How to participate

Arthritis, Pain Support & Emerge ACT Annual Membership

- Contact Arthritis ACT for copies of Medical Forms and Pool rules
- Complete medical forms an return to <u>info@arthritisact.org.au</u>
- Pay Arthritis ACT Membership
- Consult Exercise Professional for Personalised Exercise Programs.
  (Appointments Available with Arthritis ACT Exercise Physiologists or Physiotherapists)
- Purchase tickets from Arthritis ACT
- We work on a 2 month booking process, please contact Arthritis ACT for any booking enquiries.
- Attend your booked sessions!

Arthritis, Pain Support & Emerge ACT Warm Water Exercise Program

\$49 Annual Membership

Self-led Ticket Prices: Fees for all locations are: 1 Session \$8.00 10 Sessions \$80.00

### **Exercise Physiology Session**

1:1 Hydrotherapy session with an Exercise Physiologist \$120 (NDIS clients as per the NDIS priceguide)

April 2025

Phone: 1800 011 041

Fax: 6251 2066

## Email: info@arthritisact.org.au

# Website: www.arthritisact.org.au

#### What is Warm Water Exercise?

Warm water exercise is a gentle and effective way to encourage activity that helps arthritic joints to move. The warmth helps relieve stiffness and pain; the buoyancy of the water provides support and protection for your joints, and the resistance of the water strengthens your muscles.

In the water you can work at your own pace to gradually improve joint mobility, general health and fitness.

All sessions are supervised by our staff, most with allied health qualifications and trained in pool rescue and resuscitation.

We accept anyone with any condition to participate in this program - you don't have to have Arthritis.

We do have a program of instructor lead hydrotherapy sessions - please note these sessions are for instructor lead exercise only.

Due to demand we cannot allow your carer in the pool with you but they are welcome to wait on the pool deck.

#### **University of Canberra Hospital**

Crn. Ginninderra and Aikman Drive, Bruce

7am – 8am <u>Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri</u>

8am - 9am <u>Tues</u>

8am - 8.45am <u>Mon, Wed, Fri</u>

11am - 12pm <u>Tues, Fri</u>

12pm - 12.45pm Mon, Wed, Thurs

12.45pm - 1.30pm Mon, Wed, Thurs

12pm - 1pm <u>Tues, Fri</u>

4pm - 5pm Mon, Wed, Fri

5pm - 6pm <u>Fri</u>

6pm - 7pm Mon, <u>Wed & Fri</u>

7pm - 8pm Mon, Wed & Fri

<u>Saturday:</u> 7am - 8am, 8am - 9am, 9am - 10am, 10am - 11am, 11am - 12pm, 12pm - 1pm

Please note bookings for UCH are very tight - please discuss your needs with our staff

#### John James Hospital 173 Strickland Cres, Deakin

<u>Tuesday</u> 7-8am & 8-9am <u>Thursday</u> 8-9am

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 4:30pm-5:30pm, 5:30pm-6:30pm, 6:30pm-7:30pm

#### **EXTERNAL POOLS**

All Administration for external pools must be completed by contacting the pool directly, details provided below.

#### Aqua Harmony 4 Jenke Circuit, Kambah (02) 62310765

<u>Wednesday & Friday</u> 7am - 8:30am: can arrive anytime during session <u>Monday & Wednesday</u> 12pm - 1pm & 1pm - 2pm <u>Friday</u> 12:30pm -1:30pm & 1:30pm -2:30pm

> Aquatic Achievers Calwell 15 Webber Crescent, 1300 34 34 68

> > <u>Tuesday</u> 8.30am & 9:30am

> > > <u>Thursday</u> 1pm & 2pm

Change rooms now available at all pools however, showers are only available on the pool deck to rinse on & off. We do not allow soaps or hair products to be used.