

#### **OBJECTIVES**

- Provide appropriate pharmacological treatment for osteoporosis, including antiresorptive and anabolic therapies, separately or in combination;
- Assess the benefits and risks of long-term antiresorptive osteoporosis therapy and determine optimal treatment duration;
- Perform a diagnostic evaluation of skeletal fragility when a congenital or acquired disorder other than osteoporosis is suspected;
- · Describe the approach to osteoporosis in the geriatric population;
- Understand best practices and interpretation of dual-energy X-ray absorptiometry (DXA) scans.

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#### **TARGET AUDIENCE**

The course will provide an update on current recommendations about screening and treatment of osteoporosis for physicians and other clinicians working with osteoporosis patients. It will also benefit researchers, technologists, and pharmaceutical or device company professionals who would find additional scientific background in the disease helpful. No prior clinical or scientific training in osteoporosis is required.

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