

Thursday,
Sep. 24, 2020

An Atlantic Cardiovascular
Medicine Update for
Family Medicine, Emergency
Physicians and those
interested in CVD Care.



Clinical Day in
Cardiology
2020 Online

Time	Topic	Faculty
1:00 - 1:10 pm	Introductions / Objectives / Instructions	Dr. Paul MacDonald
1:10 - 1:30 pm	<p>Management of non-ST-elevation/acute coronary syndrome in the Emergency Room and at discharge from hospital. What medication is necessary and is colchicine treatment for everyone?</p> <p>Learning Objective: At the completion of this session participants will be able to better apply the body of clinical evidence for medication use when managing patients diagnosed with NSTEMI/ACS in the Emergency Department.</p>	Dr. Iqbal Bata QEII Health Sciences Halifax, NS
1:30 - 1:45 pm	Participant Question Period	
1:45 - 2:05 pm	<p>Assessment of challenging STEMI cases and which cardiac patients require emergency transfer. How is Drip and Ship working so far.</p> <p>Learning Objective: At the completion of this session participants will be able to more effectively classify which STEMI patients require an emergent catheterization lab transfer.</p>	Dr. Sohrab Lutchmedial NB Heart Centre Saint John, NB
2:05 - 2:20 pm	Participant Question Period	
2:20 - 2:40 pm	<p>Assessment of low-risk chest pain in the Emergency Department. Heart score, biomarkers, and other considerations in assessment. Who needs a cardiology referral and who needs a cardiac stress test.</p> <p>Learning Objective: At the completion of this session participants will be able to define which assessment tools can more accurately establish which patients with low-risk chest pain require a cardiac stress test.</p>	Dr. David Bewick NB Heart Centre Saint John, NB
2:40 - 2:55 pm	Participant Question Period	
2:55 - 3:10 pm	Refreshment Break	
3:10 - 3:30 pm	<p>Diabetes and cardiovascular drugs. The SGLT2 inhibitors seem useful with or without diabetes. How should these medications be properly used and which drugs for which patient.</p> <p>Learning Objective: At the completion of this session participants will be able to define which cardiac patients will derive maximal clinical benefit from the SGLT2 class of medications.</p>	Dr. Kim Anderson QEII Health Sciences Halifax, NS
3:30 - 3:45 pm	Participant Question Period	

3:45 - 4:05 pm	<p>Congestive heart failure update including treatments for preserved ejection fraction. Are new drugs worth the cost and what is needed to obtain provincial coverage (Entresto, Ivabradine and Carvedilol).</p> <p>Learning Objective: At the completion of this session participants will be able to critically appraise the body of clinical evidence for medications used in the management of congestive heart failure.</p>	Dr. Andrew Moeller QEII Health Sciences Halifax, NS
4:05 - 4:20 pm	Participant Question Period	
4:20 - 4:30 pm	Meeting Debrief / Evaluation	



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