PTA 104L Ortho Dysfunctions Lab

Hip Stretching Lab Activity

Hip Stretching Exercises: Try performing each of the stretches as described in your text. Document the muscles on stretch as it relates to the hip joint. Answer the clinical questions to begin problem-solving for modifications	Targeted muscle(s) and involved joint(s)	Clinical Questions
A		What conditions would challenge your patient's ability to perform this stretch?
Copyright © 2007 F.A. Davis Company www.fadavis.com		What happens to the hip angle with a tight rectus femoris? With a tight IT band? With a tight piriformis?
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Copyright 9 2007 F.A. Davis Company www.fadavis.com	In the clinic, you notice that the pelvis begins to tilt posteriorly at 100 degrees of hip flexion. How do you interpret this observation as it relates to hip joint function?
	In this image, why is it important for the L leg to be in extension when stretching the R hip?
Copyright © 2007 F.A. Davis Company www.fadavis.com	Why is this patient instructed to perform an anterior pelvic tilt before rocking back into his heels? How could this stretch be modified with someone who has sxs consistent with spinal stenosis?
	Your patient cannot reach their foot. What devices could be used to allow your patient to perform this hip flexor stretch?

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Copyright © 2007 F.A. Davis Company www.fadavis.com	What is the significance of hip external rotation on the stretching side? What hip muscle is on a stretch?
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