

ENDOCRINOLOGY

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Patient Care

[Recognition of adult hypophosphatasia important to guide treatment decisions](#)

Most commonly utilized medications for osteoporosis may further impair skeletal mineralization and should be avoided in patients with hypophosphatasia (HPP). Mayo specialists discuss current HPP research and treatment.

[Single-site robotic adrenalectomy provides surgeons with better depth perception, greater range of motion](#)

Single-site technology allows for adrenalectomy to be safely performed through a single 2.5-cm incision that accommodates the camera, an assist port and two working hands.

[Extra pre-pregnancy care components important for patients with diabetes](#)

Aoife M. Egan, M.B., B.Ch., Ph.D., and Adrian Vella, M.D., discuss the care program for a patient with type 1 diabetes mellitus who wished to become pregnant.

[Endocrine Malignancies Disease Group focuses on patients with less-common endocrine cancers](#)

Mayo Clinic's approach has led to refined, integrated care across the spectrum of endocrine cancers, an optimized approach to thyroid nodules, and improved overall survival in anaplastic thyroid cancer.



Research

[Long-term hormone therapy may mitigate the risk of osteoporosis in transgender patients](#)

A working model supports that, assuming compliance with hormone therapy, the skeleton should be relatively well protected in both transgender women and transgender men.

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Education

[Principles in the Care of Transgender and Intersex Patients 2020](#)

Oct. 8-10, 2020, in Phoenix

Experts from Mayo's Transgender and Intersex Specialty Care Clinic instruct attendees in medical, surgical, psychosocial, legal and ethical issues in the care of transgender and intersex patients.

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In the Video Center

[¹¹C-choline PET/CT for parathyroid imaging](#)

Mayo specialists discuss the novel use of ¹¹C-choline PET/CT for the imaging and localization of parathyroid glands.

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