

Technical Editing Exercise

This exercise is meant as a comprehensive editing exercise working on all the editing skills and strategies we have studied so far.

Original:

THE SHOULDER
REHABILITATOR:

One type of injury may occur to tens of thousands of Americans every year, but it's too often overlooked, and because other injuries occur with more frequency. And this oversight of shoulder injuries and surgeries to the more frequent incidents of the knee and hip has brought about a limitation in shoulder rehabilitation—even in rehabilitation equipment for the shoulder. But it doesn't have to be like that any longer.

The new *Shoulder Rehabilitator* provides a new method of rehabilitation specifically for the shoulder, and which can even be easily operated without any professional supervision.

The *Shoulder Rehabilitator* features two arches, each of a different length and height, and separate collar affixed upon each arch. These collars can be adjusted in tension. The bases of the arches are mounted upon a wooden base.

In use of this new physical therapy tool, a patient can simply grip a collar after adjusting its tension to a desired level, and then move collar about the arch. This motion provides exercise of the shoulder, but within safe and limited range of motion, thus ensuring that no overexertion and overextension will occur, and that no dangers from such will be suffered by the patient.

The ease of use of the Shoulder Rehabilitator, as well as its consistent safety in use, allow it to be used in any location, and even without supervision from a therapist. And these benefits...

Example of editing on next page. (Don't look until you try to edit this yourself.)

The Shoulder Rehabilitator:

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The *Shoulder Rehabilitator* stands on a wooden base and features two arches, each of a different length and height. ~~A moveable collar wraps around each arch. The collar's tension and separate collar affixed upon each arch. These collars can also be adjusted in tension. The bases of the arches are mounted upon a wooden base.~~

~~In use of~~ To use this new physical therapy tool, ~~a~~ patients can simply grip a collar after adjusting its tension ~~to a desired level~~, and ~~then move~~ slide it collar up and down ~~about~~ the arch. This motion provides exercises ~~of~~ the shoulder, ~~but~~ within a safe and limited range of motion, thus ensuring that no overexertion or and overextension will occur. ~~and that no dangers from such will be suffered by the patient.~~

~~The ease of use of T~~the Shoulder Rehabilitator is easy and safe to use in any location, as well as its consistent safety in use, allow it to be used in any location, and even without supervision from a therapist. ~~And T~~These benefits...

Revised version —cleaned up:

Thousands of Americans experience shoulder injury every year, but too often doctors and patients overlook this injury because knee and hip injuries occur with more frequency. This oversight has limited treatment options for shoulder rehabilitation—especially in rehabilitation equipment for the shoulder. But no longer.

The Shoulder Rehabilitator provides a new method of rehabilitation specifically for the shoulder—available even without professional supervision. It stands on a wooden base and features two arches, each of a different length and height. A moveable collar wraps around each arch, and the collars' tension can also be adjusted.

To use this new physical therapy tool, patients simply grip a collar after adjusting its tension and slide it up and down the arch. This motion exercises the shoulder within a safe and limited range of motion, thus ensuring that no overexertion or overextension occurs.

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