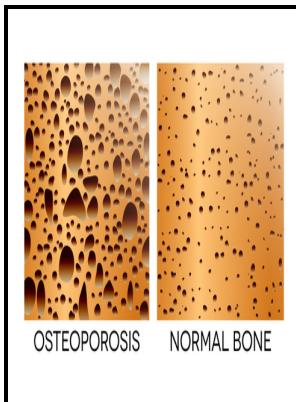


# Guide to bone mineral measurement, osteoporosis and its treatment

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In men, DXA screening fell from 1. It is therefore premature to conclude based on our data that clinicians are not following evidence-based guidelines for evaluating and treating osteoporosis in men. Dehydration is also a risk factor for falls.

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The overall postfracture treatment frequency found in our study population 4.

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These include, but are not limited to, multifactorial interventions such as individual risk assessment, Tai Chi and other exercise programs, home safety assessment, and modification especially when done by an occupational therapist, and gradual withdrawal of psychotropic medication if possible. Serial central DXA testing is an important component of osteoporosis management.

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Study-defined fractures were identified from the databases by searching for the first notation of inpatient or outpatient study fracture ICD-9 codes. Clinical risk factors included in the FRAX Tool Current age Rheumatoid arthritis Gender Secondary causes of osteoporosis: type 1 insulin dependent diabetes, osteogenesis imperfecta in adults, untreated long-standing hyperthyroidism, hypogonadism or premature menopause 3 months ever Diagnostic assessment Consider the possibility of osteoporosis and fracture risk based on the presence of the risk factors and conditions

outlined in Tables and. Results are not equivalent to DXA and abnormal results should be confirmed by physical examination, risk assessment, and central DXA.

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