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Epidemiology of Hip Fractures

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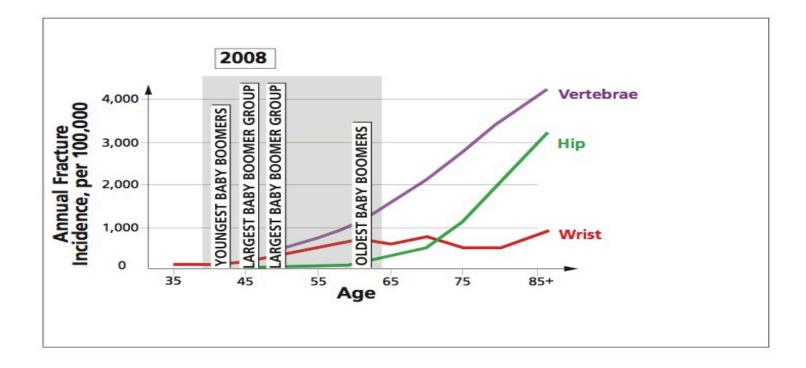
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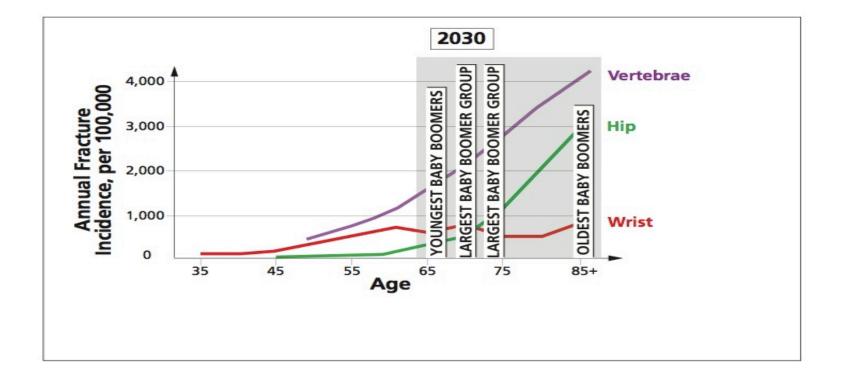


- Frequency of injury
- Availability of treatments
- Expected outcomes

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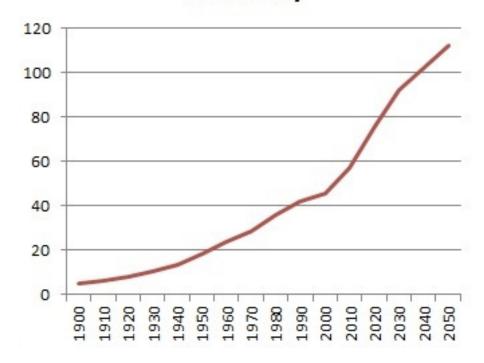


Hip Fractures

- Common Problem
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- 320,000 Hospitalization/yr
- Estimated global incidence
 - 1990: 1.6 million per year
 - 2050: 6.3 million per year

\$9 Billion Annual Expenditure in the US

U.S. 60+ population (in millions)





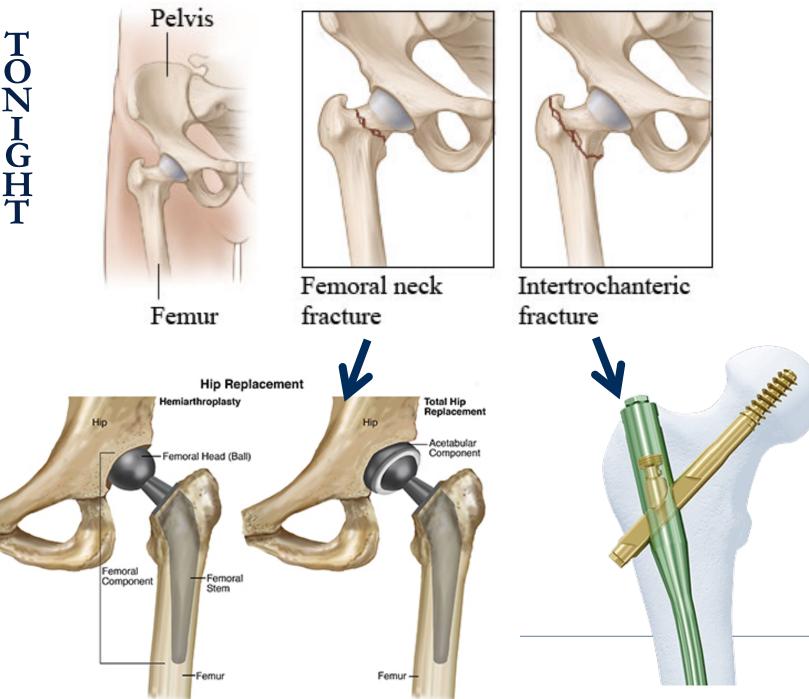
What is the outcome after surgery?

- HIGH mortality
 - 5-10% in 30 days
 - 20-35% in 1 year
- HIGH Morbidity
 - 11% become bedridden
 - 16% require LTC facility
 - 53% >65yo lose
 independence



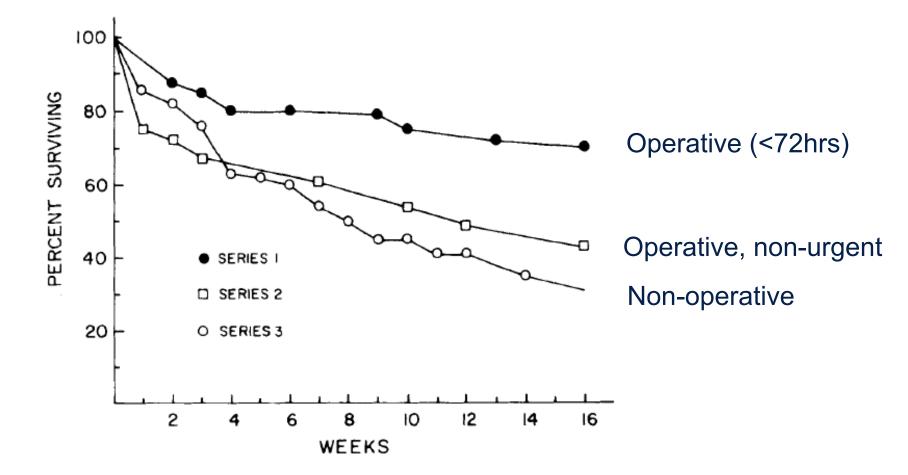








Prompt Surgery Prolongs Life

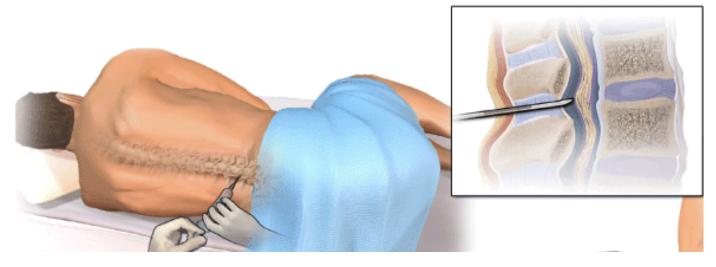


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What about specific anesthetic issues?

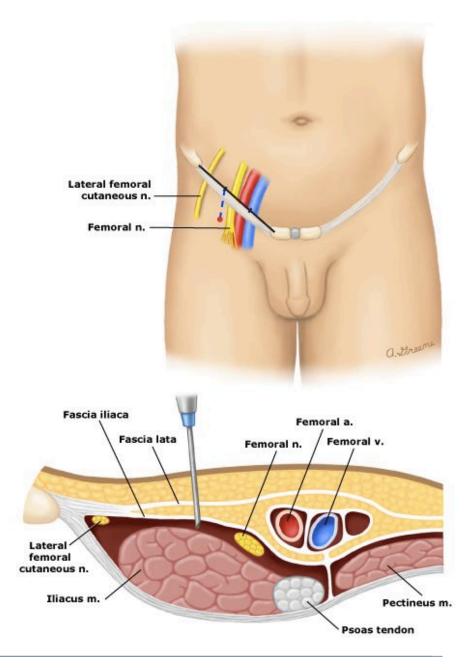
- General anesthesia vs. Neuraxial anesthesia
 - Data inconclusive
 - RCT's are limited
 - 2016 Cochrane review says no difference in 30 day mortality, but lower in-hospital mortality and shorter length of stay.





Fascia Iliac Block

- This block DEFINITELY:
 - Reduces acute pain after hip fracture
 - Reduces the need for opiates
 - Decrease the incidence of delirium
- This block MIGHT
 - Improve long-term function, mortality, and quality-of-life



Other Standards in Treatment

- Medical management of osteoporosis
 - Calcium and Vitamin D
 - Bisphosphonates
 - Denosumab and Teriparatide
- Exercise
 - Building Strength, Balance, and WALK!!!

Remember

- Hip fracture will affect you, your friends and/or family
- Surgical care is effective in restoring mobility, but . . .
- Morbidity and mortality are high
- Optimal care combines:
 - timely anesthesia/surgical care
 - medical management of osteoporosis
 - rehabilitation

