## Sudden Femur Fractures from Fosamax Spur Lawsuits

All over the nation, lawsuits are starting to be filed over the drug Fosamax. This is drugs that is prescribed to women with osteoporosis or who are believed to be at risk of developing complications from osteoporosis. If you believe that you have been prescribed this drug without being adequately informed of these dangers, you may want to contact an attorney. Several women have already allegedly suffered a sudden femur fracture from Fosamax.

## **The Consequences**

Atypical femur fractures have significant consequences for the people who suffer them. This is the largest bone in your body. When this bone is fractured, it means that the person who suffers that fracture generally ends up being laid up for a very long period of time while they recover. That may mean losing wages, extreme medical expenses and a great deal of pain and suffering. This is why people are choosing to sue.

A sudden femur fracture occurs when there is no reason to believe that it should have happened at all. These are also called low energy fractures, in some cases. A femur fracture can be expected in situations where somebody takes a nasty fall, when they're in a car accident or in other circumstances. The sheer strength of this bone, however, makes it unlikely that it would fracture without an obvious reason. This led health experts to believe that Fosamax may present a significant danger of these injuries occurring.

## What to Do

If you suffered a femur fracture and you happened to be on Fosamax or another drug that falls under the category of bisphosphonate drugs, you should contact an attorney about the matter. Your physician should be able to tell you whether or not the femur fracture was something that could have been expected or whether it is atypical. If you're not sure that your physician is being straight with you about it, an attorney will have access to experts who can help to clear up the situation and determine whether or not filing a lawsuit may be in order.

Filing a product liability claim against a pharmaceutical company is no small undertaking. You will definitely want expert legal advice if you intend to take on such a legal claim. A qualified attorney with a great deal of experience with product liability claims will be able to help you. The first step is contacting them so that you can have a consultation – which is usually free – with the attorney.

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