#### **OVERVIEW**

The "Cutting Edge Cardiovascular Updates" conference is a full-day event dedicated to exploring the latest advancements and collaborative strategies in cardiovascular care.

The morning sessions will cover a range of topics including new developments in atrial fibrillation treatment, innovations in cardiac devices such as wearables and leadless pacemakers, and the importance of multidisciplinary teams in managing pulmonary embolism and endocarditis. A session on limb salvage will emphasize the value of coordinated care across specialties.

In the afternoon, the program will delve into guideline-directed medical therapy for heart failure, team-based approaches to cardiogenic shock, and the diagnostic complexities of cardiac amyloidosis. Additional sessions will focus on the heart team's role in managing aortic stenosis, mitral regurgitation and tricuspid valve disease, followed by a discussion on how artificial intelligence is transforming clinical research and quality improvement.

## **AUDIENCE**

This activity is designed to meet the educational needs of physicians, residents, advanced practice providers, nurses, and allied healthcare professionals who are involved in the care of patients with cardiovascular disease.

# **LOCATION**

Hilton Garden Inn is located at 6165 Levis Commons Blvd., Perrysburg, Ohio in the Levis Commons shopping district, with convenient access from I-475/US 23.

#### **ACCOMMODATIONS**

If overnight accommodations are required, contact Hilton Garden Inn, 419-873-0700, toll-free 877-STAY-HGI or online at StayHGI.com. Other hotels in the area include: Home2 Suites by Hilton, 855-618-4702, or Holiday Inn Express, 877-859-5095.

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# Cutting Edge Cardiovascular Updates



FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2025

Registration and Continental Breakfast: 7:30 a.m. Introductions and Opening Remarks: 8:30 a.m. Conference: 8:40 a.m. – 4:15 p.m.

**Registration due by:** Monday, November 3, 2025 or until maximum capacity is reached.

Fee: \$80 Nurses and Allied Health Professionals.

\$110 Advanced Practice Providers and Physicians.

Fee includes continental breakfast, lunch, snacks and conference materials.

**Registration Options:** \*Online registration is preferred.

**ONLINE** promedica.cloud-cme.com or by scanning the QR code above.

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**FAX** 419-479-6003 (Credit card number required to process registration.)

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AGENDA	
7:30 a.m.	Registration and Breakfast
8:30 a.m.	Welcome and Introductions Rajendra Kattar, MD, FACC
8:40 a.m	What's New in Atrial Fibrillation Vishal Goyal, MD
	Review the merits of rhythm control over rate control.
	Discuss innovations in ablation technology.
	Recognize when to pursue anticoagulation.
	Review electrophysiology and cardiothoracic surgery collaboration in treatment of atrial fibrillation.
9:10 a.m.	From Wearables to Leadless Pacemakers:  An Overview of Novel Devices  Omar Kahaly, MD
	Describe how wearable devices work.
	• Discuss role of leadless pacemakers and extravascular ICDs.
	Explain role of conduction system pacing therapy.
9:40 a.m.	Break and Exhibits
10 a.m.	"PERT: The System Wide Multidisciplinary Pulmonary Embolism Response Team"
	Ahmad Younes, MD, MBA, FACC, FSCAI, RPVI
	Describe risk stratification of pulmonary embolism.
	<ul> <li>Explore current therapeutic options available (medical vs. percutaneous vs. surgical).</li> </ul>
	Highlight system wide pulmonary embolism response team. (PERT)
	Prepare how to activate your conference call with the multidisciplinary team.
10:50 a.m.	Limb Salvage: It Takes a Village
	Ahmad Younes, MD, MBA, FACC, FSCAI, RPVI
	• Explore current therapeutic options available medical vs. percutaneous vs. surgical.
	Highlight importance of early identification and treatment of patients
	with critical limb ischemia (CLI) to improve limb salvage.
44.00	• Discuss novel therapies for patients with "No-Option CLI".
11:20 a.m.	Novel Approach for Endocarditis Management: Multidisciplinary Endocarditis Response Stephanie Younes, MD
	Discuss percutaneous endocarditis therapies.
	• Explore applications of percutaneous endocarditis management.
	Highlight role of multidisciplinary approach.
11:50 p.m.	Lunch
12:30 p.m.	Guideline-Directed Medical Therapy -#GDMT Works: Heart Failure Medical TherapyOf Today Sarah Adie, PharmD, BCCP
	Define stages of Heart Failure.
	Review the current landscape and evolution of Heart Failure     Medical Therapy.
	Summarize evidence behind newer generation of heart failure medical therapy.
1 p.m.	Cardiogenic Shock: How Team-Based Care Prevails Michael Zacharias, DO, FHFSA, FACC
	Describe pathophysiology of cardiogenic shock.
	Define and classify stages of cardiogenic shock.
	• Explain the role of hemodynamic monitoring in cardiogenic shock.
	• Discuss the importance of multi-disciplinary collaboration for the care of the cardiogenic shock patient.

# 1:30 p.m. Cardiac Amyloidosis: You'll Have to Look to Find It

Andres Carmona Rubio, MD

- Describe various types of amyloid heart disease.
- Examine some the nuances of the clinical workups for cardiac amyloidosis.
- Discuss the different therapeutic agents used for cardiac amyloidosis.

## 2 p.m. Break and Visit Exhibits

# 2:15 p.m. Aortic Stenosis: Guidelines and Heart Team Approach

George Hanna, MD, FRCPC and Alexander Ghannam, MD

- Review guideline updates for aortic valve disease.
- Highlight role of the heart team in a case-based format.

# 2:45 p.m. Mitral Regurgitation: Classification and Heart Team Approach Michael Moront, MD, FACS & Stephanie Younes, MD, FACC, FSCAI

- Review guideline updates for Mitral valve Disease.
- Highlight role of the heart team in a case-based format.

## 3:15 p.m. Tricuspid Valve Disease

P. Kasi Ramanathan, MD, FACC

- Review Tricuspid valve and anatomy.
- Cite new percutaneous therapeutic options for Tricuspid valve disease.

# 3:45 p.m. Al Based Tools to Conducting Clinical Research and Improving Quality

M. Trejeeve Martyn, MD

- Review artificial intelligence-based tools for earlier disease detection including electrocardiogram and echocardiogram.
- Review the use of large language models in automating chart review for clinical research and quality improvement.

4:15 p.m. Adjournment

For your comfort, please bring a sweater or jacket to the conference.

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