

### EVERYDAY DENTISTRY SERIES CDE PROGRAMME

# **Treatment of Osteoporosis**- Weighing risk and benefit

The aging population in Singapore is expected to rise from 26.5 % in 2020 to 39.6% in 2050. Osteoporosis affects 1 in 3 women and 1 in 5 men in their lifetime, studies have also show that Singaporeans live longer with at least 20% suffering with disability from musculoskeletal disorders. With treatment of osteoporosis and falls prevention, the risk of future fractures can be reduced up to 80%, however as with any treatments there are concerns regarding adverse risk of treatment. This talk aims to update the clinicians in the current available treatment options in osteoporosis, evidence on their efficacy and potential adverse effects. There will be a focus on data in medication related osteonecrosis of the jaw and a discussion on weighing risk and benefit of osteoporosis treatments.



**Dr Linsey Gani** is a Consultant at the Department of Endocrinology, Changi General Hospital, Singapore. She is the program director for the Eastern Community Health Outreach (ECHO) in Singapore that works to provide chronic disease health screening to the Eastern region in Singapore. She has also set up the Osteoporosis Liaison Service in Changi General Hospital to provide secondary fracture prevention to patients admitted with fragility hip fracture. She currently holds a Clinical Senior Lecturer position in the Department of Medicine, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National

University of Singapore ("NUS Medicine").

Dr Gani graduated from the University of Melbourne and is an accredited endocrinologist and a fellow of the Royal Australian College of Physician. She has completed a Masters of Public Health in health care management and public policy at the Harvard School of Public Health. Her areas of interest include diabetes, metabolic bone diseases, chronic disease management, public policy and health care models.

Date : Thursday, 14th November 2019

**Time** : 6.30pm – 7.00pm Registration

7.00pm - 9.30pm Dinner cum Lecture followed by Q&A

Venue : Residence 6, Level 3

**Grand Hyatt Singapore** 

10 Scotts Road, Singapore 228211

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Register by: Tuesday, 15th October 2019

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