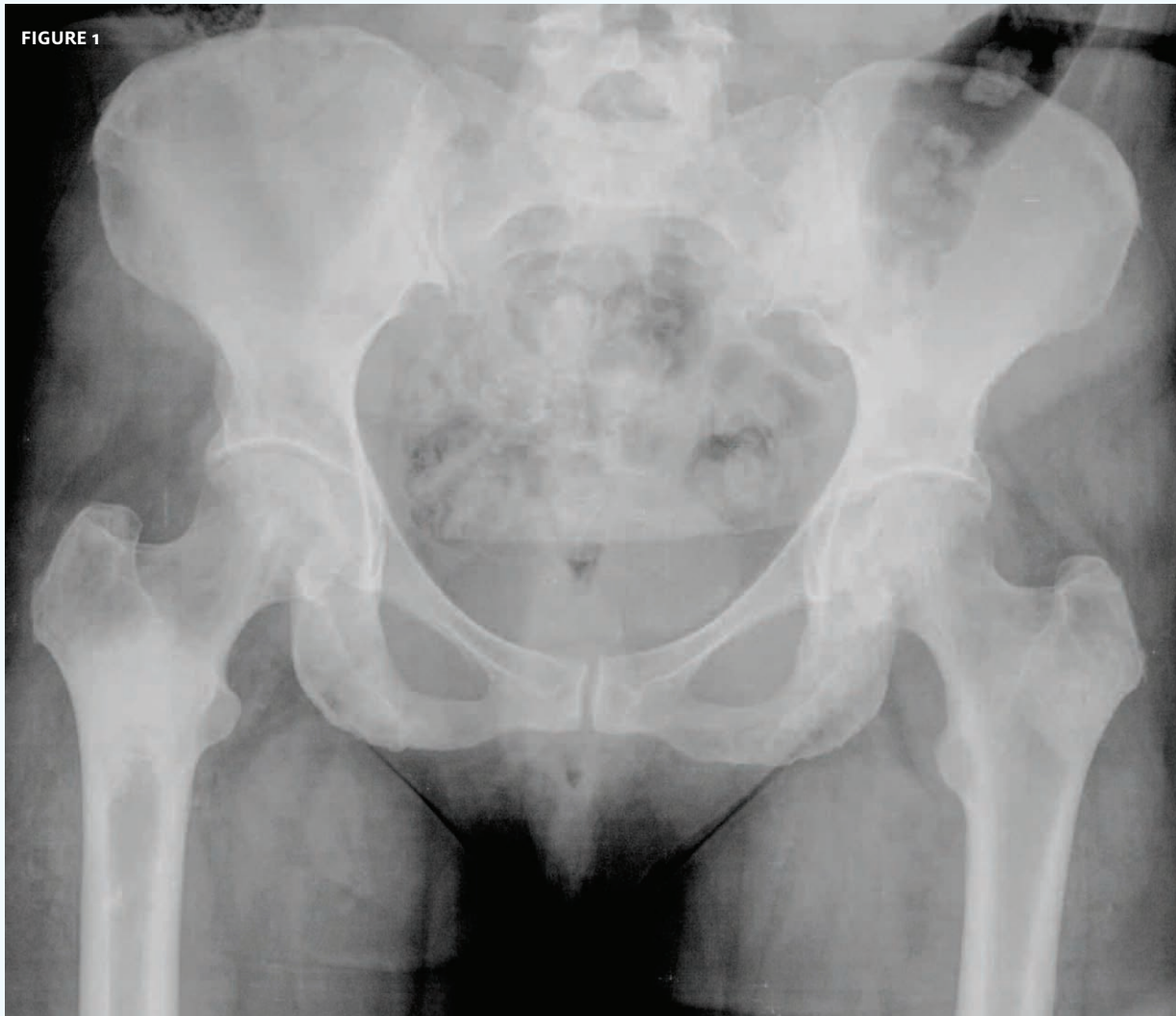




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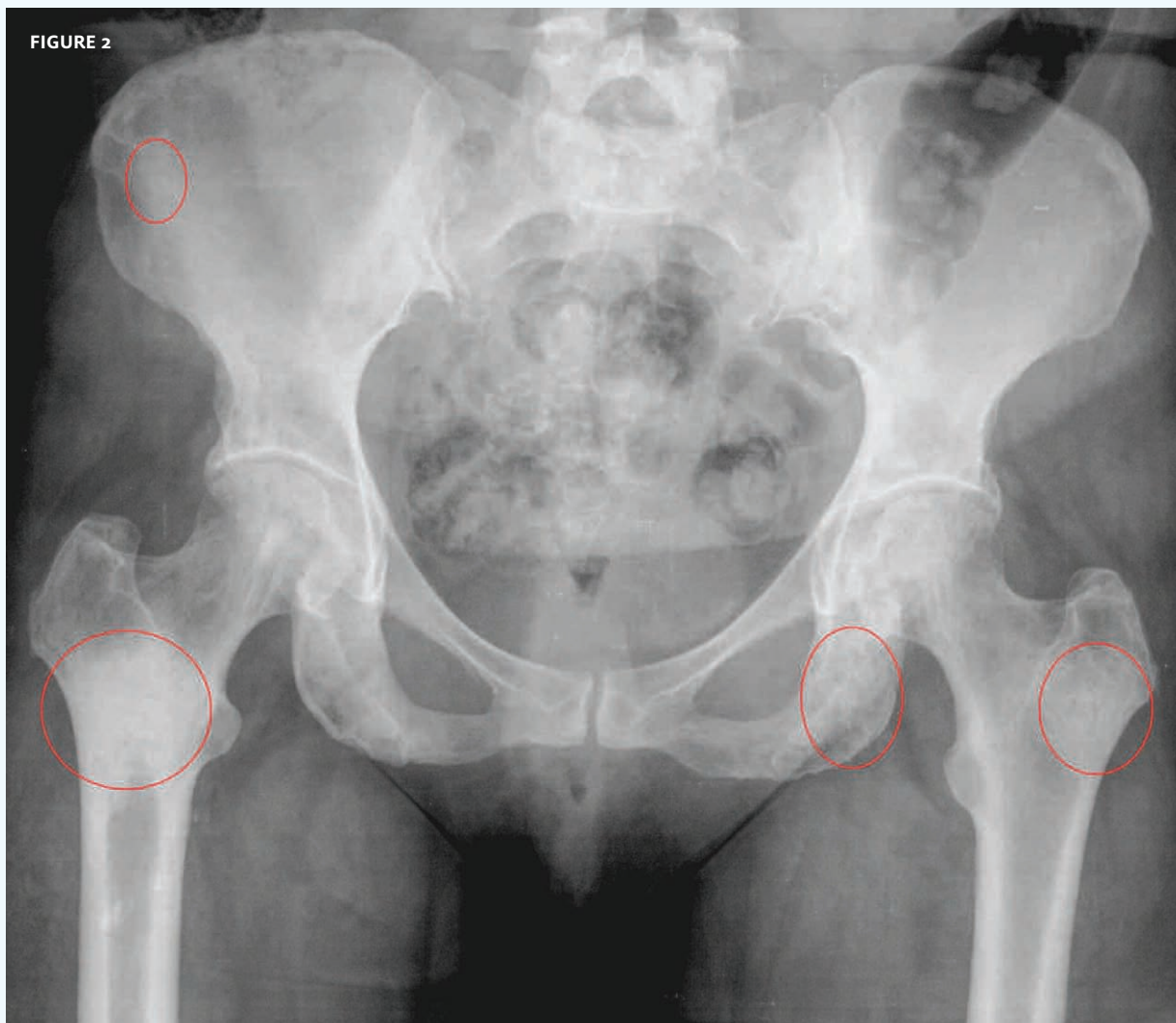


The patient is a 64-year-old woman who presents with sudden onset, bilateral hip pain. She otherwise appears healthy, but reveals that she has a history of breast cancer. Examination reveals nothing remarkable.

View the image taken (**Figure 1**) and consider what your diagnosis and next steps would be.

Resolution of the case is described on the next page.

THE RESOLUTION



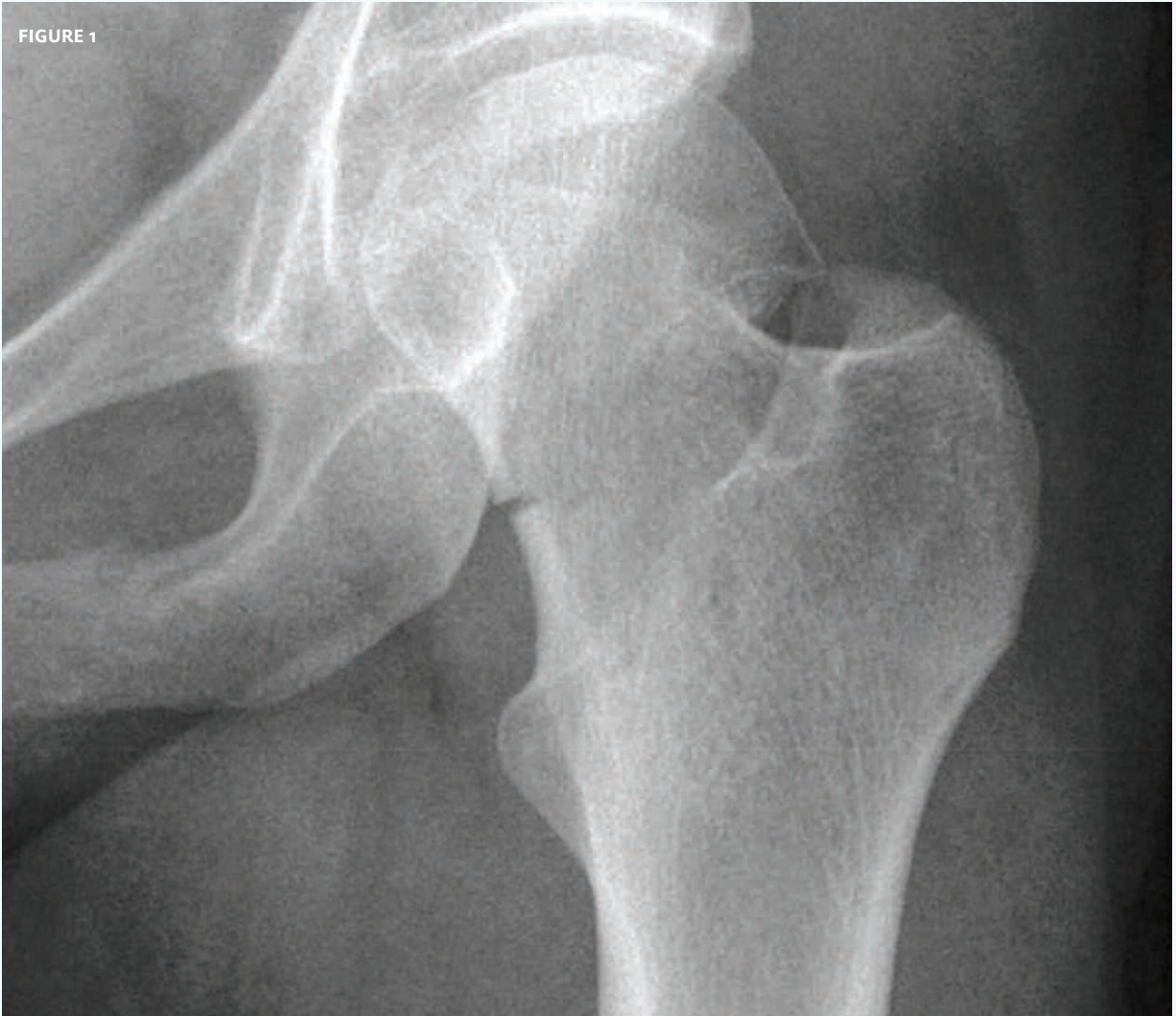
The x-ray reveals multiple osteoblastic lesions that are consistent with metastatic disease. This patient was referred for work-up, including a bone scan.

This case is an excellent reminder that pathology is not limited to trauma, regardless of the presenting complaint. A thorough survey is necessary to ensure a complete assessment and accurate diagnosis.

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FIGURE 1



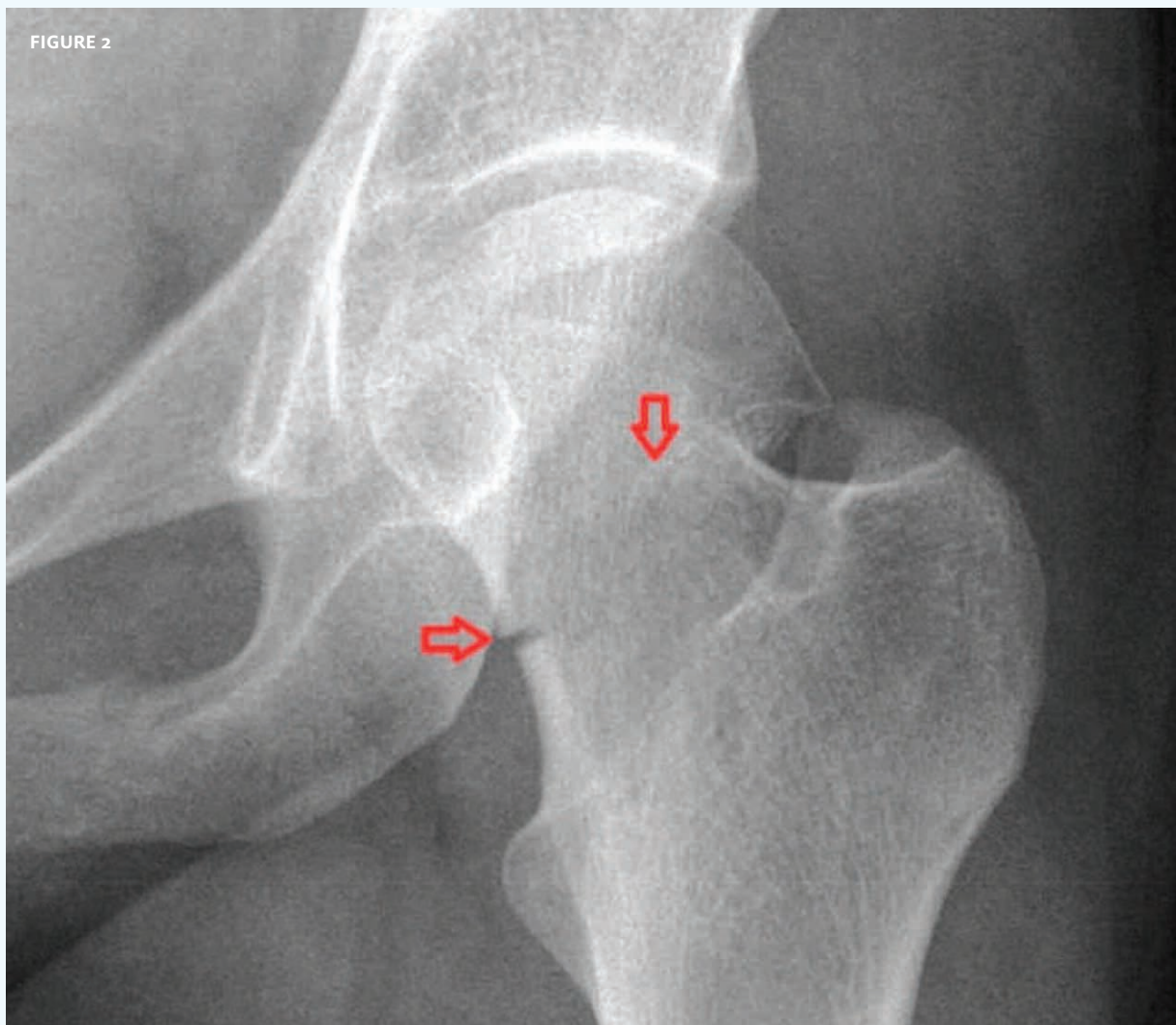
The patient is a 37-year-old woman in her second trimester of pregnancy. She presents a day after experiencing a fall, with impact to her left hip.

She is walking, but with a noticeable limp.

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THE RESOLUTION



The x-ray shows a fracture of the neck of the femur.

This case demonstrates the need to x-ray even during pregnancy, when indicated.

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