

7 Questions

to Ask Your Doctor about
Vertebral Compression
Fractures (VCFs)



- 1) Why is it important to treat spinal fractures?
- 2) How common are spinal fractures?
- 3) What makes me a candidate for treatment of my VCF?
- 4) What treatment options exist?
- 5) What is the difference between vertebroplasty and kyphoplasty?
- 6) How is the pain treated? Will it return?
- 7) Are there risks associated with vertebral augmentation?

We encourage all patients and their families to review these important issues with a physician prior to VCF treatment.

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