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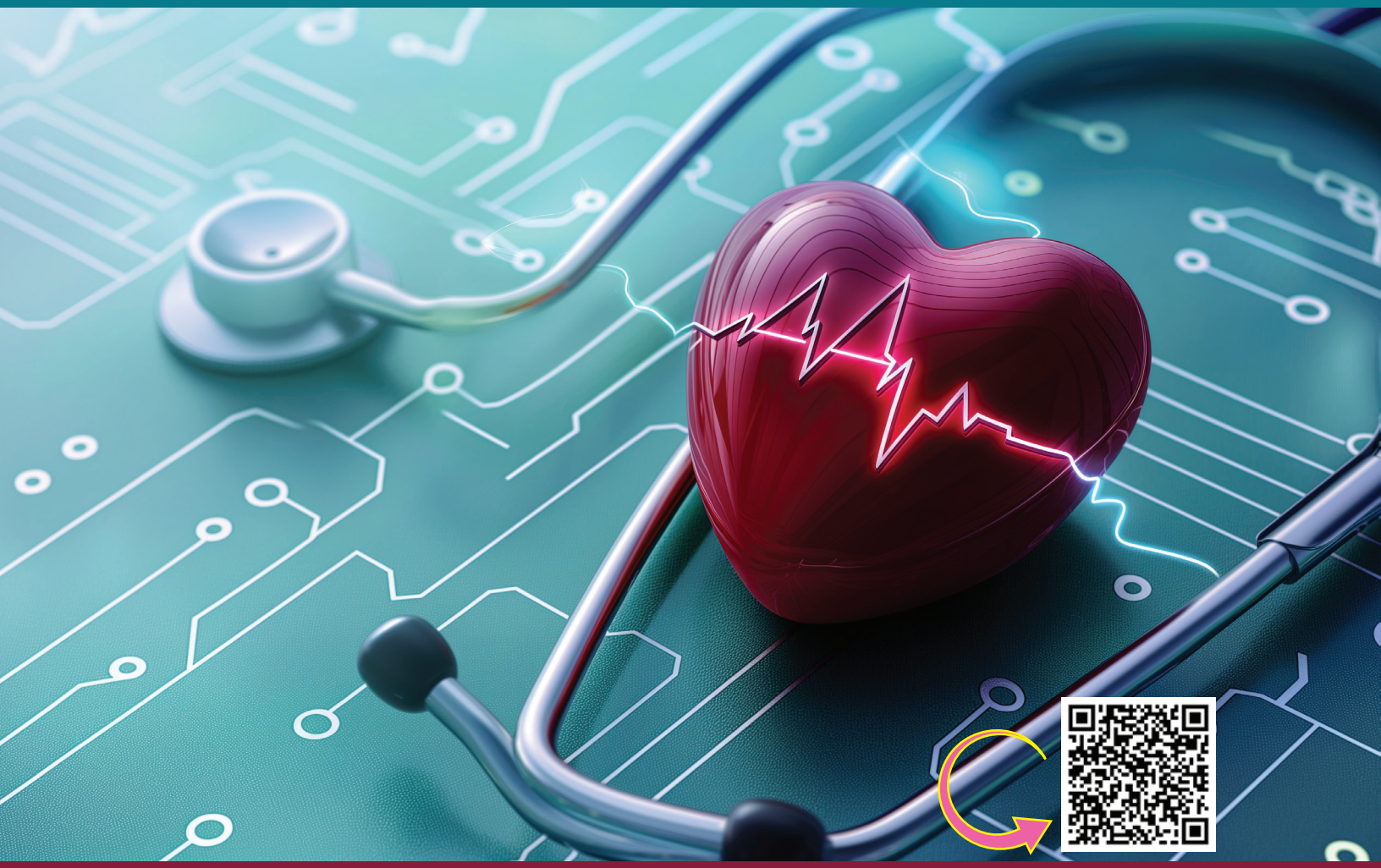

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Program Agenda

7:45 am	**Welcome and Introduction** Jason S. Chinitz, MD Stuart J. Beldner, MD
SESSION I: **Moderator**:	**Advanced Diagnosis of Arrhythmias** Laurence M. Epstein, MD
8:00 am	**Guest Lecture: Dangerous PVCs** Francis E. Marchlinski, MD
8:30 am	**Advanced ECG Interpretation** Neil E. Bernstein, MD
9:00am	**How I will use AI for Arrhythmia Management** Andrew K. Krumerman, MD
9:20am	**Case Presentations —Ask the Experts** Tomer Mann, MD Nicholas Beccarino, MD Nikhil D. Sharma, MD **Panelists:** Francis E. Marchlinski, MD Laurence M. Epstein, MD Neil E. Bernstein, MD Andrew K. Krumerman, MD
10:00am	**Break/Exhibitor Hall**
SESSION II: **Moderator:**	**Arrhythmias in Special Populations** Marcin Kowalski, MD
10:10am	**Arrhythmias in Hypertrophic CMP** Kabir Bhasin, MD
10:30am	**RESPONSE:** Ronald Wharton, MD
10:35am	**Arrhythmias in Athletes** Christopher Tanayan, MD
10:55am	**RESPONSE:** Stuart J. Beldner, MD
11:00am	**Arrhythmias in Pregnancy** Olga Reynbakh, MD
11:20am	**RESPONSE:** Evelina Grayver, MD
11:25am	**Arrhythmias in the Elderly** Ramanak Mitra, MD, PhD
11:45am	**Q & A** **Panel and Audience Questions**
12:00 pm	**Lunch/Exhibitor Hall**

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SESSION III: Advanced CIED Management

Moderator: Paul Maccaro, MD

1:00 pm **Guest Lecture: Electrophysiologic Manifestations of Cardiac Sarcoidosis**
William H. Sauer, MD

1:30pm **RESPONSE**
Jonathan M. Willner, MD

1:35pm **EP and Structural Heart Disease—Collaborations for Better Outcomes**
Laurence M. Epstein, MD

1:55pm **Q & A**

2:00pm **Device Management in the Era of Conduction System Pacing—Multidisciplinary Approaches**
Ram L. Jadonath, MD
Julie Thomas, PA-C

2:25pm **Panel and Q & A**
Eric A. Pagan, MD
Hung-Kei Li, MD
Andrzej Szczepanek, PA-C

2:50pm **Break/Exhibitor Hall**

SESSION IV: Contemporary Interventions for Atrial Fibrillation in 2025

Moderator: Stavros Mountantonakis, MD

3:00pm **Guest Lecture: Concomitant AF Ablation and LAAO Procedures**
Apoor Patel, MD

3:20pm **RESPONSE**
Jason S. Chinitz, MD

3:25pm **PFA for Atrial Fibrillation: Breakthrough or Hype**
Nicholas T. Skipitaris, MD, MBA

3:45pm **RESPONSE**
David Steckman, MD, FHRS
Granit Veseli, MD

3:55pm **Surgical Interventions for Atrial fibrillation**
James K. Gabriels, MD

4:15pm **RESPONSE:**
Frank Manetta, MD

4:20pm **DEBATE: Should Anticoagulation Be Stopped After AF Ablation?**
Haisam Ismail, MD
Bruce G. Goldner, MD

4:50pm **Winner of Debate Announced by:**
Subbarao Choudry, MD
Rina Shah, MD
Moussa Saleh, MD, FACC, FHRS

4:55pm **Closing Remarks**
Raffle Winner Announcements
Jason S. Chinitz, MD
Stuart J. Beldner, MD

5:00pm **Conference Concludes**

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Statement of Need: Cardiac arrythmias are common causes of morbidity and mortality in the United States and worldwide, causing effects ranging from palpitations, syncope, heart failure, and sudden death. Atrial fibrillation, in particular, is the most common sustained arrhythmia, and requires evolving management strategies to address risks of stroke, heart failure, disability, and mortality. Innovative management approaches and technological advancements have been recently developed with the potential to save lives and improve quality of life in patients with heart rhythm disorders. Clinicians require ongoing updates to maintain an appropriate knowledge based in the field of clinical electrophysiology. This conference will address various updated management strategies and review critical concepts in contemporary EP management.

Program Objectives: All Northwell Health CME activities are intended to improve patient care, safety, and outcomes. At the conclusion of this conference, participants should be able to:

ANALYZE merging technology to understand how the field is moving forward and how to apply new innovations for specific patient populations.

INTERPRET data related to the daily management of arrhythmia patients and discuss findings to inform practice.

EVALUATE current guidelines and best practices.

Target Audience: This activity was planned by and for physicians, nurses, physician assistants and all other members of the health care team who are interested in electrophysiology and cardiac arrhythmia are welcome to attend.

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Verification of Attendance: Will be provided to all attendees.

Location: Live Interprofessional CE Conference Offered Via Zoom.

Course Offering and Registration Fees:

- ❑ $150 Physicians
- ❑ $120 Non-Physician Clinical Staff
- ❑ $75 All Others
- ❑ No Charge Residents, Medical Students, Fellows — No Credit

Registration Fee Includes: Access to virtual sessions, course materials, and CME/Verification of Attendance Certificate.

Cancellation Policy: To receive a refund, all cancellations must be confirmed via email to **Belinda Spatola, Project Manager, bspatola@northwell.edu,** Office of Continuing Medical Education by Saturday, November 14, 2025. An administrative fee of $10.00, will be kept for all cancellations. No refunds will be made after this date or for "no-shows."

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