

List of resources & exercises for

## Mobility Cardiovascular

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Complimentary Information

# RECOMMENDED RESOURCES

#### Cardio Exercise Options When You Have Limited Mobility

Chair Zumba

Latin-inspired aerobics done to a high-tempo song, Zumba is a dance incarnation of aerobics that can easily be adapted to those with limited leg or arm mobility. Chair Zumba is specifically geared towards those with limited mobility.

**Boxing** 

Boxing can be a surprisingly effective cardio workout even in a wheelchair. Wii offers a boxing game that can be done with limited arm mobility. For vigorous boxing, use a chest strap to maintain balance.

**Arm Bike** 

A stationary bike just for the arms, an arm bike is a great way to get cardio exercise. Many fitness centers and gyms now have an arm bike.

**Adaptive Yoga** 

Although not intentionally a cardio workout, yoga can provide cardio benefits for people with limited mobility. Adaptive yoga uses yoga straps, blocks, chairs, or blankets to modify poses and movements.

#### **Water Exercises & Swimming**

Numerous pool facilities offer a wide range of water aerobic and exercise classes based on physical mobility.

Wheelchair pushing If none of the above options are available, pushing your wheelchair is a good cardio exercise.

Consult your doctor before trying new forms of exercise.

### Medical Check

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https://www.themobilityresource.com/ blog/post/get-your-cardio-sittingdown-6-effective-ways/