

RETURNING TO WORK

Very useful site advising on post-op recovery times:

www.workingfit.com

DISABILITY EMPLOYMENT ADVISOR-patients contact them direct via Jobcentre plus-they can advise on all sorts of matters

RCGP e-learning for health

Department of Work & Pensions health & work website:

<http://www.dwp.gov.uk/healthandwork/>

Royal college of surgeon's link:

http://www.rcseng.ac.uk/patient_information/return-to-work

Even more information on post-op recovery times

Faculty of Occupational Medicine

<http://www.facocmed.ac.uk>

Faculty of Occupational Medicine publications:

<http://www.facocmed.ac.uk/pubspol/pubs.jsp>

Society of occupational medicine

<https://www.som.org.uk>

Jobcentre plus-lots of information on services for patients

<http://www.jobcentreplus.gov.uk/JCP/index.html>

The Health & Work handbook:

<http://www.facocmed.ac.uk/library/docs/h&w.pdf>

Written jointly by the Faculty of Occupational Medicine, RCGP and the Society of Occupational Medicine, the handbook provides guidance to primary care teams and occupational health professionals who care for and advise patients of working age

The Healthy working Wales website: in May there will be a healthyworking uk website, meantime, this one is excellent.

<http://www.healthyworkingwales.com/>

Healthy Working Wales has been developed to support employers, employees and health professionals to improve health at work, prevent ill health and to support return to work following ill health.

Health and safety executive (HSE)

<http://www.hse.gov.uk/>

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