Sierra Laurel Yoga

Name: Your Name Here

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Yoga Pose Name and Explanation	Picture of Pose	Frequency and Duration	Benefits
Sukasana: Easy Seated pose with Alternate Nostril Breathing	OF X	2-3 minutes	* Balances the fluctuation of energy. * Centers the mind. * Opens the hips
Cat and Cow spinal movements and any other intuitive movements on hands and knees	Inhale Exhale	About 10 breaths	* Spinal Mobility * Strengthens abs and back * Connects movement and breath
Tadasana: Mountain pose with a yoga block between the knees	Å	10-20 breaths	* Improves Postural Alignment *Builds body awareness * Strengthens legs and core
Ardha Adho Mukha Svanasana: Downward Facing Dog at a chair		5- 15 breaths	* Lengthens spine * Opens shoulder and chest * Stretches hamstrings
Utkata Konasana: Dynamic to static Goddess pose with Padma Mudra	Hands Hands	with the breath	*Leg Strengthening *Develops will-power * Can help with the ability to give and receive love
Setu Bandha Sarvangasana: Dynamic to static Bridge pose	Exhale Inhale	with the breath	
Jathara Parivartanasana: Double legged reclines twist	Inhale OFF > OFF Exhale Exhale	10-20 breaths on each side	*Improves circulation in the gut *Mobilizes the core muscles * Relaxes, lengthens and realigns the spine
Matsyasana:Supported Fish Pose using a rolled up blanket or bolster	ofon > ofon Fblanket or bolster		*Allows for deeper breathing *Can ease depression and anxiety * Relaxation

Other Recommendations

- Do this yoga protocol once a day. If that isn't working try starting with just one pose a day
- Study the concept of Tapas in the Niyamas. This can help you affirm your commitment. Develop discipline to heal and transform your body
- Meditate for 10-20 minutes when feeling stressed and use the Metta Mantra in your own words:
 - May I be filled with loving kindness
 - May I be safe from inner and outer harm
 - May I be strong and health
 - May I be happy and free