

Dr. Joshua Alpert Post-Operative Rehabilitation Protocol: Knee - Arthroscopic Meniscectomy

If microfractures are done, patient will be NWB for four weeks

	Weight Bearing, ROM	Exercises
PHASE I 0-2 weeks	As tolerated. No brace needed.	Heel slides. quad/hamstring sets. SLR. planks. Bridges. Abs. step ups. Stationary bike as tolerated.
PHASE II 2-4 weeks	Full	Progress phase I exercises. Add sport-specific exercises as tolerated. Cycling, elliptical, running as tolerated. Progress to work conditioning.
PHASE III 4-12 weeks	Full	Advance sport-specific exercises as tolerated. Maintenance core, glutes, hip and balance program. Begin work conditioning.

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