For ALL patients over age 50 with a fracture, do the following:

- Put the patient on the “Bone Health List” shared patient list in Epic
- Tell the patient the following:
  - Fractures like the one you have often occur because of poor bone health (there are 7 times more of these fractures in the US each year than there are heart attacks, and 11 times more each year than cases of breast cancer)
  - You may have a serious bone condition that will lead you to have a high risk of future fractures
  - You should undergo an evaluation of your bone condition
  - Our bone health and fragility fracture team will be contacting you to talk with you and perform this evaluation, either while you are in the hospital or in our clinics
  - Having this evaluation is like checking your blood pressure or cholesterol – it is easy and doing so can help prevent major problems in the future
- Document in your note (consult or admission) that the patient has a fragility fracture and may have low bone mass or osteoporosis

If an inpatient at UCMC:

- Order the following from the “BHFF” smartset in Epic (all are checkboxes):
  - Creatinine
  - Calcium
  - Inorganic phosphate
  - 25-hydroxy vitamin D
  - bone specific alkaline phosphatase
  - calcium citrate
  - cholecalciferol (vitamin D)

If an outpatient at UCMC:

- Tell the patient they will be contacted by our bone health and fragility fracture team to schedule a clinic visit for a bone health evaluation.