The 5th Annual Meeting of the Cardiorenal Forum in association with the Dutch Society of Nephrology and the Netherlands Cardiorenal Group

Cardiorenal medicine: partners in practice?

Friday 15 October 2010 at Royal College of Physicians, 11 St Andrews Place, Regent’s Park, London NW1 4LP

This conference will highlight the important clinical overlap that exists between patients presenting with a primary cardiovascular or renal problem.

09.00  Registration and coffee
09.40  Opening remarks and welcome

Session 1

09.45  Emerging concepts in cardiorenal disease
Chairs: Charlie Tomson, University of Bristol, UK
       Piet Ter Wee, VU University Medical Centre, Amsterdam, NL
09.45  Integrating cardiorenal care – what can we achieve?
       Peter Mathieson, North Bristol NHS Trust and University of Bristol, UK
10.10  Preventing kidney and cardiac decline in the diabetic patient
       Stephen Bain, Swansea NHS Trust and University of Wales, UK
10.35  What is the role for cardiorenal biomarkers in current clinical practice?
       Hans Hillege, University Medical Centre, Groningen, NL
11.00  Cardiorenal syndrome – what is it and how valuable is sub-classification
       Chris McIntyre, Derby City General Hospital, and University of Nottingham, UK
11.25  Coffee

Session 2

11.50  The importance of arterial stiffness in CVD and CKD
       Chairs: Iain Squire, University Hospitals of Leicester and University of Leicester, UK
       Karin Kaasjager, Rijnstate Hospital, Arnhem, NL
11.50  Measurement of arterial stiffness and its clinical value
       David Webb, Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh and University of Edinburgh, UK
12.15  Diastolic dysfunction and LVH – are they different?
       To be confirmed
12.45  Therapeutic approaches to improve arterial stiffness
       Ian Wilkinson, Addenbrooke’s Hospital and University of Cambridge, UK
13.05  Lunch

Session 3

14.15  What’s new in anaemia management?
       Chairs: Donal O’Donoghue, National Clinical Director for Kidney Services, UK
       Paul Kalra, Portsmouth Hospitals NHS Trust, UK
14.15  Anaemia and current status of EPO in CKD and CHF
       Carlo Gaillard, VU University Medical Centre, Amsterdam, NL
14.40  Iron and erythropoiesis stimulating agents in nephrological practice
       Iain Macdougall, King’s College Hospital, London, UK
15.05  Strategies to improve anaemia care
       Karen Jenkins, Clinical Nurse Specialist, Kent and Canterbury Hospital, UK
15.30  Tea

Session 4

15.50  Controversies in cardiorenal disease
       Chairs: Peter Blankestijn, University Medical Centre, Utrecht, NL
       Suzanna Hardman, The Whittington Hospital NHS Trust, London, UK
15.50  Coronary revascularisation in severe CKD
       Chris Baker, Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust, London, UK
16.15  Renal revascularisation and cardiac function
       Phil Kalra, Salford Royal Hospital Trust and University of Manchester, UK
16.40  Debate: This house believes that cardiovascular screening/revascularisation should be performed prior to renal transplant
       Alan Jardine, Western Infirmary and University of Glasgow, UK vs. Kevin Damman, UMC Groningen, NL
17.25  Close of conference

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