

2nd Annual

Congenital Heart Disease in the Adult Ronald & Helen Ross Symposium

Friday, October 9, 2009

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OVERVIEW

As a result of advances in surgical and diagnostic technology, the number of patients with congenital heart disease (CHD) who live to be adults is growing. Because of the many complications associated with this disease, these adult patients often require specialized care. However, there is a knowledge gap among practitioners regarding care for adult patients with CHD. Most CHD surgeons have only treated pediatric patients and most cardiac surgeons who treat adults have not been trained to deal with the abnormalities and complexities of CHD, creating a need for education in this area.

The goal of this educational activity is to improve clinicians' knowledge and skills regarding CHD, by providing clinically relevant discussions of the most current evidence. This symposium strives to help clinicians transfer learning directly to their clinical practice, which will ultimately improve patient outcomes.

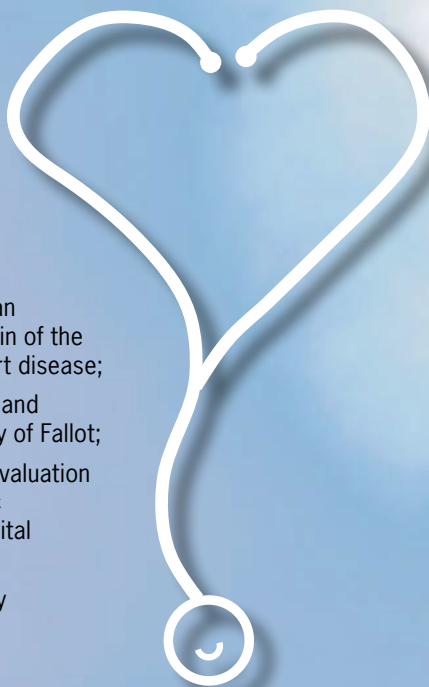
TARGET AUDIENCE

Designed for adult and pediatric cardiologists, cardiothoracic surgeons, cardiac sonographers, perfusionists, physician assistants, PICU nurses, and nurse practitioners.

OBJECTIVES

After completing this activity, the participant will be able to do the following:

- Summarize the natural history of and create a plan for evaluating and treating anomalous aortic origin of the coronary arteries in patients with congenital heart disease;
- Discuss the management of the pulmonary valve and valve-sparing strategies during repair of tetralogy of Fallot;
- Describe end stage heart dysfunction including evaluation and pre-, peri-, and postoperative care of cardiac transplantation in the adult and child with congenital heart disease;
- Review the potential changes in health care policy for congenital heart disease.



This activity has been approved for *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™*.

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AGENDA | Friday, October 9, 2009

- 8:00 am** Registration/Exhibits/Continental Breakfast
- 8:45 am** **Opening Remarks**
Constantine Mavroudis, MD
- 9:00 am** **Health Policy on Adult Congenital Heart Disease STS Database**
T. Bruce Ferguson, MD
- 9:25 am** **Pulmonary Valve Insertion for Tetralogy of Fallot**
Marshall L. Jacobs, MD
- 9:50 am** **Right Ventricular Outflow Tract Reconstruction Strategies**
Jeff P. Jacobs, MD
- 10:15 am** **Refreshment Break/Exhibits**
- 10:30 am** **Arrhythmia Management and Surgery in Patients with Tetralogy of Fallot**
Barbara J. Deal, MD
- 10:55 am** **Surgery for Ebstein's Anomaly of the Tricuspid Valve**
Joseph Dearani, MD
- 11:20 am** **Aortic Valve Repair for Bicuspid Aortic Valve**
Gosta Pettersson, MD, PhD
- 11:45 am** **Echocardiographic/CTA/MRI Evaluation of Anomalous Aortic Origin of the Coronaries**
Richard Lorber, MD
- 12:10 pm** **Lunch**
- 1:15 pm** **Anomalous Aortic Origin of the Coronaries**
Constantine Mavroudis, MD
- 1:40 pm** **Cardiac Transplantation for Patients with Adult Congenital Heart Disease**
Carl L. Backer, MD
- 2:15 pm** **Refreshment Break/Exhibits**
- 2:30 pm** **Medical Management of Patients with Advanced Adult Congenital Heart Disease**
Gerard J. Boyle, MD
- 2:55 pm** **Natural History of Anomalous Aortic Origin of the Coronaries**
Richard Krasuski, MD
- 3:20 pm** **Closing Remarks**
Constantine Mavroudis, MD

A ten minute question and answer period is included in each speaker's allotted time.



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