

# Strategies Targeting Osteoporosis to Prevent recurrent Fractures

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**Plain English summary of protocol**  
Not provided at time of registration

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## Additional identifiers

**ClinicalTrials.gov (NCT)**  
NCT00152321

**Protocol serial number**  
CIHR-MOP #62906

## Study information

## **Scientific Title**

### **Acronym**

STOP-Fracture Study

### **Study objectives**

An evidence-based quality improvement intervention will overcome multiple barriers to best practice and improve rates of diagnosis and effective treatment for osteoporosis in high-risk patients. The intervention will be directed at patients (education and counseling) and their primary care physicians (reminders and opinion leader generated and endorsed single page guidelines).

### **Ethics approval required**

Old ethics approval format

### **Ethics approval(s)**

University of Alberta Health Research Ethics Board, first approved 1st December 2003, updated annually on anniversary date, most recent 1st December 2006 (ref: HREB#4478).

### **Study design**

Randomised controlled trial

### **Primary study design**

Interventional

### **Study type(s)**

Prevention

### **Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied**

Fragility fracture patients with osteoporosis

### **Interventions**

Multifaceted intervention that consists of the following: patient specific reminders; single page treatment guidelines generated and endorsed by local opinion leaders; patient education and counseling.

Control group is 'usual care', defined as provision of generic osteoporosis-related educational leaflets at time of fracture.

### **Intervention Type**

Other

### **Phase**

Not Specified

### **Primary outcome(s)**

The proportion of patients starting bisphosphonate treatment within 6 months of fracture

### **Key secondary outcome(s)**

1. Starting any effective osteoporosis treatment (bisphosphonates, calcitonin, raloxifene, or hormone therapy)
2. Bone mineral density testing
3. Self reported diagnosis of osteoporosis and other knowledge
4. Satisfaction with care
5. Health related quality of life

**Completion date**

30/05/2006

## Eligibility

**Key inclusion criteria**

All patients 50 years of age or older, either sex, with a wrist fracture who present to the Emergency Departments or Fracture Clinics at our two study sites will be eligible for study enrollment.

Specifically:

1. Age 50 years or greater
2. Any distal forearm fracture

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Healthy volunteers allowed**

No

**Age group**

Senior

**Sex**

All

**Key exclusion criteria**

1. Unable to give simple informed consent
2. Unwilling to participate in the study
3. Unable to understand, read, or converse in English
4. Place of residence outside Capital Health
5. Already receiving osteoporosis treatment with a bisphosphonate
6. Previously documented allergy or intolerance to a bisphosphonate
7. Currently enrolled in the pilot study or other osteoporosis study

**Date of first enrolment**

01/09/2003

**Date of final enrolment**

30/05/2006

## Locations

## Countries of recruitment

Canada

## Study participating centre

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## Sponsor information

### Organisation

University of Alberta, Research Services Office (Canada)

### ROR

<https://ror.org/0160cpw27>

## Funder(s)

### Funder type

Research organisation

### Funder Name

Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) (Canada) - <http://www.cihr-irsc.gc.ca> (ref: MOP-62906)

### Funder Name

Alberta Heritage Foundation for Medical Research (AHFMR) (Canada) - in the form of salary support for investigator(s)

## Results and Publications

### Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

### IPD sharing plan summary

Not provided at time of registration

## Study outputs

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
<a href="#">Results article</a>	results	26/02/2008		Yes	No