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Her research has included studies on the causes of osteoporosis and how estrogen, SERMS, bisphosphonates and vitamin D work as treatments for osteoporosis. Dr. Cosman's major research focus is in the use of teriparatide, a bone building medication, in combination with antiresorptive agents, and in novel cyclic regimens, in the treatment of severe osteoporosis.

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Dr. Cosman has served as Clinical Director of the National Osteoporosis Foundation since 1996. She has been elected to the Castle-Connolly list of Top Doctors every year beginning in 2000 and has been featured in *New York Magazine* Best Doctors and *Hudson Valley Magazine* Best Doctors.