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Overview

Osteoporosis is a bone disease that develops when bone mineral density and bone mass decrease, or when the structure and strength of bone change. This can lead to a decrease in bone strength that can increase the risk of fractures (broken bones).

Osteoporosis is a "silent" disease, as there are typically no symptoms present, and patients may not even know they have the disease until they break a bone. Osteoporosis is the major cause of fractures in postmenopausal women and in older men. Fractures can occur in any bone, but happen most often in bones of the hip, vertebrae in the spine, and the wrist.

Osteoporosis Canada and Amplify Care (formerly the eHealth Centre of Excellence) have collaborated to develop a tool that will assist doctors in best-practice documentation of Osteoporosis care for patients. The tool consists of a main form that links to additional guides and resources. The tool has been developed in accordance with the most recent Osteoporosis guidelines (2024).

Below are the contents of the tool that will need to be imported into the EMR.

Main form and accessory form	Type
Osteoporosis Main Form	.zip
Osteoporosis WW X-Ray Fluoroscopic Procedures req.	.html

| Handouts	Type
Causes of Secondary Osteoporosis	PDF
CEP Falls Checklist April 2022	PDF
Ontario Limited Use Codes Aug 2024	PDF
Osteonecrosis of the Jaw	PDF
Osteoporosis Falls Assessment	PDF
Osteoporosis Falls prevention	PDF

Osteoporosis Repeat BMD	PDF
Osteoporosis Too Fit To Fracture	PDF
Nutrition Key Points	PDF
Pharmacotherapy with Evidence for Fracture Prevention	PDF
Your Guide to Strong Bones	PDF

## Section A: Importing the Osteoporosis main form into OSCAR EMR

1. Download the package (i.e., Osteoporosis Main Form) and save it to the Desktop (or an alternate easy-to-access location).
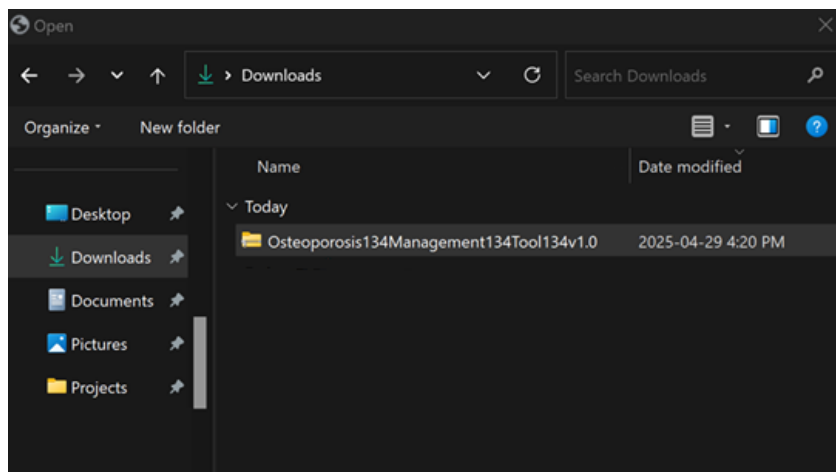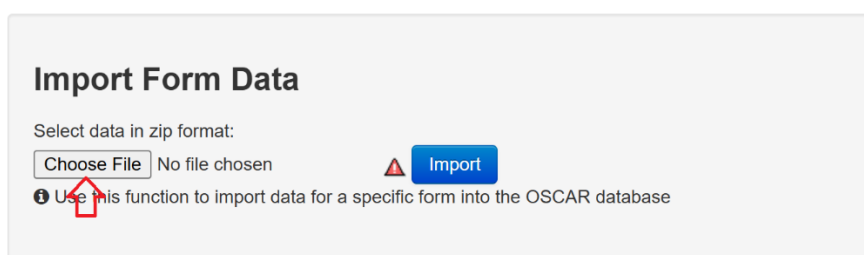

2. Log in to OSCAR EMR and from the main page, click the "Administration" button from the top menu.
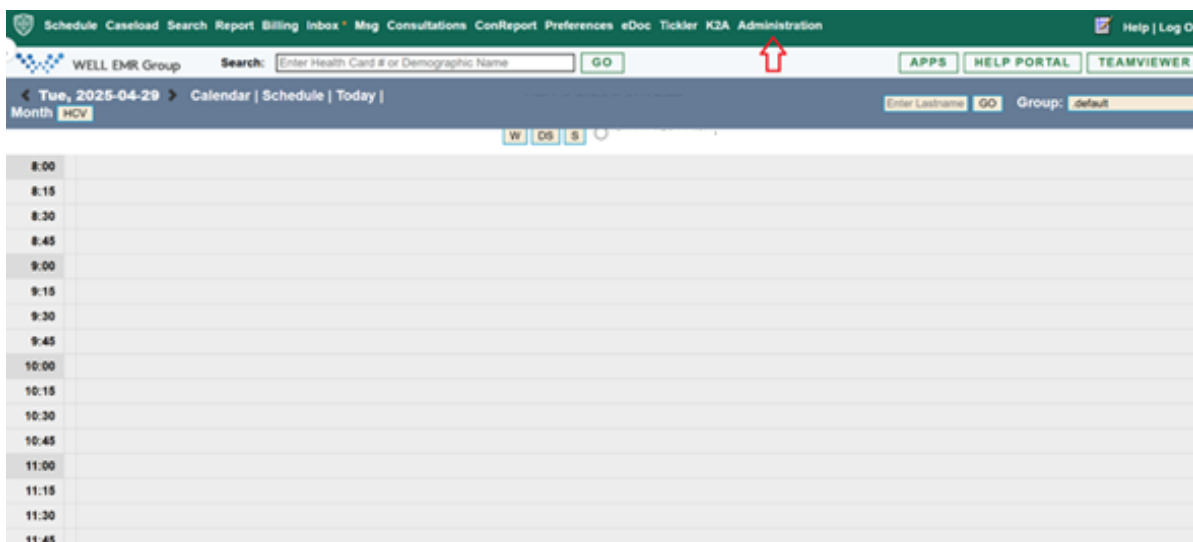
3. In the Administration Panel window, in the left-hand menu, navigate to the "Forms/eForms" section and then select the "Import From Data".
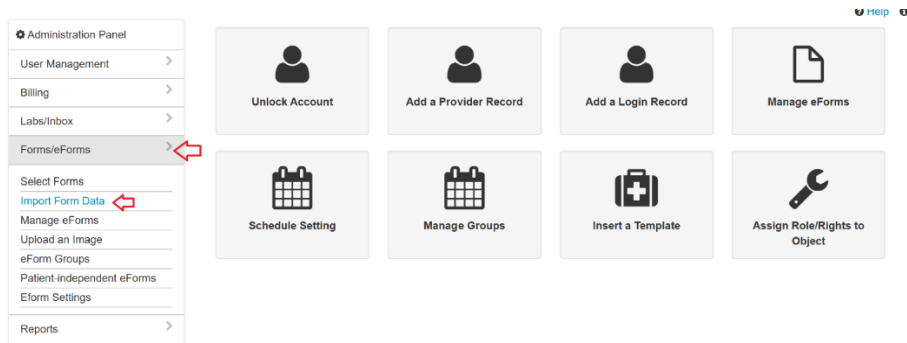
4. In the Input From Data panel, click the "Choose File" button.

Import Form Data

Select data in zip format:

Choose File | No file chosen | ⚠ | Import

ℹ Use this function to import data for a specific form into the OSCAR database

5. Navigate to the path chosen in Step 1, select the form, and click the "Open" button.
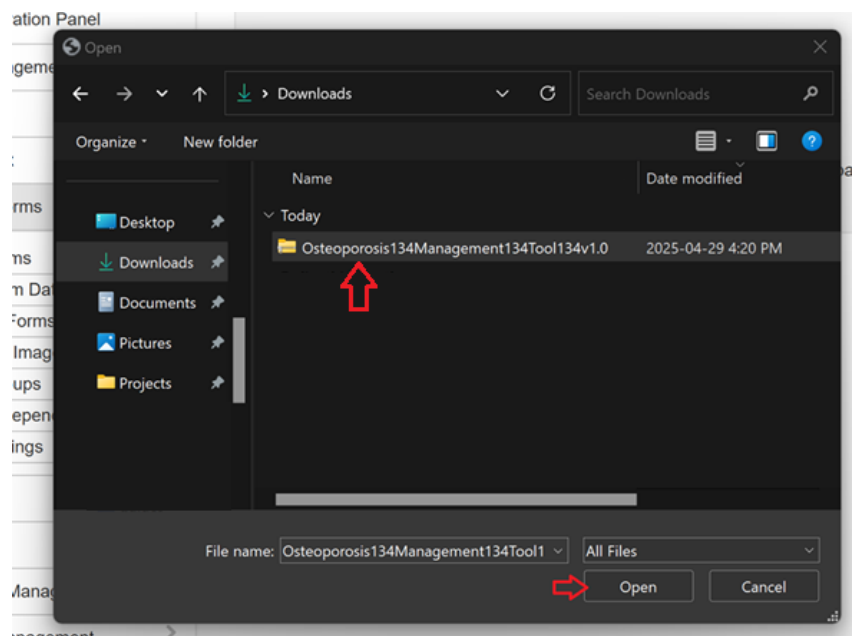
6. Lastly, click the "Import" blue button to add the form to the EMR.

Import Form Data

Select data in zip format:

Choose File   Osteoporosi...l134v1.0.zip   ⚠   **Import**   ⇦
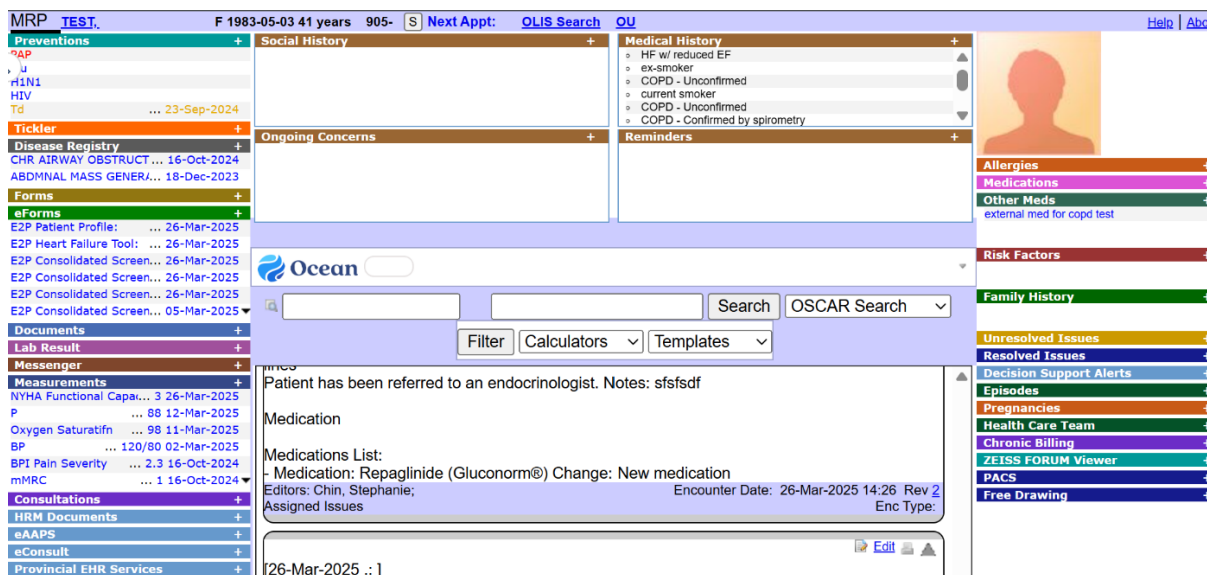
ⓘ Use this function to import data for a specific form into the OSCAR database

7. Repeat the previous steps for all the accesory forms (.html) files.
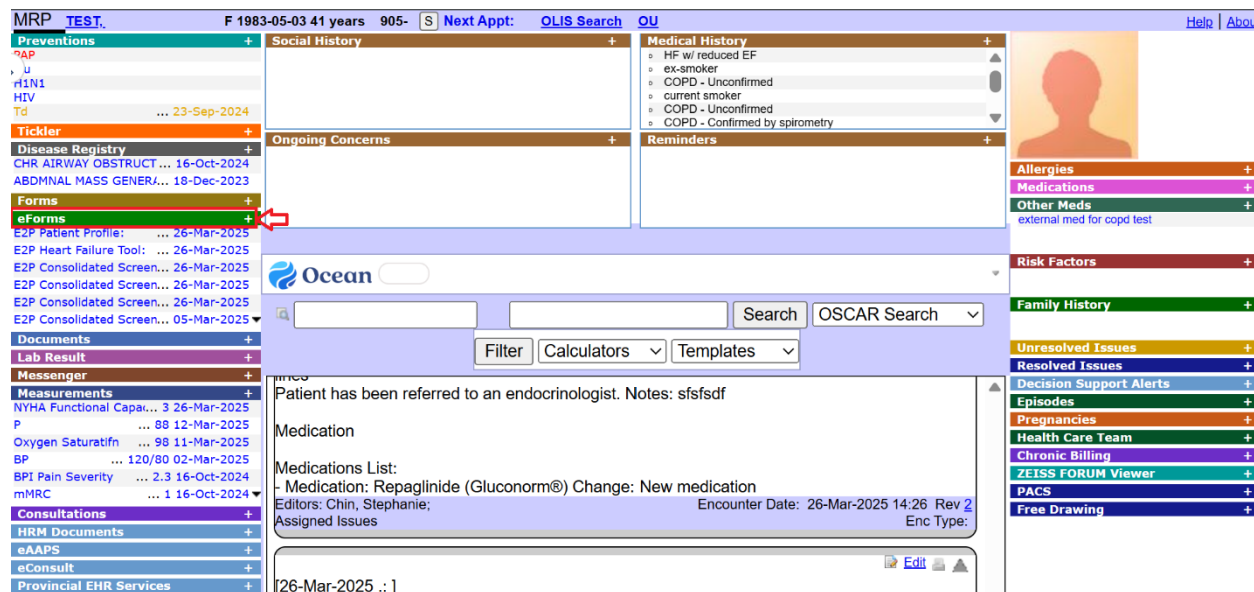
Section B: Using the Osteoporosis tool in Oscar EMR

1. Log in to OSCAR EMR and open a patient chart

2. Select the "+" From the eForms section to open the eForms window.

3. Look for the name of the form you want to import, you might need to scroll down to find a form.

4. Upon clicking on the form, a new window will open with the custom eForm.

Section C: FAQs

1. How do I import the Osteoporosis tool?

Importing a custom form to OSCAR EMR is a simple process; please refer to Section A of this document, which shows step-by-step instructions.

2. How do you use the Osteoporosis tool?

Once the user has imported the custom eForm from a patient's chart, go to the eForms in the left side column and click the "+" button. Afterwards, look for the custom form named "Osteoporosis Main Form v1.0" from the list and click on it.

3. Are there additional handouts and materials provided with the tool?

Yes, we have several handout materials listed below, and these can be shared with the clinics. In the case of OSCAR EMR, they are provided as supporting materials; you do not have to upload them to the EMR.

- Causes of Secondary Osteoporosis
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