Daily Fall Prevention Exercises - Level 3 Standing Exercises



- These exercises will help you to become stronger and steadier on your feet.

A Knee Bend (do this 8 to 12 times)

- 1. Stand facing a table or countertop.
- 2. Keep one or two hands near table for balance, if needed.
- 3. Place your feet hip width apart.
- 4. Slowly bend knees squatting about halfway down.
- 5. Stop if knees go in front of your toes.
- 6. Hold for a count of 3.
- 7. Slowly stand again.

B Sit to Stand (do this 8 to 12 times)

- 1. Sit on a chair that is not too low.
- 2. Place your feet behind your knees.
- 3. Stand up tall as quickly as possible *without* using your hands to push.
- 4. Sit down slowly.

c One Leg Stand (do this 8 to 12 times per leg)

- 1. Stand near a table or kitchen counter.
- 2. Use support if needed for balance.
- 3. Look ahead and focus on a distant object.
- 4. Stand on one leg.
- 5. Try to hold for a count of 10.
- 6. Turn, face the other way, and repeat with your other leg.







