

## **Therapy & Wellness Group Timetable**

March 2025

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Morning		Morning		Morning
9.30-10.30am Circuit Group	<b>Morning</b> 9.30-10.30am Circuit Group	9.30am-10.30am Strong and Steady	<b>Morning</b> 9-9.30am HIIT (Gym)	8.45-9.30am Gym Circuit
9.30-10.15am Fit Ball Drumming	9:30 – 10:30am Balance & Core @ the Barre	10.30am-12pm Men's Group	9-9:45am Fit Ball Drumming (Hub)	9.30-10.15am Gym Circuit
10.30-11.30am Multiple Sclerosis Group	10am-11:30pm Talk-Back Group	11am-12pm Chair-Based Exercise	9.30-10.30am Circuit Group (R01)	9.30-10.30am Light Weights
10:45 – 11:30 Gym Circuit	11:00 – 12:00 pm	Afternoon	10:00- 11.00am Chair Based Exercise	9.45-10.45am Core fit
11am-12pm Chair-Based Exercise	Balance & Core @ the Barre	1-2.15pm	(Hub) 10:15am-11:15am	10:15am – 11:45am Memory Support Group
Afternoon	11am-12pm	Chi Ball	Hand Therapy (R03)	11am-12pm

1.15 -2.00pm Gym Circuit

1.15-2.15pm Light Weights

2.30-3.30pm Seated FitBall Drumming

2:30 - 3:30pm Core Fit

2.30-3.15pm Gym Circuit

11am-12pm Circuit Group

Afternoon 1.00-4.30pm Speech Therapy Individual

1.15 -2pm Strength & Balance

1.15 -2pm Gym Circuit

1.15 -2.15pm Light Weights

2.30 - 3.15pm

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Stretch, Flex & Relax

1.15-2pm Gvm Circuit

1.30-2.10pm Mindfulness Meditation

2.15-3.15 Chair Based Exercise

## 11am-12pm Light Weights (RO2)

11:30am-12:30pm Hand Therapy (R03)

Afternoon 1-2.15pm Upright for Life (R01)

1.30-3pm Women's Group (R03)

2.15 3.15pm Light Weights (R01) 11am-12pm Chair-Based Exercise

## Afternoon

1-2pm Light Weights

2-3.15pm Upright for Life

\*Groups are run by a Physiotherapist or Therapy Assistant \*Individual one-on-one gym programs are held during the week with Therapy Assistant

# **Group descriptions**

## CORE FIT

Based on Pilates and run by our experienced Physiotherapists, this program will improve your overall strength, balance, posture, mobility, and endurance. Come along and feel fit to your core!

## **MEMORY SUPPORT**

The Memory Support group provides a varied session including seated movement and balance exercises, plus conversation and themed discussions over morning tea. This group supports those with the diagnosis of mild dementia in a safe and welcoming space.

### **CIRCUIT GROUP & GYM CIRCUIT**

Improve your general fitness, stamina, and balance by joining Circuit Group. This group includes the use of gym equipment, circuitstyle exercises, and balance stations. The Gym Circuit program is similar, adding free weights and timed station sessions.

## WOMEN'S / MEN'S GROUP

These groups are structured sessions with conversations (lots of laughter) and activities. The groups provide emotional and social connections, and will help you maintain your cognitive function, all over some morning or afternoontea.

## **STRENGTH & BALANCE**

This group is a 12-week program to build improvements in balance and strength. Aiming to educate and reduce falls.

## CHAIR-BASEDEXERCISE

Designed for clients with limited mobility, the Chair-based Exercise program provides gentle/progressive strengthening exercises for upper and lower limbs to enhance your strength and flexibility, improve mobility and maximise independence.

## **LIGHT WEIGHTS**

Through a combination of seated and standing exercises with light weights, this group will improve your general strength, bone density, and help you maintain mobility and balance.

## UPRIGHT FOR LIFE

Designed specifically to improve balance, Upright for Life provides strengthening exercises and challenging balance exercises, plus strategies to improve confidence and avoid falls.

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Our Tai Chi group will help progress your coordination and concentration as well as your balance and strength, all in a calm and relaxing setting. Our Chi Ball group incorporates Tai Chi, Dance, Yoga and Feldenkrais.

#### STRONG AND STEADY

If you would like to refine your balance, leg strength and fitness, this is the group for you. Using a circuit format, our Strong and Steady group will help to get you feeling strong and confident.

#### HIIT

High Intensity Interval Training class works on improving overall fitness. You need to have good cardio, balance, flexibility and endurance to manage the fast-paced workout.

#### **FIT BALL DRUMMING**

Fit Ball Drumming is a great work out for your brain and body. They say that an hour of drumming burns more calories than running, aerobics or weights. Drumming can lower blood pressure, improve cognitive brain function and coordination.

### **STRETCH, FLEX & RELAX**

Yoga increases your flexibility, muscle strength and tone and maintains your cardio and circulatory health. Yoga brings harmony between your mind and body.

### SPEECH THERAPY – TALKBACK GROUP

The Talkback Group runs to support people living with aphasia. It provides opportunity to participate in conversation and to practice finding words. Talkback improves social opportunities and connections for people living with aphasia.

#### HAND THERAPY

The hand therapy group uses Paraffin wax to help relieve pain in the hand of people with osteoarthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, fibromyalgia and joint mobility issues. It acts like a form of heat therapy and can help increase blood flow, relax muscles and decrease joint stiffness. Followed up with a series of hand and finger exercises to help strengthen and increase flexibility.

#### **BALANCE & CORE @ THE BARRE**

Workouts at the Barre are low impact, meaning there is no pressure on your joints and don't worry if you have no dance experience, everyone can join in! It improves core strength while supporting better posture and improves your overall fitness and flexibility. Muscle strengthening and balance exercises will increase your stability, therefore supporting a reduction in falls.

### MINDFULNESS MEDITATION

Is a type of Meditation which allows you to focus on the now, the present, being totally and intensely aware of what you are sensing and feeling at that moment. Practising how to slow down racing thoughts, letting go of negativity, helping you to support a calm mind and body to promote kindness to ourselves and others.

#### **MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS**

This groups provides a variety of structured exercises and an avenue for social connections, for people with MS. This program supports positive management of related symptoms, which assist in the wellbeing of individuals living with this chronic condition.