Special Issue

Clinical Management of Osteoporotic Fractures

Message from the Guest Editors

Osteoporotic fractures cause deterioration in patients' quality of life and activities of daily living and have recently been reported to increase the risk of death.

However, there are still various unresolved problems in the prevention, diagnosis, conservative treatment, and surgical treatment of osteoporotic fractures; for example, the usefulness of braces has not been established for fresh osteoporotic vertebral fractures, and the appropriate duration of bracing remains unclear. Osteoporotic fractures can lead to serious social problems and huge economic losses if not properly managed. Therefore, it is very important to gain detailed knowledge about the prevention, diagnosis, and treatment of osteoporotic fractures.

This Special Issue, "Clinical Management of Osteoporotic Fractures", aims to provide an updated overview of the prevention, diagnosis, and treatment of osteoporotic fractures. This Special Issue covers not only vertebral fractures but also fractures of the extremities. We invite researchers to submit original research and review articles on the management of osteoporotic fractures.

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