

RCPE Cardiology Symposium

Live-link to Ballina

Friday, 2nd November 2018

**Venue: Conference Room, Multidisciplinary Unit (UCRH),
Ballina District Hospital**

20.00 Registration and light refreshments

20.25 Welcome and introductory remarks

Dr Deepak Dwarakanath, Vice-President, Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh

Session 1 - Heart failure - what's new?

Chair: Dr Alan Japp, Consultant Cardiologist, Edinburgh Heart Centre

20.30 Heart failure with preserved ejection fraction (HFpEF) – new horizons for diagnosis and treatment

Professor John Cleland, Director, Robertson Centre for Biostatistics, University of Glasgow

*clinical features * investigations and diagnosis guidelines * management options

21.00 New devices, new hearts

Dr Stephen Pettit, Consultant Cardiologist, Royal Papworth Hospital, Cambridge

* left ventricular assist devices (LVADs) *transplantation *palliative care

21.30 New treatments

Professor Theresa McDonagh, Professor of Heart Failure, King's College London

*sacubitril / valsartan *left ventricular (LV) partitioning *new guidelines *iv iron, SGLT2 inhibitors

22.00 BREAK

Session 2 - Hypertension, lipids and diabetes: moving targets and new drugs

Chair: Mrs Trudie Lobban MBE, Atrial Fibrillation Association

22.30 Lipids – from statins to proprotein convertase subtilisin/kexin type 9 inhibitors (PCSK9)

Dr Derek Connolly, Consultant Interventional Cardiologist, Sandwell and West Birmingham NHS Trust

* lipid management today *lipid management tomorrow *new drugs and new targets

23.00 Hypertension

Dr Adrian Brady, Consultant Cardiologist, Glasgow Royal Infirmary

*BP targets *revisiting target organ damage *new drugs

23.30 Diabetes – New drugs eg SGLT2 inhibitors in type 2 diabetes patients with high cardiovascular risk

Professor Naveed Sattar, Professor of Metabolic Medicine, University of Glasgow

*new insights from epidemiology *new diabetic drugs

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