OVERVIEW

Cardiovascular disease is a major disease burden in terms of both mortality and health related quality of life and is an important source of health inequalities between populations in Canada. This 1-day program will provide an overview of advancements which have been made in the areas of diagnostics, prevention, medical and surgical treatment of cardiovascular disease.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

At the end of this course, the learner will be able to:
Discuss diagnostic methods, updates in cardiology, arrhythmias, lipid management, cardiac risk reduction for non-cardiac surgery.

This program will be of interest to:
Family physicians, medical and surgical specialists, nurse practitioners, nurses, physician assistants and other allied health professionals who wish to update their general knowledge of cardiology.

2012 CARDIOLOGY UPDATE

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AGENDA

07:30-08:25  Registration & Breakfast

08:25-08:30  Welcome and Introductions      Dr. A. Morris

08:30-09:30  Diagnostic Methods       Chair:  Dr. M. Kass

  • My patient is short of breath  Utility of Echocardiography  Dr. A. Soni
  • My patient has chest pains: Stress test? Nuclear studies?  Dr. F. Cordova
  • My patient has chest pains: CT coronary angiography vs.  Invasive coronary angiography  Dr. A. Morris

09:45-10:00  A Few EKGs before coffee  Dr. Morris

10:00-10:30  Break

10:30-11:30  Updates in Cardiology  Chair:  Dr. C. Seifer

  • Current approach to lipid management  Dr. J. Ducas
  • My patient has syncope: What should I do?  Dr. C. Seifer
  • Cardiac risk reduction for non-cardiac surgery  Dr. A. Morris

11:30-12:00  Discussion

12:00-13:00  Lunch

13:00-14:00  Cardiovascular Potpourri  Chair:  Dr. G. Parmar

  • Percutaneous aortic valve replacement for AS  Dr. G. Parmar
  • Non-cardiac surgery, tents and antiplatelet agents  Dr. K. Minhas
  • The PFO and unexplained stroke—Guilty or innocent?  TBA

14:00-14:15  Discussion

14:15-15:15  Arrhythmias  Chair:  Dr. K. Wolfe

  • The issue of rate-control in atrial fibrillation  Dr. A. Khadem
  • Alternatives to Coumadin for stroke prophylaxis in A Fib  Dr. D. Houston
  • PVC’s– A nuisance or a real worry?  Dr. K. Wolfe

15:15-15:35  Break

15:35-15:50  Q & A - All topics

15:50-16:00  Evaluations & Wrap-up
FEES

◊ Physician $ 175.00
◊ Nurse & Allied Health $ 50.00
◊ Resident/Student $ 50.00
◊ University of Manitoba CPD Bannatyne and Community Based Pass holders: please refer to CPD Annual Brochure 2012/13 for fee information

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▪ Registration payment: VISA or MasterCard.

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▪ Receipts of payment are issued by e-mail only

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A registration refund will be made upon written request prior to September 2, 2012. A fee of $30.00 will be retained for administrative costs. No refunds will be made for cancellations after the event has started.

DISCLOSURE OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST
In keeping with accreditation guidelines, speakers participating in this event have been asked to disclose to the audience any involvement with industry or other organizations that may potentially influence the presentation of the educational material.

STUDY CREDITS
This event is an Accredited Group Learning Activity (Section 1) as defined by the Maintenance of Certification Program of The Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, and approved by the University of Manitoba for a maximum of 6.0 credits.

This Program meets the accreditation criteria of the College of Family Physicians of Canada and has been accredited for 6.0 Mainpro-M1 credits.

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EVENT LOCATION MAP
Frederic Gaspard Theatre, Basic Medical Sciences Building
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Parking Information
Street Parking around the facility is limited to 2 hours. William, Emily, and Tecumseh parkade rates are $12.00 per day. Hourly rates are $3.00 per hour. Payment is Visa, MasterCard, AMEX, and cash.

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