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# Osteoporosis and Related Conditions

Bone Health

### **Osteoporosis Major Health Concern**

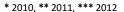
- 10.2 million: number of adults estimated to currently have osteoporosis, expected to grow to 13.6 million in 2030\*
- 43.4 million: number of adults estimated to currently have low bone mass, often a precursor to osteoporosis, expected to grow to 57.8 million in 2030\*
- \$70.5 billion: annual cost to treat persons with an osteoporosis condition\*\*

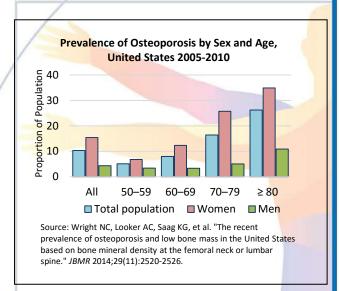
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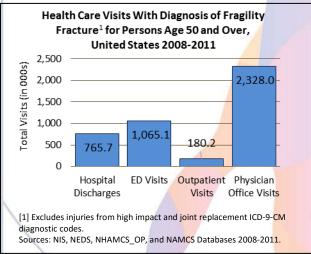
- Osteoporosis (loss of bone mass due to aging or other causes)
  - o Based on bone mineral density (BMD) at hip and spine
  - BMD T-score of ≤ -2.5 the BMD value of healthy, white 20-to-29-year old female
- Low bone mass (common precursor to osteoporosis)
  - o BMD T-score between -2.5 and -1.0
- Fragility fractures (occur in many sites, but often measured by the presence of vertebral fractures, which may be asymptomatic)
  - o Lifetime height loss of 1.5 inches or more
- 325,200: number of hospitalizations for hip fractures\*\*
- 245,800: number of hospitalizations with diagnosis of spine fractures\*\*
- 2.3 million: number of physician office visits with diagnosis of a fragility fracture\*\*

#### **Long Term Health Care Impact**

- 6.8% to 34.9%: change in proportion of women with osteoporosis ages 50 to 59 versus ages 80 and older\*
- 3.4% to 10.9%: change in proportion of men with osteoporosis ages 50 to 59 versus ages 80 and older\*
- 84%: increase in probability of a stay in skilled nursing facility following fragility fracture versus no fracture
- Hip fracture outcomes include double the risk of death, fourfold increased risk of becoming nursing home resident, and double the risk of enrolling in Medicaid within one year of fracture\*







**THE BY NUMBERS:** Musculoskeletal Conditions is sourced from The Burden of Musculoskeletal Diseases in the United States (BMUS), www.boneandjointburden.org.

The United States Bone and Joint Initiative (USBJI) is part of the worldwide campaign to advance understanding, prevention, and treatment of musculoskeletal disorders through education and research. To learn more, visit <a href="https://www.usbji.org">www.usbji.org</a>.



References: For additional information, refer to the tables listed below at <a href="https://www.boneandjointburden.org">www.boneandjointburden.org</a>.

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