## **Contrast Hydrotherapy**

## **Equipment Needed:**

• Towels, hot and cold water

## Indications:

Contrast hydrotherapy helps to stimulate the immune system, increase circulation, increase metabolism, preventative for colds & flu's, and is relaxing.

## **Procedure:**

- 1. Hot towel to chest/back for 3-5 minutes.
- 2. Cold towel to chest/back for 30 seconds.
- 3. Repeat alternating cycle for 3-5 times, always ending on cold.
- 4. The greater the contrast in water temperature the greater the reaction and benefit you will attain.
- 5. The overall response will be warming and energizing.

