



Physical Activity Risk Stratification

Degree of risk for physical activity-induced adverse events in cancer survivors is based on specific health issues. Patients with moderate or high risk for physical activity-induced adverse events should receive medical clearance and referral to trained personnel for a supervised physical activity program.

Risk Level	Risk Factors
Low risk	 Early-stage breast cancer survivors High baseline level of physical activity No significant co-morbidities
Moderate risk	 Multiple myeloma lytic lesions Bone metastases Osteoporosis/ osteopenia Arthritis Musculoskeletal issues Peripheral neuropathy Lymphedema
High risk	 History of lung or major abdominal surgery Ostomy Cardiopulmonary comorbidities Ataxia Severe nutritional deficiencies Morbid obesity Extreme fatigue not proportional to recent activity