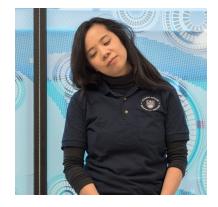
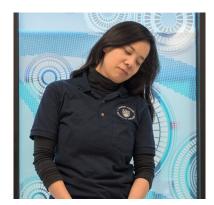
# WARM UP TO WORK

#### **Neck rolls**





- 1. Bring right ear towards right shoulde
- 2. Roll neck down and around to the other side so left ear is now on top of left shoulder
- 3. Repeat slowly back and forth

## **Shoulder circles**





- 1. Start with arms at your side
- 2. Bring the arms back behind you, then up overhead to make a big circle as you return the arms to your side (keep thumbs pointing toward the ceiling)
- 3. Repeat 10x forward rotation and 10x backward rotation

# Squat & knee touch





- 1. Start by sitting back into a squat (keep back straight and don't let knees go over toes)
- 2. As you stand up, lift one knee and touch opposite hand to knee
- 3. Step back down, and squat again
- 4. Repeat on opposite side

## **Hip Flexor Stretch**





- 1. Step one foot backwards
- 2. Push your hips forward, keeping your back leg straight
- 3. Repeat on opposite side

Progression: Raise your arms above your head and lean sideways away from back leg

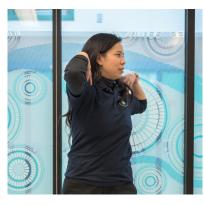
#### Wrist & forearm rolls





- 1. Start with both arms straight out in front of you
- 2. Bend wrists down so thumbs are pointing toward the ground
- 3. Then rotate the arms around so palms are facing the ceiling, and bend the wrists back towards the ground
- 4. Repeat back and forth

## **Thoracic rotations**





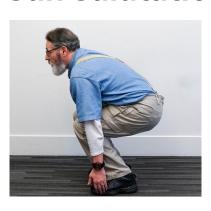
- 1. Place hands on top of shoulders
- 2. Keep feet planted and rotate your upper body/trunk to one side and then the other side
- 3. Repeat going back and forth (keep the elbows opened wide)

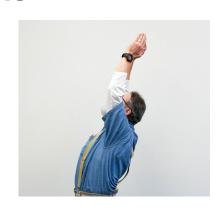
## **Ankle Circles**



- 1. Balance on one leg (can hold on for balance if needed)
- 2. Rotate elevated ankle around in circles (both directions)
- 3. Repeat on opposite side

## **Sun Salutations**





- 1. Stand normally with feet shoulder width apart
- 2. Bend your knees to sweep your hands forward beside your feet
- 3. Continue the circular motion with your arms as you stand back up, ending with your arms straight above your head
- 4. Extend your back to look farther behind you, pushing your hips forward
- 5. Repeat

