

CME INFORMATION

Cardiovascular disease remains the leading cause of morbidity and mortality in the United States. New treatment strategies, medications and device developments in multiple areas of cardiovascular disease intend to afford benefit to the millions of patients who suffer from these conditions.

Given the rapid progress in cardiovascular medicine, it can be difficult for frontline providers to keep abreast of changes in preventive cardiology, new innovative therapeutic procedures, diagnostic methods and new technologies. There are also many sources of information that people are learning from. It is important to provide a forum in which practicing healthcare providers are presented with new information in a way that establishes a common knowledge base.

This course aims to shorten the translation from evidence to practice on a wide variety of cardiovascular issues including preventive cardiology, new innovative therapeutic procedures and diagnostic methods. This meeting will bring together diverse members of the interdisciplinary practice team to create a common knowledge base which is so important to the effectiveness of the care team in today's practice environment.

Learning Objectives

- Identify patients at risk for CVD and implement strategies to improve practice in cardiovascular prevention including risk factor modification lipid therapy
- Identify alternatives to antiplatelet and anticoagulants in CAD and atrial fibrillation among patients who may benefit from these therapies
- Utilize new technologies such as handheld ultrasound devices to evaluate the presence of CVD
- Review the latest advances in heart failure treatment strategies
- Analyze new treatments such as biodegradable stents
- Identify patient selection criteria for pacemakers and ICDs
- Manage complications for patients with pacemakers and ICDs
- Create awareness of the latest advances in interventional cardiology available to frontline providers and patients

Target Audience

This conference is intended for primary care physicians, family practice physicians, cardiologists, nurses, nurse practitioners, urgent care providers, physician assistants, and healthcare professionals interested in the care of patients with, and prevention of, cardiac problems.

CME Accreditation

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint providership of MedStar Georgetown University Hospital and MedStar Heart & Vascular Institute. MedStar Georgetown University Hospital is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

CME Designation

MedStar Georgetown University Hospital designates this live activity for a maximum of 6.75 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Nurses

For the purpose of recertification, the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC) accepts *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™* issued by organizations accredited by the ACCME. Nurses who attend a Category 1 CME certified activity can complete the continuing education hours section of the ANCC Professional Development Record in order to document the courses attended and the hours obtained

FRONTLINE CARDIOLOGY 2017

Cardiovascular Care in the Community

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3007 Tilden Street, NW, Suite 3N
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For more information and to register, please visit
<http://CME.MedStarHealth.org/Frontline>



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AGENDA

7:15 AM Registration and Continental Breakfast

7:50 AM Welcome and Introduction

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SESSION I

Moderators: Carolina I. Valdiviezo, MD; Rachel Barish, NP

8:00 AM Chest Pain for the Frontline Practitioner: A Practical Approach to Risk Stratification and CP Evaluation

M. Barbara Srichai-Parsia, MD

8:30 AM Managing Lipids-Statins, PCSK-9 Inhibitors: Who, When and How Low?

Allen J. Taylor, MD

9:00 AM Cardiac Diets, Supplements and Exercise: What Works and What Does Not Work

Carolina I. Valdiviezo, MD

9:30 AM Cardiovascular Care of the Cancer Survivor

Ana Barac, MD, PhD

10:00 AM The "Athletic" Heart: Participation Physicals and Screening: Update on Guidelines

Dermot Phelan, MD, PhD

10:30 AM Break and Visit the Exhibits

SESSION II

Moderator: Sriram Padmanabhan, MD

10:50 AM New Valve Therapies: How to Identify Patients "Ready" For the Next Step

Lowell F. Satler, MD

11:20 AM What is New in Pulmonary Hypertension?

Christopher Barnett, MD, MPH

11:50 AM Point of Care Ultrasound For the Frontline Provider

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12:25 PM Lunch and Visit the Exhibits

SESSION III

Moderator: Allen J. Taylor, MD

1:05 PM Moving Beyond Holter: The Modern Toolbox of Cardiac Monitoring

Susan M. O'Donoghue, MD

1:35 PM Atrial Fibrillation: Update on Management Strategies; From Drugs to Protective Devices

Zayd A. Eldadah, MD, PhD

2:05 PM Pacemakers and Defibrillators 101: Indications and New Devices

Athanasios Thomaides, MD

2:35 PM Strategies in Heart Failure: Do Biomarkers Help?

Samer S. Najjar, MD

3:05 PM How to Revascularize in 2017: Beyond Stents and CABG

Michael J. Lipinski, MD, PhD

3:35 PM Concluding Remarks

Carolina I. Valdiviezo, MD

3:40 PM Adjourn

** After each 25 minute talk there will be five minutes for questions and discussion.*

REGISTRATION

Registration Fees

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| Physician | \$50 |
| Resident/Fellow | \$25 |
| Advanced Practice Clinician | \$25 |
| Nurse | \$25 |
| Allied Health Professional | \$25 |

Online Registration Preferred

Please visit our secure website at <http://cme.medstarhealth.org/frontline> for updated program and registration information. We are unable to accept registrations or cancellations by telephone. If you wish to pay your registration fee by check, please download and print a registration form and mail it to the address on the registration form with your check.

All registrations will be confirmed by email only. Please use an email address that you check regularly. If you have questions regarding registration or do not receive an email confirmation of your registration within 1-2 business days, please contact us at medstarcm@gmail.com or 202-780-1655.

Cancellation Policy

Cancellations made in writing by Friday, March 24, 2017 will be subject to a 50% penalty. No refunds will be given after March 24, 2017. Cancellations will not be accepted by telephone. In the unlikely event that the course is canceled, MedStar Health will refund the registration fee, but is not responsible for any travel costs.

Please call 202-780-1655 or email medstarcm@gmail.com if you any questions or need any additional information.

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