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Purpose

Heart failure is the progressive stage of most cardiac illness. It is a serious condition that can lead to reduced quality of life and increased healthcare costs. The treatment for heart failure has changed dramatically and become more complex in the past 10 years. In this symposium, we will present up-to-date knowledge to help clinicians and allied health providers identify, evaluate and treat heart failure and related conditions.

Audience

This symposium will be of value to Cardiovascular Surgeons, Cardiologists, Internists, Internal Medicine, Hospital Medicine, Family Practice, mid-level providers, allied health professionals and subspecialty trainees. It will also be of interest to Internal Medicine, Hospital Medicine, Family Practice, mid-level providers, allied health professionals and subspecialty trainees. It will also be of interest to residents and allied health staff with an interest in heart failure.

Objectives

All the goals of this symposium have been developed to ensure that a participant can:

- Encourage application of primary and secondary preventive measures to reduce the incidence, prevalence and the economic burden of heart failure
- Know the most current evidence-based diagnostic & therapeutic strategies in heart failure & pulmonary hypertension
- Highlight innovation in the field of advanced heart failure
- Understand prognosis and outcomes of various treatment strategies employed in managing heart failure.

About Milwaukee

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SESSION 3: Advanced Heart Failure
Moderator: Nazir Sulaiman, MD
1:30 p.m. Advances in Heart Failure Therapies: When to Refer & Why? Nazir Thohan, MD
1:40 p.m. Perioperative Management of Heart Failure Patients: Indications & Outcomes? Tarir Bahaj, MD
2:05 p.m. Mechanical Circulatory Support and Cardiac Transplant in 2018 Frank Dooney, MD
3:30 p.m. To Pursue Advanced Heart Failure Therapy or NOT? A Case Based Discussion David Mehta, MD; Tanvir Ahmed, MD; Frans Hals, MD
2:30 p.m. Panel Discussion with Moderator and Session Speakers
3:40 p.m. Break & Exhibits
SESSION 4: Breakout Sessions (Choose one)
A Practical Issues with Heart Failure
3:30 p.m. Heart Failure Management: Strategies to Improve Quality & Metrics Don Nunley, MD; Andrea Siddi, NP
3:55 p.m. Advanced Heart Failure Journey: from Patient Perspective Facilitator: Chad Flowers, RN; Thomas Madison, MD
4:10 p.m. Role of Palliative Care: How to discuss prognosis with patients? Rose Champagne, NP
4:35 p.m. Panel Discussion with Moderator and Session Speakers
B Surgical Aspects of patients with HF
Moderator Frank Dooney, MD
3:30 p.m. LVAD Management: For the Primary Care Provider Kehl Schulz
3:55 p.m. Handbook of Heart Failure: A Problem Based Approach Fred Demory, MD & John Crouch, MD
5:00 p.m. Adjourn

Contact Laurel Lands at 414-219-7648 or email to laurel.lands@aurora.org with course related questions.

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Intercontinental Milwaukee Hotel
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