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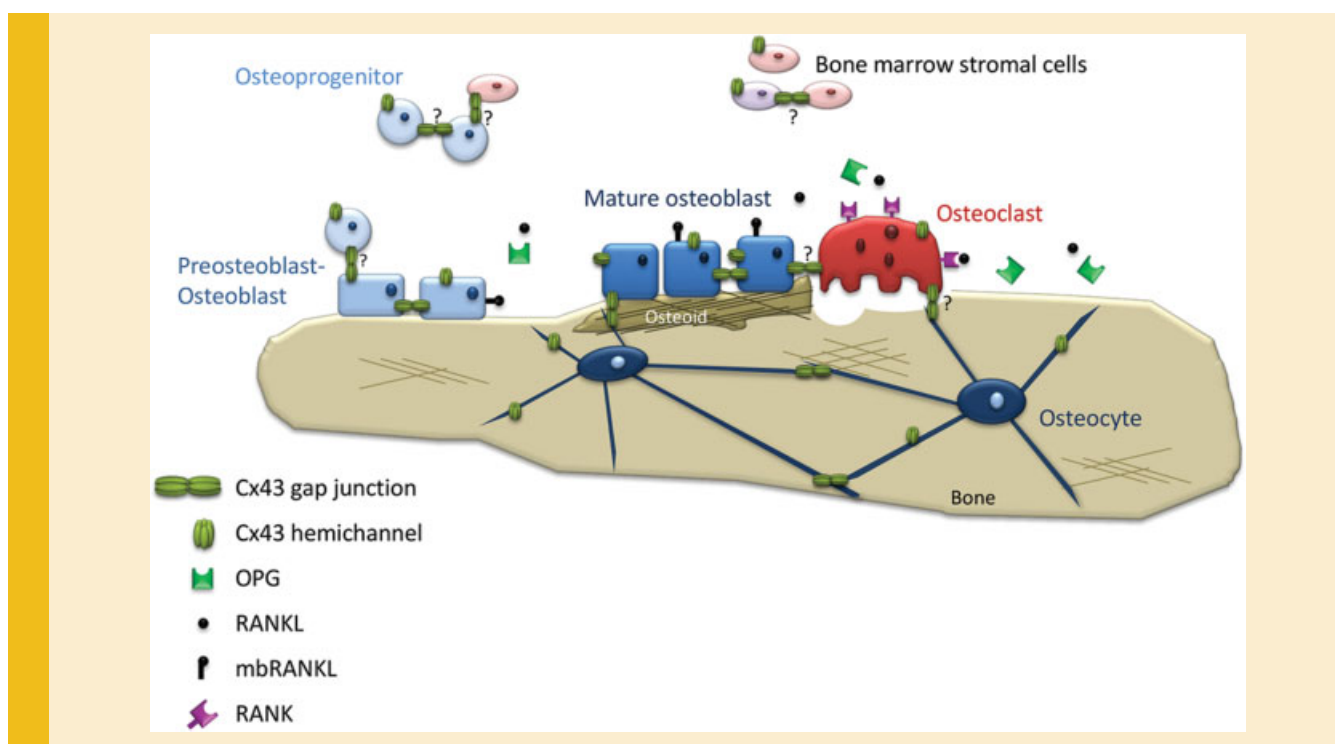
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## The "Connexin" Between Bone Cells and Skeletal Functions

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Zappitelli and Aubin review the role of gap junctions, hemichannels, and Connexin 43 (Cx43) in bone metabolism. Cx43 may be a potential therapeutic target and further research must be dedicated to understanding the multiple and complex roles of Cx43 in bone.