

# Global burden of hip fractures – trends in incidence, post-fracture treatment, and mortality; a multicountry, observational study (20190532)

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Study

Finalised

## Administrative details

### EU PAS number

EUPAS37529

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### Study ID

50582

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### DARWIN EU® study

No

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### Study countries

☐ Australia

☐ Brazil

☐ Canada

- ☐ China
  - ☐ Denmark
  - ☐ Finland
  - ☐ France
  - ☐ Germany
  - ☐ Hong Kong
  - ☐ Italy
  - ☐ Japan
  - ☐ Korea, Republic of
  - ☐ Netherlands
  - ☐ New Zealand
  - ☐ Singapore
  - ☐ Spain
  - ☐ Taiwan
  - ☐ Thailand
  - ☐ United Kingdom
  - ☐ United States
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### **Study description**

This study aims to characterize hip fractures by year among men and women aged 50 years and above within multiple countries. Patient-level electronic health data will be derived from national or regional databases in 20 countries. Each database is estimated to provide at least several hundred hip fractures per year and up to tens of thousands of hip fractures per year. This study will use a retrospective cohort design, and will include patients who were hospitalized due to hip fracture during the study period. The study period was 14 years, from 1st January 2005 to 31st December 2018. Information will be collected to estimate the annual incidences of hip fractures. The proportion of patients having use of a pharmacological treatment for fracture prevention within 12 months following their initial hip fracture by year and the mortality

rate within 12 months following patients' initial hip fracture by year, will also be estimated.

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## Study status

Finalised

## Research institutions and networks

### Institutions

Amgen

☐ United States

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Institution

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## Study timelines

### **Date when funding contract was signed**

Planned: 14/08/2020

Actual: 14/08/2020

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### **Study start date**

Planned: 17/11/2020

Actual: 08/10/2020

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### **Data analysis start date**

Planned: 31/01/2022

Actual: 31/01/2022

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### **Date of final study report**

Planned: 31/07/2022

Actual: 21/10/2022

## Sources of funding

- Pharmaceutical company and other private sector

## More details on funding

Amgen

## Study protocol

## Regulatory

**Was the study required by a regulatory body?**

No

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**Is the study required by a Risk Management Plan (RMP)?**

Not applicable

## Other study registration identification numbers and links

Protocol number 20190532

## Methodological aspects

### Study type

### Study type list

**Study topic:**

Disease /health condition

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**Study type:**

Non-interventional study

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**Scope of the study:**

Disease epidemiology

**Data collection methods:**

Secondary use of data

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**Main study objective:**

To characterize hip fractures by year among men and women aged 50 years and above within multiple countries.

## Study Design

**Non-interventional study design**

Cohort

Other

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**Non-interventional study design, other**

Retrospective study

## Study drug and medical condition

**Medical condition to be studied**

Hip fracture

## Population studied

## **Short description of the study population**

Patients hospitalized with hip fracture aged 50 years and older identified from 1st January 2005 to 31st December 2018.

Inclusion criteria:

- o aged 50 years or above
- o hospitalized due to hip fracture during the study period between 1st January 2005 and 31st December 2018

Exclusion criteria:

- o diagnosis of hip fracture within 12 months before the initial fracture
  - o missing sex or age
  - o less than 12 months in the data source before the initial hip fracture
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## **Age groups**

Adults (46 to < 65 years)

Adults (65 to < 75 years)

Adults (75 to < 85 years)

Adults (85 years and over)

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## **Special population of interest**

Other

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## **Special population of interest, other**

Patients with hip fracture

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## **Estimated number of subjects**

3000000

## **Study design details**

## Outcomes

To estimate the annual incidences of hip fracture. • To estimate the proportion of patient having use of a pharmacological treatment for fracture prevention within 12 months following their initial hip fracture by year. • To estimate the mortality rate within 12 months following patients' initially hip fracture by year.

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## Data analysis plan

The primary outcome will be calculated as the sum of hip fracture episodes in the year divided by the population at-risk in the year. A linear regression model will be used to test for time trends in the annual incidence proportion. Two-tailed  $P < 0.05$  will be considered statistically significant. For the 1st secondary outcome, the Kaplan-Meier method will be used to estimate the treatment proportion within 3, 6 & 12 months of fracture and 95% confidence intervals (CI), censoring patients on another hip fracture episode, 12 months, death, loss to follow-up, 31st December 2018 or the end of data available in a database, whichever earliest. For the 2nd secondary outcome, rate per calendar year of initial hip fracture will be calculated as the sum of patients who died of any cause during the 12-month follow-up period divided by the sum of patients with an initial hip fracture.

## Documents

### Study results

[20190532 ORSR abstract\\_Redacted.pdf](#)(491.16 KB)

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## Data management

## ENCePP Seal



The use of the ENCePP Seal has been discontinued since February 2025. The ENCePP Seal fields are retained in the display mode for transparency but are no longer maintained.

## Data sources

### Data sources (types)

[Administrative healthcare records \(e.g., claims\)](#)

[Disease registry](#)

[Electronic healthcare records \(EHR\)](#)

## Use of a Common Data Model (CDM)

### CDM mapping

No

## Data quality specifications

### Check conformance

Unknown

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### Check completeness

Unknown

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### Check stability

Unknown

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## **Check logical consistency**

Unknown

## Data characterisation

### **Data characterisation conducted**

No