



Friday, February 27, 2015

East Carolina Heart Institute 115 Heart Drive, Greenville, NC

Presented by

East Carolina Heart Institute at ECU, Department of Cardiovascular Sciences, Office of Continuing Medical Education Brody School of Medicine of East Carolina University and UNC Eshelman School of 'harmacy in association with Eastern Area Health Education Center

Heart Disease is the second leading cause of death in North Carolina and frequently presents management challenges to physicians in Eastern North Carolina in all areas of clinical practice- the office, the emergency room, or hospital in-patient services.

This symposium has been structured to provide an overview of the most important recent advances affecting the complex management of patients with congestive heart failure, coronary artery disease, valvular heart disease, myocardial infarction and pulmonary hypertension. It includes a focus on "novel" anticoagulants and interpretation of an Echo report.

TARGET AUDIENCE

The symposium has been structured to provide an overview of the most important recent advances affecting the care of cardiovascular patients for Cardiologists, Hospitalists, and Physicians in Internal Medicine and Family Medicine, as well as Physician Assistants, Nurse Practitioners, Pharmacists and Cardiac Sonographers involved in the management of these patients.

CREDIT

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COURSE CONTENT

Upon completion of this knowledge-based program the participant should be able to integrate new developments in the following areas into practice:

CHF Initial Presentation - What Tests to Order and Why? *Discuss imaging test options for patients presenting with symptoms of congestive heart failure *Describe the advantages of imaging modalities *Identify the limitations of different imaging modalities *Examine the cost/reward ratio for imaging modalities

Mechanical Support for the Failing Heart: 2015 Updates *Explore the recent trial evidence in advanced heart failure *Discuss recent progress in durable mechanical support *Review complications of mechanical support and barriers to implementing advanced heart failure therapies

Post Myocardial Infarction (STEMI/NSTEMI) Management; Focus on Early Primary CAD/CHF Prevention *Review current guidelines for the management of immediate postinfarction/ACS treatments *Examine the incorporation of clinic protocols within EHR to ensure up-titration of ACE inhibitor patient/beta-blockade for late myocardial protection/CHF prevention *Discuss current guidelines risk assessment for sudden cardiac death following myocardial infarction; indications for early versus delayed ICD implantation

"Novel" Anticoagulants *Relate a Brief Overview of Newer Anticoagulants *Examine the Role of Anticoagulants in Patients with AF and Concomitant Acute Coronary Syndrome *Integrate Concepts Through Case Based Discussion

Valvular Heart Disease - How to Read an ECHO Report *Review basic echocardiographic parameters for assessment of severity of valvular heart disease *Discuss significance and interpretation of pulmonary hypertension and ventricular function in the setting of valvular disease *Discuss when to refer patient to the cardiologist

Pulmonary Hypertension: Understanding the Disease and Recent Advances *Recognize different groups of pulmonary hypertension and its implications *Discuss screening and diagnostic modalities *Examine recent advances in management of pulmonary hypertension

Advanced Resuscitative Measures in Cardiogenic Shock *Review the incidence of cardiogenic shock *Discuss the role of hypothermia *Examine mechanical circulatory support devices in shock

Primary versus Secondary Prevention in the Management of CAD1 *Examine the incorporation of individualized, PharmacoGenomic Panel information for development of safe and effective, patient-specific therapeutic regimens in primary and secondary prevention of MACE (Major Adverse Cardiac Events) *Discuss the application of current lipid management guidelines in the setting of NMR LipoProfile and PharmacoGenomic data to determine safety and tolerability of statins/alternative lipid-lowering therapies; the concept of a "modern" lipid clinic? *Review data relating to tolerability and compliance for nanagement of hypertension, using a patient-centered, individualized, and cost-effective therapeutic algorithm

AGENDA Friday, February 27, 2015

7:30	Registration and Breakfast Buffet
8:00	Welcome and Overview John Cahill, MD
8:10	CHF Initial Presentation - What Tests to Order and Why? C. Bogdan Marcu, MD
9:00	Mechanical Support for the Failing Heart: 2015 Updates Hassan Alhosaini, MD
9:50	Break
0:10	Post Myocardial Infarction (STEMI/NSTEMI) Management; Focus on Early Primary CAD/CHF Prevention John Cahill, MD
11:00	"Novel" Anticoagulants Rajasekhar Nekkanti, MD
2:00	Lunch
1:00	Valvular Heart Disease - How to Read an Echo Report Deepa Kabirdas, MD
1:50	Pulmonary Hypertension: Understanding the Disease and Recent Advances Sunil Sharma, MD
2:45	Break
3:00	Advanced Resuscitative Measures in Cardiogenic Shock Ramesh Daggubati, MD
3:50	Primary versus Secondary Prevention in the Management of CAD John Cahill, MD
4:45	Q&A/Evaluation
5:00	Adjourn

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REGISTRATION

Pre-registration is required. Advanced payment of fee is necessary to guarantee space. For your convenience, an e-syllabus which you can print from your computer is available at no extra charge. Payment may be made by check or by credit card (Visa, MasterCard, Discover, or American Express). Registrations may be completed online at www.ecu.edu/cme or faxed to (252) 744-5229. Checks should be made payable to Office of CME.

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MDs/Other Doctorates \$125.00 NPs/PAs/Others \$75.00 Residents/Medical Students \$50.00

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Program Location

This program is being held in the East Carolina Heart Institute in the ECU Auditorium. Parking is available in the parking lot in front of the Family Medicine building in section SM-27. Maps at www.ecu.edu/cvs.

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