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## Indicator Equality Impact Assessment

**Indicator: IND92**

**Subject: Osteoporosis**

1.1 Have any potential equality issues been identified during the development process?

No.

1.2 Have any population groups, treatments or settings been excluded from coverage by the indicator? Are these exclusions justified – that is, are the reasons legitimate and the exclusion proportionate?

The indicator population is those patients aged 75 or over with a fragility fracture who are treated with a bone-sparing agent. The exclusions are justified, as fractures are associated with increased risk of morbidity and mortality in this age group.

1.3 Does the indicator make it more difficult in practice for a specific group to access services compared with other groups? If so, what are the barriers to, or difficulties with, access for the specific group?

No.

1.4 Is there potential for the indicator to have an adverse impact on people with disabilities because of something that is a consequence of the disability?

No.

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