Required Reading List for DPTR 6402

Cervical Spine


• Fritz JM, Brennan GP. Preliminary examination of a proposed treatment-based classification system for patients receiving physical therapy interventions for neck pain. *Phys Ther*. 2007;87:513-524. [Review abstract]

• **Optional:** Mintken PE, Cleland JA. In a 32-Year-Old Woman With Chronic Neck Pain and Headaches, Will an Exercise Regimen Be Beneficial for Reducing Her Reports of Neck Pain and Headaches? *Phys Ther*. May 2012 92:645-651. [Review abstract]


Temperomandibular Joint:


Thoracic spine:

• Cleland JA, Mintken PE, Carpenter K, Fritz JM, Glynn P, Whitman J, Childs JD. Examination of a Clinical Prediction Rule to Identify Patients With Neck Pain Likely to Benefit From Thoracic Spine Thrust Manipulation and a General Cervical Range of Motion Exercise: Multi-Center Randomized Clinical Trial. *Phys Ther*. 2010;90:1239-1250. [Review abstract]


- **Optional:** McDevitt A, Young J, Mintken P, Cleland J. Regional interdependence and manual therapy directed at the thoracic spine. *J Man Manip Ther.* 2015;23:139-146. [Review abstract](#)
