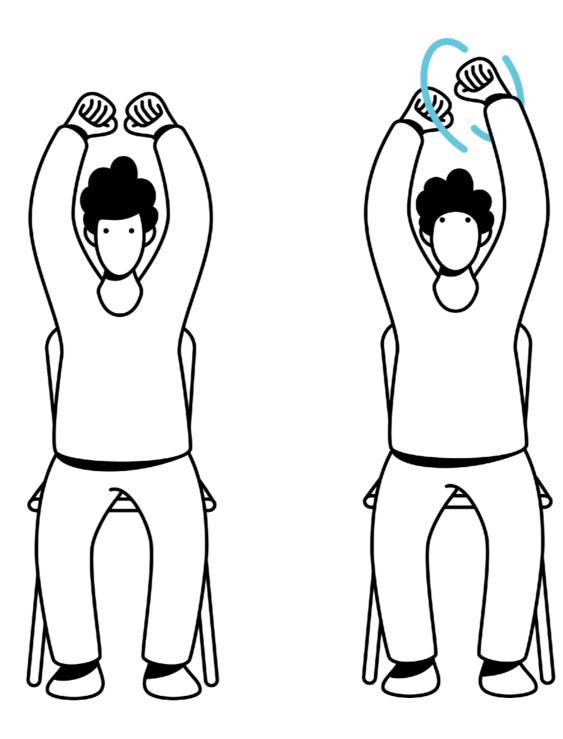
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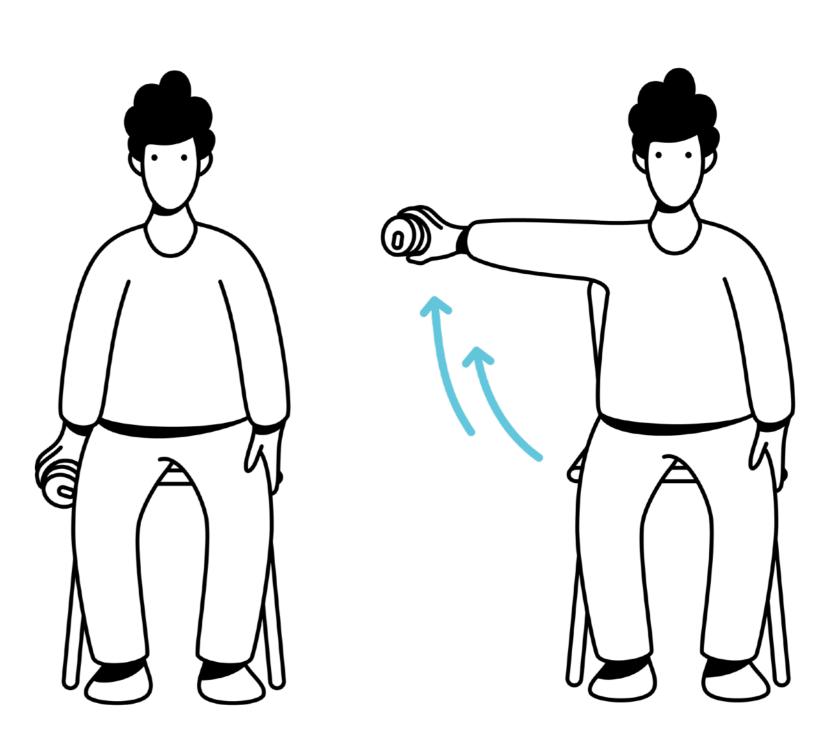
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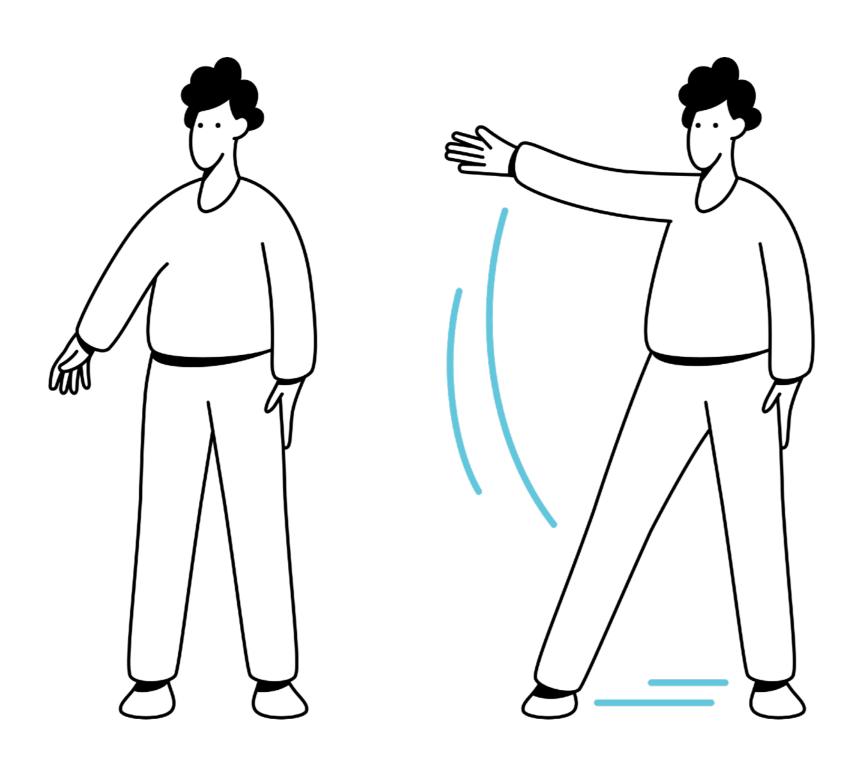
Seated Rolling Punches

Lift arms above your head, feet hip width apart, and do a rolling punching motion.



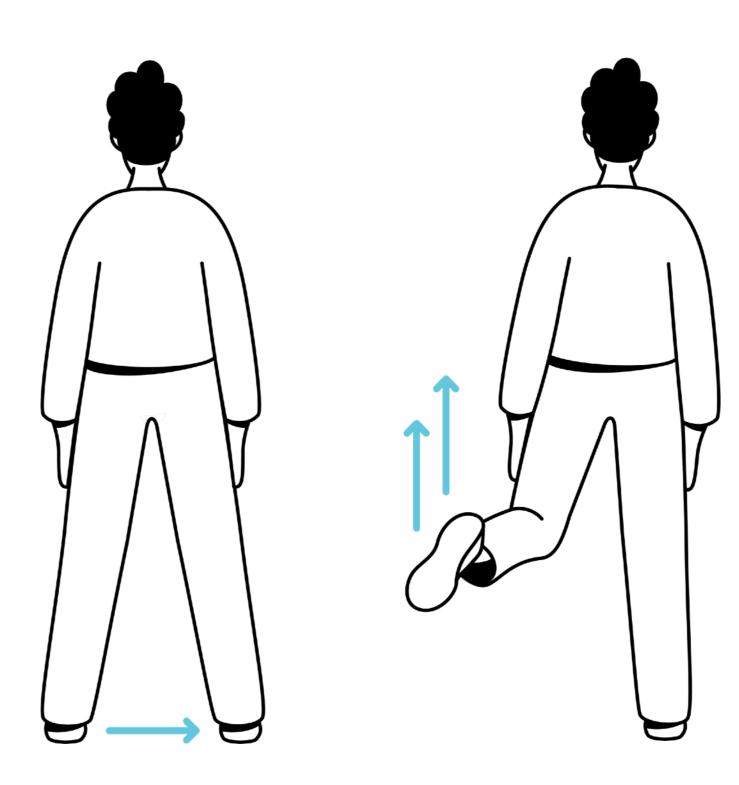
Seated Lateral Raises

Start with your arms down by your side and lift then to shoulders height laterally. Use a tin can or weight for extra intensity.



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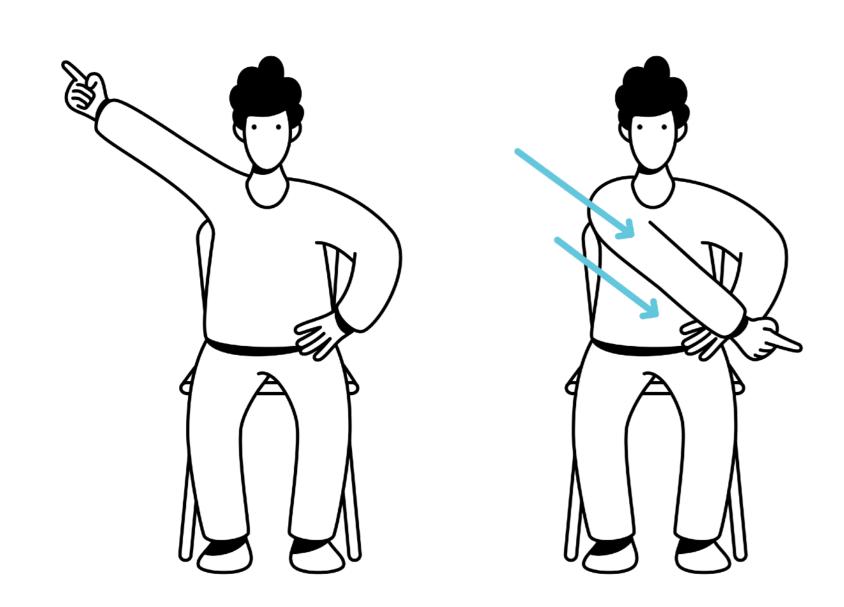
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IN THE KITCHEN

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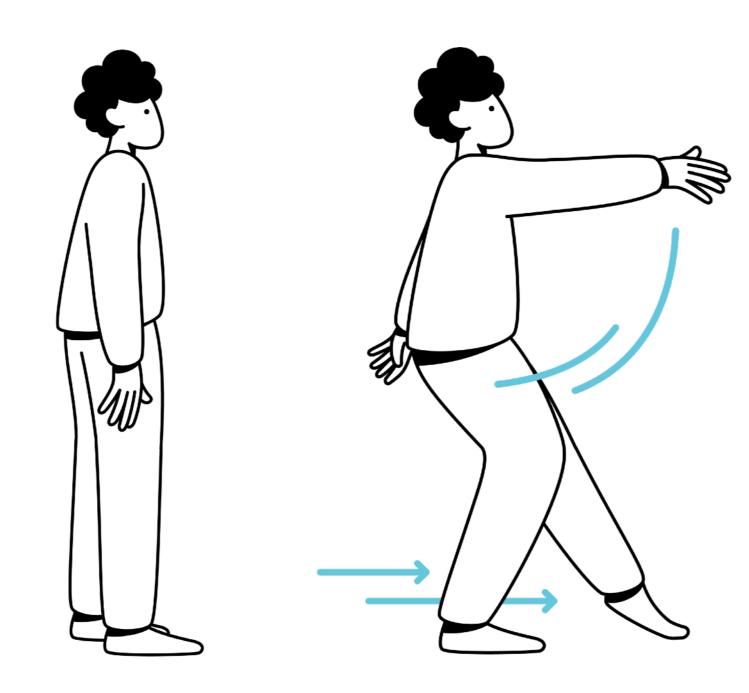
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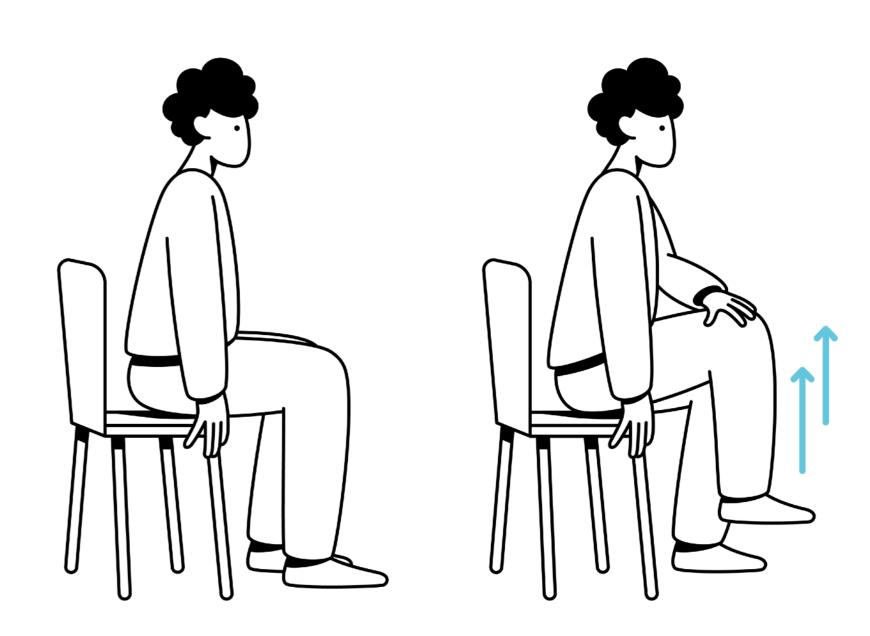
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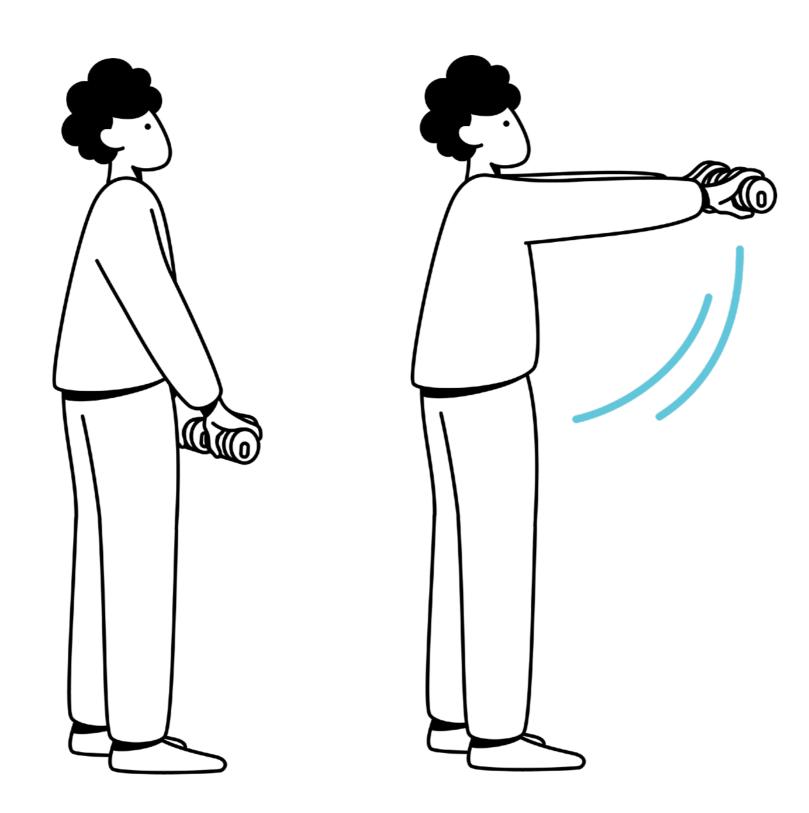
Toe Taps

Alternate your legs and place your toe out in front of you, slight bend of the opposite knee. Add arm raise, to the front, to increase intensity. Can be done seated or standing.



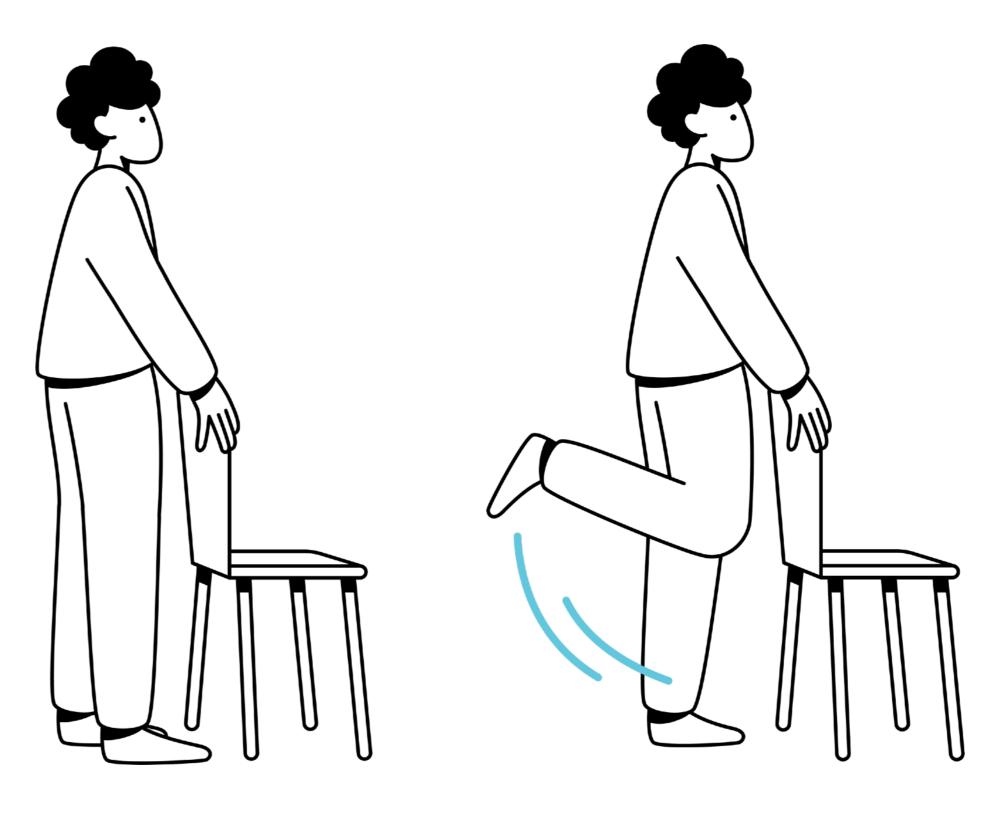
Knee Lifts

Raise knee up towards hip-height and tap your hand on to the knee when raised.



Front Raises

Grab a tin (or not) and lift your arms to the front from your side up until your arms are in line with your shoulder.



Hamstring Curl

Hold on to the worktop or a chair with one arm, stand up straight and lift one heel up at a time towards your backside.

MY FIVE IN FIVE

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