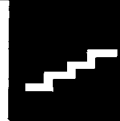


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*Jerry - Here's a summary of
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Julie*

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Rob Macek, P.T. Director.

Pneumex Study Results

In September we began study of the Pneumex unweighting unit, Back System 3 and Pneu-Back Chair utilizing standard protocols. Seven individuals were involved in the study. We saw the patients 2 times/week for 6 weeks. Our objective results showed improved posture, ROM, strength and endurance of paraspinals as well as improved lean with all of the patients. Subjective reports of less pain and greater function were also reported. We have been using the unit on other individuals not involved in the study, with the same or greater results. We found the equipment to be very effective in reducing pain and returning the patient to a functional level within a short period of time.

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