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WCO-IOF-ESCEO 2025 ROME WEBSITE NOW ONLINE

Mark **April 10-13, 2025** on your calendar and plan to join us in Rome, Italy for the next World Congress. You can already apply to hold a hold a Non-Sponsored Symposium!

Were you at **WCO-IOF-ESCEO 2024 London**? Refresh your memories by viewing the **image gallery** and **video**. Delegates can also access the **e-Congress platform** to view key sessions on-demand until July 29th.

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NUTRITION AND BONE: BEYOND CALCIUM AND VITAMIN D

During our upcoming Capture the Fracture® webinar, Dr Sandra Iuliano will explore the role of food-based dietary interventions in enhancing bone health.

Register now to learn about the established evidence and gaps in current research beyond calcium and vitamin D.

DATE: July 2, 2024 at 10:00 CEST.

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EVENTS

IOF CONGRESSES

WCO-IOF-ESCEO 2025, ROME

- April 10-13, 2025 **Save the date!**

OSTEOPOROSIS ESSENTIALS

Courses planned in Peru, Argentina, Taiwan

WEBINAR

Nutrition & Bone: Beyond Ca & Vit D

- July 2, 2024

IOF NETWORK

Ann. Meeting SVGO/ASCO & SBMS 2024

- June 6, 2024

XXII Cong. Mexicano de Osteoporosis y Enfermedades Metabólicas Oseas

- June 12-15, 2024

BHOF & Interdisciplinary Symposium on Osteoporosis

- June 13-15, 2024

SSBH 2024

- June 13 -15, 2024

2024 AOA Ann. Leadership Meeting

- June 18-22, 2024

42nd Ann. Meeting JSBMR

- June 30-July 2, 2024

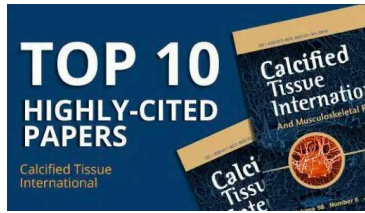
ON WORLD OSTEOPOROSIS DAY 'SAY NO TO FRAGILE BONES'



World Osteoporosis Day is your chance to engage in public and healthcare professional education and awareness. Hold an information event or lecture at your hospital, issue social media, organize a walk...there are so many different ways you can make noise for the silent disease around October 20th. Download the **Campaign Toolkit and Posters** to get a head start in planning your campaign!

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CALCIFIED TISSUE INTERNATIONAL'S TOP 10 HIGHLY CITED PAPERS OF 2022-2023



We invite you to read the journal's top cited reviews and original papers published in 2022-2023 covering a wide range of topics, including vitamin D metabolites, biochemical markers & sarcopenia, FGF23, vitamin K, Osteomalacia, Osteoporosis & HIV...and more. The journal Editors have recognized the authors' notable publications with Certificates of Publishing Excellence.

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EOS-ESCEO-IOF SUMMIT IN DUBAI



IOF will join the Emirates Osteoporosis Society (EOS) and the European Society for Clinical and Economic Aspects of Osteoporosis, Osteoarthritis & Musculoskeletal Diseases (ESCEO) in a major scientific event scheduled to take place from Oct. 11-12, 2024, in Dubai, UAE. Take a look at the extensive program, featuring leading international speakers – and begin planning your trip to Dubai.

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FIRST EDITION OF THE IOF-ABOOM FLS CAFÉ IN BRAZIL



A successful first edition of a Fracture Liaison Service (FLS) Café was held on April 15th, jointly organized by IOF and the Brazilian Orthopedic Association of Osteometabolism (ABOOM). The seminar was aimed at physicians and healthcare professionals with an interest in initiating an FLS or in an early stage of FLS implementation.

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CAPTURE THE FRACTURE® (CTF) PRESENTED AT TUNISIAN CONGRESS



The Ligue Tunisienne Anti Rhumatismale (LITAR) hosted the 35th National Cong. of Rheumatology from May 4-5, 2024. A CTF session featuring invaluable presentations from esteemed experts Prof. J. Paccou, Dr. Y. Makhoulouf & Dr. S. Miladi. It marked a significant step in improving fracture prevention and care in Tunisia. We look forward to future initiatives stemming from this successful event.



IOF NETWORK NEWS

IOF WELCOMES NEW MEMBERS TO ITS UNIVERSITY NETWORK

We are pleased to announce the following new members of the Committee of National Societies (CNS) and of the IOF University Network subgroup: University Hospitals of Derby and Burton NHS Foundation Trust (UK), University of Buenos Aires, Laboratory of Metabolic Osteopathies, Institute of Immunology, Genetics & Metabolism (Argentina), and the Federal University of Technology Parana, Physical Education Dept. (Brazil). Is your university interested in joining? [Find out more here](#).

>>> CNS MEMBERSHIP MAP

INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE FEMUR STUDY

A global prospective cohort study called Fracture-Evaluation-Management-Understanding-Research (FEMUR) aims to describe the operative & non-operative management of femur fractures in hospitals worldwide. The 28-day in-hospital data collection (between Feb-Jun. 2025) will identify in-hospital mortality, morbidity and mobility outcomes. If you are a national lead who has connections with hospitals that manage femur fractures, or a hospital lead who manages femur fractures, please consider participating. The findings will be published under the FEMUR Collaborative, with all contributors citable in PubMed.

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ROS REPORTS BIGGEST POLICY BREAKTHROUGH FOR PEOPLE WITH OSTEOPOROSIS

Great news from the Royal Osteoporosis Society (ROS) which reports that bipartisan political support for universal FLS coverage has been secured for England and Wales. We warmly congratulate the ROS on the outstanding advocacy and awareness campaigns that contributed to this successful outcome. With universal access across the country, it is expected that some 74,000 fractures will be prevented over the following five years, including 31,000 broken hips – thus saving ca. 750,000 NHS bed days over the same period.

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UNIVERSITY OF DERBY SURVEY TO ASSESS BONE HEALTH AWARENESS

Bone health specialists are invited to complete a survey from the University of Derby and Burton Hospitals Charity to assess bone health awareness. For more information, contact uhdb.bonehealth@nhs.net

>>> TAKE THE SURVEY

BHOF EDUCATIONAL WEBINARS FROM JUNE TO AUGUST

The Bone Health and Osteoporosis Foundation (USA) will be holding the following educational webinars this summer, all providing helpful information for patients, their caregivers and the public: Healthy bones for life (June 26), Eating for healthy bones (July 9), Posture Power (July 24) and Stepping Out Strong™ (focus on falls prevention – August 8). Registration is free.

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NEW GUIDELINES FROM THE OSTEOPOROSIS SOCIETY OF HONG KONG

The Osteoporosis Society of Hong Kong (OSHK) has published the 2024 OSHK Guideline for Clinical Management of Postmenopausal Osteoporosis in Hong Kong. The guidelines were published in a supplement of the Hong Kong Medical Journal.

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INTERNATIONAL AWARD 'LUIS JAVIER JARA QUEZADA' 2024

In conjunction with the XXIII Peruvian Congress of Rheumatology (Cusco, Oct 9-12, 2024), the Sociedad Peruviana de Reumatología (SPR) will be presenting the SPR 2024 'Luis Javier Jara Quezada' Award. The deadline for applications (with abstract) is Aug. 31st, 2024.

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20TH EUGMS CONGRESS TO TAKE PLACE IN VALENCIA

The 20th EuGMS congress will take place in Valencia, Spain, from Sept. 18-20, 2024. The program, with the theme 'From Healthy Ageing to Complex Needs in Older Adults', will highlight state-of-the-art clinical practices, recent advances, new data, and views from different stakeholders, in a format designed to encourage interaction and collaboration.

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EMAS DOWNLOADABLE EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES ON MENOPAUSAL HEALTH

The European Menopause and Andropause Society (EMAS) provides guidelines and education on menopause and andropause. Within its extensive website it provides many short fact sheets including informative leaflets to help women, healthcare and non-healthcare professionals understand menopausal health.

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GERMANY: DVO SUMMER SCHOOL – DMP OSTEOPOROSIS UPDATE 2024

The Disease Management Program (DMP) for Osteoporosis is coming into force in more and more German states. The DVO Summer School, to be held on June 15th, will review guideline-compliant osteoporosis care and training while providing useful information about osteoporosis for clinical practice. The training is open to all, but particularly suitable for general practitioners and practicing orthopaedic surgeons.

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RAISING AWARENESS OF BONE HEALTH & OSTEOPOROSIS AT HEALTH FESTIVAL

On the occasion of the Territory of Health Festival in Yaroslavl, Russia, Dr. Khatia Gorjeladze, member of the Russian Osteoporosis Association, held a talk to raise awareness of osteoporosis prevention and treatment through education about risk factors, and need for timely diagnosis and treatment.

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NEW PRESIDENT OF SLOVENE OSTEOPOROSIS PATIENT SOCIETY

The Slovene Osteoporosis Patient Society bids farewell to its long-standing president Duša Hlade Zore (an active participant at IOF meetings for many years!) as she hands over the leadership to Janja Rednjak. The society, headquartered in Ljubljana, has been a valued member of IOF since 2003.

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