Professor Charles Inderjeeth

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Professor Charles Inderjeeth is a distinguished Consultant Physician and Clinical Epidemiologist, serving as Director of Clinical Training, Research, and Rehabilitation Programs at Sir Charles Gairdner and Osborne Park Health Group, Perth. He holds a Clinical Professorship at the University of Western Australia (UWA), where he leads innovative clinical education and research in medicine, aged care, and chronic disease management.

A nationally recognised authority in rheumatology, osteoporosis, vitamin D deficiency, dementia, and geriatric syndromes, Prof Inderjeeth has more than two decades of experience across both hospital and community healthcare settings. Alongside delivering specialised patient care, he mentors advanced trainees and PhD candidates in Geriatric Medicine and Rheumatology.

Prof Inderjeeth actively contributes to the advancement of healthcare policy and practice through leadership roles on several advisory committees and executive boards, including **Healthy Bones Australia Medical Committee**, the Arthritis Foundation of WA, the Australian

Rheumatology Association, the Australian and New Zealand Bone and Mineral Society (ANZBMS), the Australian and New Zealand Society for Geriatric Medicine (ANZSGM), and the Australian and New Zealand Society for Sarcopenia and Frailty Research (ANZSSFR).

He earned his Master of Public Health from UWA and was awarded the prestigious NHMRC-NICS-DVA Fellowship, recognising his excellence in translating research into improved clinical outcomes. His leadership has been instrumental in shaping key health initiatives such as the WA Falls Policy, Osteoporosis Model of Care, and contributions to the Aged Care and Neurosciences Network, Stroke Care Model Working Group, and Musculoskeletal Health Network.

As a Senior Examiner for the Royal Australasian College of Physicians (RACP), Prof Inderjeeth maintains strong academic and professional ties across general practice, hospital care, and specialist medicine.

He is a passionate advocate for national action on bone health and supports the release of the **Know Your Bones Community Risk Report (Fourth Edition 2025)** to promote policy reform and raise public awareness on fracture prevention and protecting bone health.

"We understand the risk factors which can impact bone health, and we have a range of effective treatments to manage osteoporosis, so as health professionals our focus must be on early diagnosis and preventing fractures.

"Community awareness about risk factors is very important and early conversations between consumers and their GP about any risk factors will help early diagnosis," said Prof Inderjeeth.

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