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OVERVIEW

Cardiovascular disease (CVD) is the number one cause of death in women in the United States and the developed world. New research has identified novel risk factors such as preeclampsia for CVD in women, and pregnancy and hormone therapy uniquely impact women with regards to stroke and heart disease management. While public health initiatives have increased awareness in this area, there is still confusion among health care providers about risk assessment and treatment of women with heart disease.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Identify surveillance tests and medications appropriate for pregnant patients with heart disease
- Decide when to refer patients to cardiology specialists or maternal fetal medicine/high risk obstetrics
- Analyze the practice guidelines for treatment of women with heart disease
- Identify symptoms of heart disease in women

TARGET AUDIENCE

This activity is designed for primary care physicians, internists, cardiologists, interventional cardiologists, obstetrics, maternal and fetal medicine, breast cancer specialists, neurologists, vascular disease specialists, bariatrics, cardiothoracic and diagnostics radiology, intensivists, NPs, PAs, and other medical professionals involved in the evaluation diagnosis and/or management of patients with cardiovascular disease.



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