

# Post-Operative Rehabilitation for Osteochondral Allograft Femoral Condyle

#### Phase I: Weeks 0-6

- Weight bearing: Heel touch
- Brace (If Applicable)
  - 0-2 weeks: Locked in full extension at all times, including sleep. Off for showering and exercises
  - o Discontinue at 2 weeks
- ROM:
  - o CPM usage 6 hr/day starting 0-40° and advance 5-10° daily as tolerated
- Exercises
  - o 0-2 Weeks: Quad sets, SLR, ankle pumps, heel props, patellar mobs
  - o 2-6 Weeks: PROM/AAROM to tolerance, Quad sets, SLR, ankle pumps, heel props, patellar mobs, hamstring and glute sets. ,Begin side-lying hip and core

## Phase II: Weeks 6-8

- Weight bearing: Advance 25% weekly as tolerated until full.
- ROM
  - o Full
- Exercises:
  - o Advance Phase I exercises

### Phase III: Weeks 8-12

- ROM: Full
- Exercises:
  - o Gait training
  - o Begin closed chain activities: wall sits, mini-squats, toe raises
  - o Begin unilateral stance activities/ balance training

#### Phase IV Weeks 12-6 months:

- ROM: Full
  - Exercises
    - Advance Phase III exercises
    - Maintain core/hip/glute strength

- Continue stability work/ balance training
- Eccentric hamstrings
- May advance to elliptical, bike, pool as tolerated

## Phase V 6-12 months:

- ROM: Full
- Exercises:
  - o Advance functional activity
  - 8 Mo- Return to sport-specific activity and impact activities when CLEARED BY MD