

Mauna Lani Bay Hotel & Bungalows

The Mauna Lani Bay Hotel and Bungalows is not just a hotel, but a secluded oceanfront playground set on three miles of pristine coastline. The name Mauna Lani means mountain reaching heaven, a name given by the Hawaiian elders. Embrace the spirit of aloha and share the love for Hawai'i - the weather, beaches, tropical energy, unique island culture and importantly, the people. The feeling of being in Hawai'i will overcome you as you enter Mauna Lani's breezy atrium: cascading waterfalls, lush foliage, the sound of tropical songbirds, and ponds filled with colorful koi fish and baby green sea turtles. The Mauna Lani invites you to experience paradise. Each guest room has a private lanai one of the best places on island for whale watching.

SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION RATE FOR THE SYMPOSIUM VALID ONLY UNTIL :

November 3, 2013

\$189 Garden View
\$225 Ocean View
\$300 Ocean Front

These Rates are subject to availability and to the prevailing Hawaii State General Excise and Room Occupancy Taxes, currently at a combined rate of 13.4166% (subject to change)

A deposit equal to two (2) night's room revenue and applicable taxes will be required to guarantee reservations at the time of booking.

Hotel reservations can be booked via symposium web link at: ccmeetings.com/hawaii or phoned into the reservations department at 1-800-367-2323.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The 3rd Annual International Hawaii Symposium on Diagnostic and Therapeutic Modalities in Heart Failure will be held from December 5-7, 2013 at the delightful Mauna Lani Hotel on the beautiful Island of Hawaii. This year's Symposium will detail exciting advances in heart failure, biomarkers, interventional therapy, and arrhythmias. The agenda for 2013 incorporates lectures, panel discussions and case presentations presented in an environment that is ideally suited for both learning and relaxation. Attendees will have the opportunity to hear leaders in heart failure and biomarkers discuss the newest important advances in their fields as well as provide practical guidance for optimizing patient care. There will be numerous opportunities for attendees and faculty to meet and talk in an informal setting over the 3 days of the Symposium.



The outstanding faculty includes experts in the field including **Drs. Eric Adler, Ulrika Birgersdotter-Green, Daniel Blanchard, Uri Elkayam, Gregg Fonarow, Barry Greenberg, Robert Hong, Ethisham Mahmud, Alan Maisel** and **Connie Lewis, NP** and **Michelle Schlueter, PharmD.**

LOCATION

The Mauna Lani Bay Hotel & Bungalows

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Hotel Reservation Deadline: November 3, 2013.

If your reservation is not received prior to cut-off date, reservations will only be accepted subject to availability. Please specify that you plan to attend the 3rd Annual International Hawaii Symposium on Diagnostic and Therapeutic Modalities in Heart Failure so you can receive our special symposium rate.

CANCELLATIONS

Because of advance planning requirements, a full refund less a \$75.00 processing fee will be given if you cancel. Please cancel in writing and postmark by **November 4, 2013**. No refunds will be given after **November 4, 2013**.

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This Live activity, **3rd Annual International Hawaii Symposium on Diagnostic and Therapeutic Modalities in Heart Failure**, with a beginning date of 12/05/2013, has been reviewed and is acceptable for up to 15.00 Prescribed credit(s) by the American Academy of Family Physicians. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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SYMPOSIUM OBJECTIVES

At the end of the meeting the participant will be better able to:

1. Implement effective therapy for treating patients with heart failure including the use of pharmacologic agents and devices.
2. Evaluate and manage patients with acute heart failure.
3. Assess and follow patients with heart failure using devices for remote monitoring and with biomarkers.
4. Implement strategies for reducing re-admission after a heart failure hospitalization.
5. Identify and modify risk in patients with atrial fibrillation.
6. Evaluate and manage patients with pulmonary hypertension.
7. Define indications for valve replacement surgery and to determine which patients are candidates for catheter based techniques for aortic valve replacement.
8. Identify patients who are candidates for ICDs and BiV pacemakers.

TARGET AUDIENCE

The target audience for this activity includes Cardiologists, Internists, Primary Care Physicians and Allied Health Care Providers including Nursing Professionals and Physician Assistants.

NEEDS ASSESSMENT

Over five million Americans (two percent of the U.S.) are living with heart failure. More than 500,000 additional cases of heart failure are diagnosed each year.

Despite important advances in treatment, patients with heart failure continue to experience unacceptably high rates of morbidity and mortality. This along with the enormous cost of caring for a growing number of heart failure patients has resulted in increased scrutiny of existing and emerging therapies.

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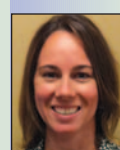
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Thursday, December 5, 2013

7:00-7:50 **Registration/Continental Breakfast/Visit Exhibits**
7:50-8:00 **Welcome/Introduction**
Drs. Barry Greenberg and Alan Maisel

AM SESSION I *Barry Greenberg MD (Moderator)*
8:00-8:30 **Treating Hypertension and Hyperlipidemia to Reduce Heart Failure Risk: How to do it Most Effectively**
Gregg Fonarow, MD

8:30-9:00 **New and Emerging Biomarkers for Early Detection of Heart Failure: Implications for Treatment**
Alan Maisel, MD

9:00-9:30 **Heart Failure with Preserved Ejection Fraction: Current and Future Treatment Options**
Barry Greenberg, MD

9:30-10:00 **Case Presentation I - Barry Greenberg MD (Presenter)**
Drs. Fonarow, Maisel, and C. Lewis, NP (Discussants)
Coffee Break/Visit Exhibits

10:00-10:30 **Strategies for Managing Atrial Fibrillation: Rate vs Rhythm Control and Role of Ablation**
Robert Hong, MD

10:30-11:00 **Newer Anticoagulant Agents: How and When to Use Them**
Daniel Blanchard, MD

11:00-11:30 **Case Presentation II - Robert Hong, MD (Presenter)**
Drs. Fonarow, Blanchard, Birgersdotter-Green and M. Schlueter, Pharm D (Discussants)

11:30-11:55 **ECG Quiz**
Robert Hong, MD

12:00 pm **AM Session Adjourns**

PM SESSION II *Barry Greenberg MD (Moderator)*
Breakout Sessions
4:00-5:00 **A. How to Organize a Heart Failure Clinic and Follow High Risk Patients**
Connie Lewis NP, Michelle Schlueter Pharm D and Alan Maisel, MD

B. Adventures in Echo-Presentation of Challenging Cases
Daniel Blanchard MD and Gregg Fonarow, MD

5:00-5:30 **A. Using Devices to Follow Heart Failure Patients and Detect Early Signs of Decompensation**
Robert Hong, MD

5:30-6:00 **The Role of a Nurse Practitioner in Outreach and Telemedicine**
Connie Lewis, NP

6:00 **Adjourn**

Friday, December 6, 2013

AM SESSION III *Alan Maisel, MD (Moderator)*
8:00-8:25 **Hyponatremia in Volume Overloaded Patients: Why and How to Treat**
Barry Greenberg, MD

8:25-8:50 **Aquapheresis and Diuretics: How to Best Use Them in Acute and Chronic Heart Failure**
Uri Elkayam, MD

8:50-9:15 **Infiltrative Cardiomyopathies: Recognition and Treatment**
Eric Adler, MD

9:15-9:35 **Imaging to Assess Risk in Heart Failure Patients: Emerging Role of MIBG Imaging**
Barry Greenberg, MD

9:35-10:00 **Case Presentation III - Uri Elkayam, MD (Presenter)**
Drs. Adler and Greenberg, C. Lewis, NP and M. Schlueter, PharmD (Discussants)
Coffee Break/Visit Exhibits

10:00-10:30 **New Paradigms and Agents for Treating Decompensated Heart Failure**
Barry Greenberg, MD

10:30-11:00 **Strategies for Preventing Re-Admission After a Heart Failure Hospitalization**
Gregg Fonarow, MD

11:00-11:30 **Transcatheter Aortic Value Replacement (TAVR): Who to Consider and What to Expect**
Ehtisham Mahmud, MD

11:30-11:55 **Echo Quiz**
Daniel Blanchard, MD

PM SESSION IV *Alan Maisel, MD (Moderator)*
4:00-4:30 **Emerging Therapies: Gene Transfer, Stem Cells, and New Drugs for Treating Heart Failure**
Barry Greenberg, MD

4:30-5:00 **Cardiac Resynchronization Therapy (CRT): Optimizing Patient Selection and Outcomes**
Ulrika Birgersdotter-Green, MD

5:00-5:30 **Using Biomarkers to Manage Therapy of Heart Failure Patients: Role of Gal-3 and BNP**
Alan Maisel, MD

5:30-5:55 **Oral Vasodilators: An Underused Life Saving Therapy**
Uri Elkayam, MD

5:55-6:00 **X-Ray Quiz**
Barry Greenberg, MD

6:00 **Adjourn**

Saturday, December 7, 2013

AM SESSION V *Eric Adler, MD (Moderator)*
8:00-8:30 **Preventing Sudden Cardiac Death: Role of ICD's and the LifeVest**
Ulrika Birgersdotter-Green, MD

8:30-9:00 **Managing End-Stage Heart Failure: Recognition, Cardiac Transplant and Circulatory Support Devices**
Eric Adler, MD

9:00-9:30 **Palliative Care: Who, When, Why and How**
Connie Lewis, NP

9:30-10:00 **Case Presentation IV - Eric Adler, MD (Presenter)**
Drs. Greenberg, Mahmud, Elkayam, MD and C. Lewis, NP (Discussants)
Coffee Break/Visit Exhibits

10:00-10:30 **Revascularizing Heart Failure Patients: Which Patients Benefit and How to Recognize Them**
Ehtisham Mahmud, MD

10:30-11:00 **Medical Management of Myocardial Ischemia: Emerging Concepts**
Daniel Blanchard, MD

11:00-11:30 **Case Presentation V - Ehtisham Mahmud, MD (Presenter)**
Drs. Blanchard, Fonarow, MD, and M. Schlueter, Pharm D (Discussants)

11:30-12:00 **Symposium Adjourns**



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